

Minnesota Man Heads American Road Association

Committee Report Favoring National Standardization of Bridges Adopted by Highway Officials.

Charles M. Babcock, Minnesota, was elected president of the American Association of State Highway Officials at the annual business meeting held yesterday afternoon at the Hotel Fontenelle. Other officers elected were Charles J. Bennett, Connecticut, vice president; Charles M. Upton, North Carolina, secretary; and Frank T. Sheets, Illinois, treasurer. Col. W. D. Uhler, Pennsylvania, and D. P. Olson, Idaho, were elected members of the executive committee.

The closing session of the annual convention was devoted to business and the reports of officials and committees. Reports of the committee on standards, headed by Col. W. D. Uhler, Pennsylvania, which had for its main theme the standardization of bridges throughout the country, was adopted by the convention after a few minor changes. The convention unanimously endorsed the new laws pertaining to federal and state road building. The next convention city is to be named by the executive committee.

School Nears Completion

Oskosh, Neb., Dec. 8.—(Special.)—The new \$30,000 school building at Lisco is nearing completion and it is expected that it will be occupied soon after the first of the year.

Brief City News.

To Discuss Sabbath Change

Reuben Frederick, pastor of the Temple Israel tonight will discuss "Shall We Transfer the Sabbath to Sunday?" and Saturday morning, "The Dream."

Foster's Daughter

A daughter was born yesterday to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Foster of Fairbury, Neb. Mrs. Foster formerly was Miss Jennie Roberts of Omaha.

Educator to Visit

Dr. W. O. Thompson, president of the Ohio State university, Columbus, O., will visit his brother, L. A. Thompson, 4049 Charles street, this city, Monday.

Administrator Quits

David A. Baum tendered in county court his resignation yesterday as one of the administrators of the estate of James E. Baum, assigning ill health as the reason.

Fugitive Recaptured

Bert Van Hosen, drug addict, escaped from the United States marshal's office yesterday while awaiting trial before Judge Woodruff. He was captured three hours later.

Dunlap Improved

The condition of Robert Dunlap was reported improved at the Swedish hospital, where he underwent a serious operation Monday. Mr. Dunlap is captain of fire company No. 1.

Lease to Be Sold

Robert J. Webb, trustee in bankruptcy, has sent out to creditors of the Securities building, sixteenth and Farnam streets, notice for the sale of the 99-year lease on the building.

Red Cross Campaign

The annual membership roll call for the Red Cross Omaha chapter will be held next week, beginning Sunday and closing the following Saturday. Henry Dooley is general manager of the campaign.

Parole Violator

Violet Smith, on parole from the Nebraska state penitentiary on a charge of forgery, was arrested yesterday before Judge Foster on a similar charge. She was held to the district court in \$2,500 bonds.

Takes Job in Frisco

Gretchen Allen, 111 South Thirty-second street, has accepted a position with the Waller Cloak and Suit Manufacturing company of San Francisco as head designer and buyer. She will leave for the coast next Monday.

Greeters Convened

The annual convention of the Nebraska Hotel Men's association and the Nebraska Greeters opened yesterday at the Hotel Fontenelle. Harley G. Conant, president of the association, welcomed the convention to Omaha.

Jury Disagrees

A jury in District Judge Troup's court after deliberating 22 hours in the case of Ralph Sadler, charged with swindling W. J. Kostoryz out of \$9,500 two years ago, was discharged yesterday, having failed to reach a verdict.

"Mystery Man" Returned

Frank Pierce, "mystery man" of the Foss murder case, was returned to Omaha yesterday and confined in a cell at the city jail. He will be held there until the arraignment of "Finger" Stevens and Mike Damato, charged with the murder.

Claims Damages

Eva Harden brought suit yesterday in district court for \$10,000 damages against the Omaha Safe Deposit company, alleging she was permanently injured when she fell on some stairs on property owned by the company.

Fur-lined Suits for Flyers

Mail pilots of the Omaha air mail field will appear to Postmaster General Hays for fur-lined suits to be worn during their part of their equipment. H. G. Brown is president and Tex Marshall vice president of the local group of flyers.

New Freight Agent Named

William Haywood has been appointed general freight agent of the Illinois Central railroad in charge of solicitation, with headquarters at Chicago, it was announced here. He was formerly assistant to the traffic manager at Chicago.

Postal Reorganization

Reorganization of the postal department into state units was announced yesterday by Postmaster General Hays. Much work heretofore done in the central offices at Washington will be diverted to accounting departments of larger postoffices.

Doctor Sued for Divorce

Dr. Lynn E. Putnam, physician, 1211 Park avenue, was sued in district court yesterday for divorce by Grace Putnam, who charges extreme cruelty. They were married August 29, 1908, and have two children, Thomas Lynn, 10, and Robert Hugh, 14.

