

Good News for Dry Law Evaders Reaches Omaha

Supreme Court Holds Government Cannot Levy Tax Against Traffic Which Is Illegal.

Good news for hundreds of violators of the liquor laws came to the federal building yesterday when A. B. Allen, collector of internal revenue, received a telegram informing him that the United States supreme court has decided that taxes and penalties assessed under Section 35 of the national prohibition act are not collectible by attachment.

This means, in short, that hundreds of Omahians and Nebraskans, against whose property collector Allen has levied to compel them to pay sums aggregating hundreds of thousands of dollars, will be freed from the necessity of paying.

Even in the last three days 150 such attachments, ranging from about \$750 to \$2,800 each, were filed in the office of the clerk of the federal court here.

The decision, in short, holds that the United States government cannot levy a tax upon a traffic which is illegal.

It may be that all persons who have already paid these "taxes" assessed by the internal revenue officer will get their money back. This will be known when the full text of the decision is received.

Auditor Candidate Loses His Libel Suit

Lincoln, June 12.—(Special).—Grant L. Shumway, democratic candidate for state auditor, today lost his \$50,000 libel suit against S. K. Yarrick under decision of the state supreme court.

Shumway, with others, had appealed to the state banking board for a bank charter. Yarrick appeared to oppose granting of the charter had declared in public meeting that Shumway was irresponsible financially and not a fit person to head a bank.

The district court held that public meetings of this description and utterances were lawful and could not be considered libel. The supreme court upheld the ruling.

Rural Letter Carriers to Picnic at Beaver Crossing

Seward, Neb., June 12.—(Special).—A committee of rural letter carriers met in Seward to make arrangements for a basket picnic and to prepare a program of sports to be held at Beaver Crossing Wednesday. It will be attended by all rural letter carriers, their wives and substitute carriers from six counties and promises to be a big affair. Seward, York, Butler, Lancaster, Saline and Fillmore county carriers will attend.

Postmaster Appointed

Washington, June 12.—(Special Telegram).—William H. Hunt appointed postmaster at Somerset, Lincoln county, Nebraska, vice C. E. Willis, resigned.

Nowhere

By RUBY M. AYRES.
(Continued From Yesterday.)

Violet followed her across the wide luxury of the room—she found it impossible to think of it as a screened by a curtain.

The dark girl entered first; she said something rapidly in French, something which Violet could not understand. A small, plump woman rose with a shrill exclamation from a writing desk; she answered with a flood of voluble words, also in French; she gesticulated freely with her small, plump hands.

Suddenly she swung around with an angry face; her eyes fell on Violet, who stood shrinking in the doorway, and she grew suddenly silent.

"Take off your hat," she said. She spoke in excellent English, with just the faintest suspicion of French accent.

Violet pulled the pins from her hat with fingers that trembled; through the high window a ray of golden sunshine fell upon her as she stood there with her uncovered masses of fair hair.

Madame gave a little sound of satisfaction; she spoke in French to the dark girl, then she turned to Violet.

"You have references, of course?"

"No, at least—" the girl hesitated. "I was at Gattwick's for a few months—" she added doubtfully.

"Gattwick's? Mon dieu! Is it possible?" She plumped down in a chair as if she had been pushed, she threw her eyes up to heaven, she clasped her hands theatrically.

The dark girl smiled; she spoke softly.

"She has beautiful hair, Madame, for the black models—"

Madame recovered; she scanned Violet with a business eye; she muttered to herself.

"Ciel! the clothes—le chapeau!" Suddenly she gave a peremptory order.

"Walk, Mademoiselle, walk past me, if you please! Now, turn your head—turn it as if you carried a 5-guinea model on your hair—so! Bien!"

She nodded her small head wisely.

"Your name and address, if you please?"

Violet gave both tremblingly; she wondered if madame knew the disreputable address where all the houses looked alike, but the Frenchwoman made no comment as she wrote rapidly in a ledger.

She blotted what she had written and closed the book with a bang—then she turned again.

"I will give you 30 shillings a week—I will take you on trial; we want a blonde; it is necessary to have a blonde for our black models."

She took a paper from her desk. "You will go to this address and be fitted for a gown, and you will take up your duties here on Monday morning."

Violet tried to speak, but madame waved her imperiously away. "You need not be grateful; if you are not useful to me, you will go, but I think you will be useful. Bon jour!"

The dark girl led the way from the room; she smiled kindly at Violet's eager face.

"Madame is pleased with you," she said as the door closed on the

French woman. "She is very pleased or she would not have given the commission for your gown, I have never known her to do such a thing before."

"I cannot tell you how grateful I am," said Violet, breathlessly. "I came in quite by chance—I have tried so many times to get work and always failed—I am not very strong. Do you think I shall get on here? It isn't a hard life. If you please madame you will do well; this place is a private concern, you know, not a company. It is much better than working for a company." She broke off, drawing Violet to one side as the swing door was opened by an obsequious commissionaire, and an old lady with white hair entered, followed by a tall man wearing an absurd eyeglass.

