

Emery Loses Job on Police Motor Squad

Former Head of Division Reduced to Patrolman After Hearing on Misconduct Charge.

Sergeant George Emery, head of the police motor division, including pillbox officers and motor patrols, was reduced to patrolman, Saturday, by Inspector Jack Pzanoswski. He has been assigned to a pillbox with hours from 11 p. m. to 7 a. m. Charges are "no control of men" and conduct unbecoming an officer. He has been a sergeant for 10 years. Demotion was made following an investigation of an incident that occurred early last Sunday morning. At 2:35 that morning, Motorcycle Officers Gaines and Cleghorn arrested A. G. Anderson, 3045 Stone avenue, and Willard Thomas, 3315 South Twenty-second street, on charges of speeding and breaking glass in the street. With them were two girls, Gladys Owens, 118 South Twenty-ninth street, and Alice Nelson.

Police Sergeant Who Must Now Walk Beat



Former Head of Police Morals Squad Missing



George Summitt, former policeman and head of the morals squad, has disappeared from Omaha. He lived in the Clowry Court apartment, Seventeenth and Chicago streets. He was not seen there after Wednesday.

When the girls were discharged from the police station, Emery and Cleghorn volunteered to take them home and left the station in an automobile with them, another man driving. On Monday the girls are said to have complained of the conduct of their escorts but when called in again before Commissioner Dunn, Chief of Police Van Dusen and Inspector Pzanoswski they stated the officers "acted like gentlemen."

Fail to Appear.

The arresting officers, however, failed to appear against the two arrested men in police court and they were discharged.

During the hearing before Dunn, Cleghorn admitted that they took the two girls home. He said Emery sat in the front seat when they started, with one girl, and he in the back seat with the other. Emery, he said, changed seats on the way. Cleghorn is still under investigation.

Clyde Gaines has been made acting sergeant in Emery's place. Emery has been on the police force since 1908, and is one of the best-known officers in the department.

Verdict Pleases Wife of Stokes

Woman in Case Jubilant Over Clearing of Name From Mate's Charges.

By BERLIN MOORE TAYLOR, International News Service Special Correspondent.

Chicago, March 14.—Despite the fact of the acquittal by a jury of W. E. D. Stokes, millionaire New York hotel man, on a charge of conspiracy to defame his wife, Helen Ellwood Stokes, she was as jubilant today as her husband of the fact that he will not have to go to jail.

Mrs. Stokes, feeling in the matter is ascribed partly to the fact even during the heated atmosphere of the trial Stokes' attorneys declared they did not really believe that Mrs. Stokes was the "red-headed Helen" named in the suit.

Acquitted in 61 Minutes.

Stokes was acquitted in 61 minutes by a jury of having conspired to defame his wife and to drag her name through the flesh pots of Chicago's old underworld.

Robert F. Lee, negro, investigator, hired by Stokes to carry on what the state said was a flimsy design, and what the defense called a goose chase, also was freed.

When the verdict had been read there ensued a scene of merrymaking such as this 72-year-old millionaire probably hadn't seen since the days when he was "head kicker" at Yale.

The spectators broke into a furor of handclapping because this old man—"this foolish old man"—did not have to go to jail.

Stokes Thanks Jurors.

And Stokes belied his 72 years by leaping to his feet and running over to the jury box to shake the hand of each juror.

"Justice has been done," he said. He smiled and the jurors smiled back, just as glad as he was to shake hands.

Stokes also thanked the judge, leaning over the railing to do so. Lee was not in court at the time.

Mrs. Stokes was not in court, either.

Stokes was speeding toward his home in New York today.

BANK CLEARINGS AHEAD OF 1924

Omaha bank clearings for the week ending Saturday noon were \$3,000,000 more than for the same week a year ago, according to the Omaha Clearing House association. The figures for the week ending Saturday were lower than the week ending March 7. This is due to the March 1 transactions.

Bank clearings ending Saturday noon were \$49,736,297. The same week a year ago was \$41,531,923. According to Bradstreet, Omaha ranked 21st Saturday of the cities of the country in bank clearings.