MOVIES



Anita Stewart in "The Invisible Fear"

Ye girls who would hasten to the feet of Hymen, hearken to what Anita Stewart says:

"Here are some of the rules she has laid down for maidens whose eyes are turned toward matrimony: "Don't marry a man just because you think he is 'cute' or something. He may be cute like a young puppy dog, and as useless. "Don't marry before you are 25, because you have to give up all your girlhood joy of making a lot of men miserable before you finally pick on the one you want. "Don't pin all your happiness to a man, anyway. Have other interests—children, social work, a profession. "Don't go by what a man says he likes in a woman—keep your eyes peeled for what he really does like. "Then do it."

Anita propounds some of those "don't's" in her next picture, "The Invisible Fear," which opens Sunday at the Rialto theater.

Today's Attractions.

Sun—"Over the Hill."
Rialto—"The Miracle Man."
Stram—"The Sheik."
Moon—"Priscilla Dean in 'Conquest'."
Empress—"A Trip to Paradise."
Muse—"The Wild Goose."
Grand—"Mother O'Mine."
Hamilton—"Tom Moore in 'Officer 666'."

Having launched his latest superintendence, "Hail the Woman," which John Griffith Wray made one of the tremendous picture successes of the year, Thomas H. Ince is setting out to do another big one. Its present title is "Someone to Love." This is an original story by C. Gardner Sullivan, and is a tale of circus life.

Robert Brunton, one of the leading California producers who recently sold his immense studios in Los Angeles to an eastern syndicate, is leaving for England, and says he may produce pictures there if the conditions warrant. Among them will probably be some Rudyard Kipling stories.

Liquor Law Violator Gets 6 Months' Term Despite Plea

"I have little consideration for men of your type who brazenly violate the laws," declared District Judge Troup to Charles Reiser, 3908 South Fourteenth street, who was before him for sentence after being found guilty by a jury of illegal possession of liquor and masquerade.

Reiser asked the court for leniency, pleading that he had "learned a lesson" after Judge Troup had sentenced him to jail for six months, and fined him \$500. Judge Troup declined to change the sentence and fine.

68 Automobiles Stolen.

Sixty-eight motor cars were reported stolen during the month of November, and of this number 57 were recovered, according to the monthly report of Lieut. Jack Pisanowski of the auto theft bureau, made yesterday to Chief of Police Dumony. In October 85 cars were reported stolen with a recovery of 62.

An inventor has just produced a gun from which a stout line can, from the shoulder, be shot a distance of 110 yards.

Strikingly low prices made on \$40,000 worth of Living Room Furniture at H. R. Bowen Co.

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Boy Sends Chicken Money to Bee Fund

"No Name" Contributes \$20—"Lover of Children" Fears for Tots.

Two letters accompanying contributions to The Bee's fund for supplying shoes to extremely poor children:

"I am a little boy 10 years old and the only boy papa and mamma have. I have never had to go without shoes and it must be awful. I am sending you \$20 mamma gave me from some chickens she sold, so you can get some little boy or girl a pair of shoes. I have some traps set and if I have good luck I will send in some more money. "DARWYN JACKSON."

"These frosty morning make one shiver even when clad in warm clothing. How must the little ones fare who have no woolen hose or good, thick shoes? May this good work go steadily on. "LOVER OF CHILDREN."

A pitiful line of cold little boys and girls await your donation to this work. Send it today to The Bee, if you possibly can.

Previously acknowledged \$89.55
No Name \$20.00
Junior League, Methodist church, Bellevue, Neb. 2.50
A Friend 2.50
Widow's Mite, Blair, Neb. 2.00
Lover of Children 2.00
A Friend 2.00
Darwyn Jackson, Wolbach, Neb. 2.00
Total \$102.05

Reduced Fares to Chicago Announced by Railroad

Excursion rates of fare and one-half for round trip over the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad for the holidays will be on sale December 22 to 24 inclusive. W. E. Block, general agent passenger department,

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Dog Hill Paragrafs

By George Bingham

It is reported that recently a honey bee followed Miss Hostetter Hocks



Atlas Peck and family, who have been thinking about moving out of the neighborhood, have decided to remain in our midst, and for a change have turned the bed around.

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Common Sense

By J. J. MUNDY. The Open Road.

You know that you are deficient in knowledge of many things which you should know to be considered intelligent.

Year after year you put off from time to time the set period you think you must have to learn more of these subjects and you will still continue to put off.

Why not pan out for one night a week during this winter. One night a week devoted to your particular study would accomplish much.

Self denial will enter in. Perhaps there will be a big party the very first or second evening you set to begin the mastery of your study.

What will you do—postpone the study again? What are you in earnest about, study or personal pleasure?

You may find kind friends to help put you through it if becomes known that you are willing to sacrifice a personal good time for work.