They passed up the long room as if they had been there many times before—the old lady walked a little lame; she leaned on a silver-knobbed stick; the man—Violet caught her breath; she had seen the man before; he had ruined her hat for her by putting his foot on it the previous evening—he had owned the green painted car that had run over and killed the flower girl outside the theater.

A sudden thrill of excitement went through her—she wondered if he would recognize her, but he did not even glance her way; he followed the old lady with a decidedly bored air down the long room.

Violet whispered a breathless question to the dark girl at her side.

"Who are they? Do you know who they are?"

The girl looked surprised—she smiled.

"The man is Mr. Ronald Hastings; he is practically a millionaire; he owns Violet's. The lady is his mother."

(Continued in The Bee Tomorrow.)

Poet Laureate of State Speaks at Omaha Church

At his first public appearance in Omaha, John G. Neihardt, poet laureate of Nebraska, read passages from the "Song of Three Friends," the first cycle of the epic of the prairie pioneers he is writing, at the First Unitarian church Sunday night.

His poem won the \$500 prize of the American Society of Poetry as the most significant poem of 1919.

Before the reading he gave a brief outline of the historical background of the epic, the time of which was the 19th century up to 1890. Following the epic he read four of his lyrics at the request of his audience.

The reading was arranged by the Neihardt clubs of Wayne and Omaha. A number of engagements for Mr. Neihardt have been arranged for these clubs in the state. He will speak at Pender next Wednesday and at Wayne next Thursday.

Two Hurt in Plane Crash

Los Angeles, June 12.—William F. Mackay, editor of the Suburban Citizen at Miramonte, near here, and Bell Valentine, pilot, were seriously injured yesterday when an airplane in which they were riding fell at Bell Station, another suburb, Hugh Bingham, also an occupant of the plane, escaped with slight injuries. The airplane collided with a telephone pole.

Resignation of Peru Normal Head Demanded

Lincoln, June 12.—(Special).—E. E. Good, a banker of Peru and member of the state legislature, with a dozen citizens appeared before the

state normal board here today and demanded the resignation of A. L. Cavaness, president of the Peru State Normal school.

The following charges were placed against the head of the institution by 150 residents of Peru:

That for the first time in the history of the college it is necessary to put an armed guard on duty at night

Motorman Stabbed to Death After Argument on Car

Richmond, Va., June 12.—A motorman of the Virginia Railway and Power company was stabbed to death late yesterday by a crowd of negroes with whom he had an argument on his car in South Richmond. When threatened by the negroes, he leaped

from his car into a passing automobile, the driver of which sped away. The negroes pursued the automobile, overtook it and stabbed the white man to death. Four arrests have been made.

Spinach cooked, chopped, seasoned and molded is extremely wholesome served with an egg sauce.

THE BRANDEIS STORE

Tuesday—A Special Selling of Summer Frocks

Made in Clever Street Styles of Imported Gingham

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Ginghams are the mainstay of the summer wardrobe. There's scarcely a daytime summer affair for which a gingham frock isn't very attractive. In this low priced offering there are more than 20 chic styles, all made of imported gingham in most any sort of a check or color.

The designers have skillfully combined organdie or linen in the trimming features while some of them show a picturesque bit of embroidery.

Sizes for Women and Misses
Second Floor—West

5 O'clock Closing
Beginning Monday, June 12, and continuing until Monday, September 4, this store will close at 5 p. m., except on Saturday, when the regular closing hour of 6 will be maintained.

Wonderful Specials for Tuesday Selling on our Third Floor

Women's Boudoir Slippers 1.00 pr.
Of Gray and Fawn Buck

Women's Union Suits 1.00
Kayser, Munzing and Springtex Makes

These slippers are cushioned, with felt linings in old rose, orchid, silver gray and copenhagen.
Third Floor—East

All styles, loose or tight knee, bodice and regulation top in white or flesh. Regular and extra sizes.
Third Floor—Center

Summer Wash Goods Specials

5,000 Yards of Wash Goods Remnants—Muslins, percales, gingham and many other similar materials that have accumulated from weeks of selling. Tuesday special, per yard.

White Organdie—A good domestic quality sheer and crisp. 40 inches wide. special, per yard. 48c

Silk and Cotton Mixed Wash Fabrics—Attractive new patterns in many colors, 2 to 5-yard lengths. Tuesday, while 3,000 yards last. 39c

Genuine Windsor Please Crepe—Pretty patterns on white and tinted grounds. So desirable for underwear because it requires no ironing. Regularly 48c a yard, special, 35c

Basement—North.