ROYAL NEIGHBORS STATE MEET HERE

The state convention of the Royal Neighbors will be held in Hotel Rome next Tuesday and Wednesday when 600 delegates are expected. Frances Turkelson, state orator, will preside. The annual banquet will be Wednesday night at the Rome.

Fire Kills Two.

Milford, Conn., March 14.—Fire that started from the explosion of an oil lamp in a Myrtle Beach bungalow today burned to death Mrs. Cordelia Jones, 56, and her son, George, 21. Stanley Jones, 14, is expected to die.

STUDY OF CHILD HEALTH STRESSED

"The average life today is 25 years longer than in the time of George Washington, and it will become longer."

So declared Dr. Ray Lyman Wilbur, president of Stanford university, in his talk on "Saving the Public Health," given at Technical High school Friday evening under auspices of the Omaha-Douglas County Medical society.

Dr. Wilbur stressed the point that child health is the greatest potential asset of the country, labeling "everything else purely secondary." "There is considerable advancement in methods of aiding child health," he said, "but there is a long way to go yet. In this endeavor we have been most successful in efforts to control microscopic enemies which weaken organs of the body without proving fatal."

DELINQUENT BOY IS BIG PROBLEM

"If you play golf on Sunday morning you have no right to expect that your boy will go to Sunday school," W. J. Kirkbride of Lincoln told members of the Continental club at Friday luncheon at Hotel Fontenelle.

"We must have a constructive program for our boys," he added, "and this program must connect up with the home, school and church. Dad's boy is entitled to some of his father's time no matter how much business he has."

"We need boys that are fit for our girls to associate with. I do not agree with those who contend that the boys today are worse than years ago. We must remember there are more boys today in this country and there are more temptations and more laws."

EGGE BACK FROM COAL FIELD TOUR

Carl E. Egge, superintendent of air mail, returned Saturday morning from in the eastern division. Egge stopped in Washington and New York and with Assistant Superintendent Paul Henderson took a motor trip through the hard coal region of Pennsylvania. The trip through the coal region was to select places for beacon lights for lighting the eastern route for night flying, said Mr. Egge. While in New York, Superintendent Egge with other officials of the air mail, made inspection of new planes. No report from the committee has been made as to result of the inspection.

YOUTH GIVES UP AUTO FOR WEEK

Donald Deeds, 16, 2024 Farnam street, chose to quit driving his car for a week rather than spend a week in Riverview home, when District Judge Day asked him to choose which punishment he preferred. Donald was arraigned for speeding.

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PEOPLE came from near and far to attend this great underprising furniture event Saturday. When the doors opened throngs of shoppers were on hand to share in the superb values that were offered.

A GAIN Monday—for those who could not attend the sale the opening day, we have replenished our stocks from our big 5-story warehouse, and offer hundreds of additional bargains. Early attendance is greatly advised.

Items at \$25 \$1 down \$2 monthly

Walnut Veneer Dresser
Splendidly built with spacious drawers, medium sized French plate mirrors. Beautiful design, and an excellent value priced Monday at..... \$25
\$1 Down—\$2 Monthly

Semi-Vanity
A very dainty style with one large plate mirror in place of three as shown. Well constructed. Exceedingly low priced Monday. Walnut finish..... \$25
\$1 Down—\$2 Monthly

Upholstered Velour Chairs
Several odd chairs left over from Living Room Suites, full-spring construction, removable cushions, worth double the price, will go Monday at..... \$25
\$1 Down—\$2 Monthly

Refrigerator
Family size, will hold ice for 48 hours. Finished in gold oak, equipped with nickel-plated lever locks and hinges, non-rustible shelves and white enamel interiors..... \$25
\$1 Down—\$2 Monthly

6 Odd Extension Tables
48 and 54-inch sizes, beautifully finished in genuine walnut veneer. You'll have to shop early to get one as they'll sell quickly at the extreme low price of..... \$25
\$1 Down—\$2 Monthly

Seamless Velvet Rugs
In all-over, medallion floral and oriental patterns. A value that defies all competition. If you need a good wearing rug, don't fail to see this at..... \$25
\$1 Down—\$2 Monthly