But do not blame your kind friends for deserting you and your cause if you are found wanting on account of too much devotion on your part to a "good time."

And if you knew that a very much more lucrative job were at the end of the road after you have acquired this additional knowledge would you not be more than ever anxious to pursue the subject?

It requires regular systematic study and a serious mind concentrated on the thing in hand. Can you qualify? (Copyright, 1921, International Feature Service, Inc.)

Parents' Problems

How can a little girl who is very

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Union Outfitting Co. Places Big Purchase of Rich Cut Glass on Sale Next Saturday

Sale Prices Are Just About HALF What You Would Ordinarily Pay.

The biggest money-saving sale of brilliant, sparkling Semi-Cut Glass Omaha homemakers have known in many, many months will take place next Saturday at the Union Outfitting Co.

There are pieces suitable for gift purposes as well as everyday use, comprising Mayonnaise Sets, Sugar and Creamers, Nappies, Nut Dishes, Vases, Spoon Trays, Jellies, Comports, Fruit Bowls, Celery Trays, etc. As always, you make your own terms.

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A very large assortment in all sizes and various styles and trimmings—15.00, 18.50, 20.50, 31.50 and up.

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in Fumed or Golden Oak

With Spanish fabricoid upholstery on seat and back16.00

Chair to match15.00

45 other patterns, in Fumed or Golden Oak Rocking Chairs with Spanish fabricoid and Spanish leather upholstery, 6.75, 7.50, 8.50, 9.00 and up to 25.00 and 26.00.

Library Tables

In waxed oak—12.50 Other Golden Oak Library Tables, all styles and sizes—18.00, 19.00, 22.00, 24.00 and up to 52.00

Overstuffed Arm Chairs and Rockers

Upholstered in tapestry, a splendid variety at 48.00 and 49.00, ranging up to 110.00.

Ladies' Desks

In fumed and golden oak—13.50, 20.00, 21.00, 22.00 and up.

Sale of Ostermoor Mattresses

Closing out our wholesale stock of Ostermoor Mattresses. These Mattresses made by the Ostermoor Co. in art twill ticks, 45 lbs., stitched edge. The advertised selling price, 35.00—we offer them to you now at less than wholesale cost to close, each15.00

TOYS

BLOCKS for the baby and kindergarten age. Picture Blocks, 50¢ to 1.00 WOOD BABIES, AND ANIMALS with brilliant letters—2.35 to 4.15

ROUND CORNER BLOCKS, 1 1/2-inch size...65¢ to 1.00

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MECHANICAL TRAINS—High-class mechanical engine, one coal car, one passenger car and 90-inch track.....2.25

The same trains with two passenger coaches.....3.00

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Iron Pull Trains— Engine and two Coaches65¢

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8-inch size	1.00
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12-inch size	2.00
12-inch Flat Snare Type, at	2.00
16-inch Boy Scout Drum with genuine skin head, Complete with symbols at	6.00

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Ruffled Curtains Specially Priced

Muslin Curtains in dots or small figures, per pair.....2.50

Grenadine Curtains, per pair3.75

Lace-Edged Fillet Net Curtains in ivory or ecru, per pair— 2.75 and 3.25

Cretonnes that make attractive Christmas gifts, such as aprons, pillows, laundry bags, etc.— 50¢, 75¢ and 1.00

Bedding

Comforts, size 72x84 inches, 3.85 and 5.00.

Sateen-Covered Comforts with plain borders, size 72x84 inches...7.50

Sheets, 81x90 inches, each2.00

Pillow Cases, 45x36 inches, each...35¢

Blankets of good quality, 5.75, 6.75, 7.50 and 8.75.

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Axminster Rugs

Plain and Figured Axminsters made from all worsted yarn, good for any room in the house.

22 1/2 x 36 inches	3.00	4-6x6-6	13.50
27x54 inches	5.75	8-3x10-6	43.50
36x70 inches	9.00	9x12	52.50

Velvet Rugs

15 patterns in 9x12 Seamless Velvet Rugs in colorings and designs48.50

Wilton Rugs

for bedroom, sunroom and living room, in suitable colorings and designs.

27x54 inches	10.50	8-3x10-6	90.00
36x63 inches	18.50	9x12	100.00
4-6x7-6	35.00		

Chenille Bath Rugs

in blue, brown, and pink, or checkered.

24x36	2.50	30x60	6.00
24x48	4.25		

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92.00 White Enamel, Nickel-Trimmed Range	65.00	165.00 Blue All-Porcelain Range	118.50
123.00 White Enamel, Nickel-Trimmed Cast Range	86.00	185.00 Blue All-Porcelain Range with reservoir	136.00
142.00 White Enamel and Nickel-Trimmed Range with reservoir	99.00	177.50 White and Grey Porcelain Range	132.00