9x12 Room Size Grass Rugs 5.95



A tasteful, cool floor covering for the summer living room, dining room, bedroom or the summer cottage. These rugs are woven in one piece and stenciled in attractive Chinese border designs. Green, blue-or tan color schemes. Worth 9.50 to 12.50; specially priced for Tuesday 5.95

Sixth Floor—West

Silks for the White Season

White is always acknowledged for its good taste, and it also carries the stamp of Fashion's approval this season. Here are white silk specials for Tuesday:

White Sport Silk
An imitation of baronet satin. A very serviceable mercerized satin for sport skirts. 36 inches wide, specially priced—Per Yard 98c

White Silk Brocade
An all silk fabric with a brocade pattern on a rich dull background, finished to resemble cashmere. A washable quality with woven pattern makes this silk very serviceable for a sport skirt or dress. This is an imported silk that we originally sold as high as 4.50. 36 inches wide. Per Yard 2.95

White Art Silk
Good selections of plaids and blocks in that lovely art silk for summer skirts which launders so well. 36 inches wide. Per Yard 1.59 1.79 1.98

Main Floor—Center

Tuesday Specials in Notions

Wick Rack Braided—By the yard, special 2c

Snap Fasteners—Rust proof, 3 cards for 10c

Rubber Pants for Babies—All sizes, natural colors. Special 35c

Collar Bands—For men's shirts, regularly 10c, special 5c

Marcel Waving Irons for 10c

Domestic Twill Tape—4-yard bolts, per bolt 10c

Singer Machine Oil—Regularly 15c bottle, for 10c

Dreammaker's Pins—4-pound boxes, special 25c

Seal Tight Mesh Proof Garment Bags for 35c

Rubberized Kitchen Aprons—Small checks or plaids, special 39c

Foot Form Stocking Darners—Special, 2 for 25c

King's Sewing Thread—200 yard spool, regularly 10c, special 5c

J. & P. Coats Mercerized Darning Cotton—4-ply, 75-yard spools, special 10c

Star Trouser and Skirt Hangers—Special each 5c

Invisible Hair Pins—50 pins to the cube, special 2 for 5c

Safety Pins—3 sizes. A 10c card for 3c

Imported String Shopping Bags—Special 15c

Velvet Grip Sew-On Supporters—Regularly 25c, special, per pair 19c

Main Floor—South

Bandeaux and Brassieres

A large assortment in flesh color, made of novelty cloth or plain mesh, with and without elastic inserts in back. Also white muslin brassieres, lace and embroidery trimmed with reinforced under arm; in front opening only. 49c

Sizes 34-44. Priced at

Sport Corsets 1.50

Of pink broche with all elastic top, medium long skirt, free hip summer weight. Sizes 22-30.
Third Floor—North.

Infants Cotton Shirts and Vests 25c



Light weight and fine knit in button front style with long or half sleeves. Special, 25c

Infants' Half Hose—Fine ribbed socks in pink, blue and a large assortment of Roman striped tops. Sizes 4-6 1/2. 29c

Baby's Fine Organdy Bonnets—Allover embroidery, plain tucked or lace trimmed trim, each with a bit of pink or blue ribbon. Special, 39c

Third Floor—East.

Art Gifts at 1/2 Price

Only One or Two of a Kind

A collection of odd pieces, including book ends, candle sticks, desk sets, bowls, glass and pottery vases. All reduced to 1/2 price for immediate selling. There is many a real "find" in this group.

Needle Books and Small Sewing Boxes—All contain needles, many have thread and thimble as well. 35c and 50c values, specially priced in this selling, choice. 25c

Mahogany Finished Boudoir Lamps—Complete with cord and plug. Special for Tuesday, priced, 1.75

Imported Perfume Burners—A delightful boudoir luxury. Burn your favorite perfume by electricity. Novel designs all wired with bulb included. Each 6.00 to 30.00

Third Floor—Center.

Women's Silk Sport Hose 1.00

Drop stitch lace effects and plain silk hose in brown, navy and white. All sizes. All first quality, regular 1.25 to 1.75 value.

Tuesday, Per Pair, 1.00

Main Floor—North

THE BRANDEIS STORE

An Introduction

In Store for the Women and Misses of Omaha

The Sunbeam Dainty Day Dresses and Apron Frocks Ready to Smile on You!

The garment that transforms the sordid "everyday" home costume into a creation of winsomeness and chic.

We obtained this frock after months of diligent search for a daytime dress that would fill the requirements of Omaha's tasteful women and misses; one that would be beautiful and serviceable, and yet one we could offer at a price within easy reach.

We found the "Sunbeam"

An ample reward for our months of searching; and Omaha women will find this captivating frock a delightful compensation for the long months they have been obliged to wear unattractive "house dresses" or resort to the fleeting beauty of the fragile summer frock.

Read Wednesday Papers—
—for a full description of lovely materials, bewitching styles, careful workmanship, fit, quality, and—better than anything else

The Price—
For these dresses are to be sold at a figure actually below the price women have been paying for the homely style and quality which have survived the era of "House Dresses."

On Thursday we will hold our Opening Sale of Sunbeam Dainty Day Dresses and Apron Frocks, and we are prepared with an unusual number of these garments. Omaha women will find them surpassing anything that has ever been offered in this line.

J. L. BRANDEIS & SONS.