Items at \$39 \$2 down \$3 monthly

"Simmons" Deluxe Bed Outfit
Consists of a genuine "Simmons" Bed, with 2-inch posts and 1-inch filler, "Simmons" link fabric spring, with 5-inch riser and heavy banded edge, also a 55-lb. "Simmons" Mattress, with heavy roll edge border, all for..... \$39
\$2 Down—\$3 Monthly

Walnut Finish Chiffrobes
French plate mirror, large and roomy, with spacious compartment for clothing, and four drawers. It is well constructed and priced low priced at..... \$39
\$2 Down—\$3 Monthly

Complete Kitchen Outfit
Consists of a 3-burner Gas Stove, with guaranteed baking oven, a white enamel, first quality Porcelain Top Table, 2 Kitchen Chairs and a room-sized Rug, priced complete Monday at..... \$39
\$2 Down—\$3 Monthly

9x12 Seamless Axminster Rugs
A very good quality rug in any pleasing pattern. Don't fail to see these rugs Monday. Priced only..... \$39
\$2 Down—\$3 Monthly

Gas Stove \$39
Noted for its perfect baking oven and its 4 powerful gas-saving burners. Finished in baked Japan enamel with white enamel oven and broiler door. Pay No Money Down. Just \$4 Monthly Fuel Line Free Up to 33 Feet. No Connection Charge \$10 allowed for your Old Stove.

Buy Now! Take 18 Months to Pay! No Interest Charged!

Basement Bargains

3-Pc. Console Set
Dainty blue or olive color. Set consists of a large 10-inch built bowl and two 8-inch candlesticks. Makes a beautiful buffet decoration. Priced Monday at..... \$1.09

Steel Medicine Cabinet \$1.09
12x14 1/2 size with a 7 1/2x9 1/2-in. clear mirror. A well made cabinet, priced low at \$1.09.

Bread and Cake Boxes 95c
Finished in white enamel, near gold trimmings. Size 16 1/2x10 1/2. Made of metal. Excellent value.

4-Piece Pantry Set
as illustrated. Beautiful blue and gray finish metal containing for tea, coffee, sugar and flour; well made, priced Monday at..... 48c

Items at \$119 \$8 down \$6 monthly

2-Piece Mohair Suite
with loose cushions, spring construction, and upholstered in genuine mohair in a beautiful walnut color with rose background. Consists of a full sized Davenport and a very restful chair. Priced Monday at..... \$119
\$8 Down—\$6 Monthly—No Interest

8-Piece Dining Suite
Very high grade quality. Tudor design suite, finished in dull walnut, all hand rubbed. Consists of Extension Table, Buffet, Host Chair and 6 Diners with slip seats. Excellent value, priced special for this event..... \$119
\$8 Down—\$6 Monthly—No Interest

2-Piece Velour Suite
Great, comfortable Davenport and Easy Chair; splendid construction; braced and corners clocked to prevent loosening; Queen Anne feet in dark mahogany finish. Upholstered in a beautiful velour. Priced for the two pieces Monday..... \$119
\$8 Down—\$6 Monthly—No Interest

3-Piece Bedroom Suite
Extremely well-constructed and finished in walnut. A really beautiful suite, consisting of a Chiffrobe, bow-foot Bed and a Vanity with splendid mirrors. Complete suite priced for Monday's selling at the extreme low price of..... \$119
\$8 Down—\$6 Monthly—No Interest

"Lloyd" Fiber Suite
Complete 4-piece suite, in frosted chocolate, gold finish. Suite is made of the famous "Lloyd" woven fiber, with spring cushions, covered in a good grade of cretonne. Truly a beautiful and serviceable suite, priced at..... \$119
\$8 Down—\$6 Monthly—No Interest

Cedar Chests \$10.98

Genuine aromatic Tennessee red cedar, moth proof, microproof and dustproof. Protect your expensive garments. This is a tremendous value at the exceedingly low price of \$10.98. \$1 Down—\$2 Monthly

26 Piece Silveroid Set Monday 89c

Guaranteed not to rust or tarnish, beautiful pattern, a serviceable set for all occasions. One of the many values offered Monday at..... 89c

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