

### Fourth of July Programs Varied

#### Omaha Parks Cater to Holiday Crowds; Fireworks at Fontenelle.

Besides the big annual Fourth of July celebration at Fontenelle park, Omahans are offered various sports and amusements during the day Friday.

The polo game at the Ak-Sar-Ben field is one of the feature events of the day. The Ak-Sar-Ben squad meets the fourteenth cavalry team from Des Moines at 3:30.

Baseball fans are offered four amateur games, to be played in two double-headers, one at Fontenelle park in connection with the celebration there, and the other at League park.

The country clubs are having special Fourth of July golf competitions among the members. Amusement parks, too, are offering special entertainments.

The qualifying foursomes in the municipal golf tournament start at Elmwood park at Friday morning. They will be playing all day. The usual opportunities for picnicking at Elmwood park will be taken advantage of by large numbers, it is expected.

Prizes ranging from a kiddie car for children to a ton of coal for adults participating in the 100 athletic events at Fontenelle park have been provided by the arrangement committee of the Fontenelle Park Celebration association. Amateur athletic events will be staged from 1 to 6 in the afternoon.

Two band concerts will be given during the day, one from 2 to 4 in the afternoon and the other from 6 to 9 in the evening. Those not desiring to participate in sport events may watch three ball games during the day. One will start at 10 a. m., while a double-header will be staged at 1:30 p. m., between the Brotherhood of Railway Clerks No. 3 and the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy team and the Sam Elias and Schneider Electrics.

At noon Spanish-American war veterans, assisted by the fire and drum corps, will raise the flag. Bombs will be discharged in midair. D. Burr Jones will make a patriotic speech.

Ballard Dunn, editor-in-chief of The Omaha Bee, will deliver the address of the day from the speaker's stand at 6:30.

Fifty men with police stars will be on hand to handle parking of cars. Free coffee will be served during the day. Joseph Hummel, park commissioner, has prepared adequate tables and chairs for luncheon parties.

Charles M. Leland, world's champion horseshoe pitcher, will conduct a horseshoe pitching contest at 2:30 in the afternoon.

### "Semaphore" Dudley Finds Himself Behind Bars at Central Station

Refusing to get his liberty on a \$25 bond, former Police Sergeant J. J. (Semaphore) Dudley is in the city jail on the charge of disturbing the peace. He was arrested in the federal building Thursday morning after a mixup following the sentencing of Elmer McNally to two years on a bootlegging charge by Federal Judge McGee.

Dudley and the officers who arrested him tell stories about the fray which hardly resemble each other. Dudley asserts that after the sentencing of McNally he said to him as he was going out: "Goodby, Elmer; Mr. Dennison is waiting to see you."

According to Dudley's story McNally waved back at him, and then Officer Joe Potach, who had been watching the whole affair, sent Heine Bosen, a member of the squad, over to Dudley. Bosen then attacked him, and the fight started, followed by the arrest, Dudley said.

When Dudley appeared at central police station his collar was twisted and his tie disarranged. A bond of \$25 was placed on him, but when the money arrived he refused to take it.

"This is the work of the 'gang.' I won't take the bond—I'll face the charges," he exclaimed.

The officers who were witnesses to the scene say that Dudley was making remarks about the police, ridiculing the force and antagonizing the officers.

According to the officers' story, what Dudley said when McNally left the room was "Goodby; that's the end of the 'gang.'"

Dudley served for years as traffic officer at Sixteenth and Farnam streets, where he became widely known as the "human semaphore" because of his wild gesticulations. Dudley was released a little later on a \$25 bond, furnished by I. Rosenberg, proprietor of a small hotel across from central station.

"I know what they're sore at me about," said Dudley. "For three weeks I closed down the joint, and I know orders have been issued to get me."

### MUSSOLINI MAY ATTEND LEAGUE

Geneva, Switzerland, July 3.—Representatives of the Italian government here, have been asked to reserve apartments in Geneva in September for Premier Mussolini. It is announced semi-officially that the Italian premier will attend the September meeting of the league of nations assembly at the same time as Prime Minister MacDonald of Great Britain and Premier Herriot of France.

### POWER COMPANY SUED FOR DEATH

Clara Nelson, 823 Park avenue, has sued the Nebraska Power company for \$50,000 in district court for the death of her son, Henry, who was killed June 15 when he attempted to move a wire, blown down in the storm.

She alleges the wire carried 2,300 volts and that it was illegally placed across the yard of the Park avenue dwelling.

### DAHLMAN, DUNN BACK ON FRIDAY

Mayor Dahlman and Police Commissioner Henry Dunn will arrive in Omaha this morning, after a trip to Chicago and "unknown parts."

There has been much speculation as to where they went and whether they are looking for a new chief of police. They left Omaha Saturday.

### South Omaha Brevities

Brewer Ambulance Service, Phone MA. 1234.

### Destitute Babes Must Have Help

#### Thousands of Dollars Spent for Fireworks; Infants Suffering.

Thousands of dollars will go up in smoke and powder on the Fourth. Even while it goes, babies and small children will be suffering in poverty-stricken homes for want of milk.

Most persons do not realize the wretchedness of these helpless infants. If they did, they would rush in with their contributions to the Free Milk and Ice fund.

Every cent goes to buy milk and ice for babies in destitute homes where lone mothers battle poverty and try to get the necessities for their little ones.

A check or cash sent to this fund will be a satisfaction to the giver as well as a life-saver to some tiny child.

If you can help, do it now, for the need is very great.

Previously acknowledged	\$92.50
Mrs. E. M. Goodwin, Plattsmouth, Neb.	2.00
S. W. McClure	2.00
Mrs. Winifred E. Murley, Alvo, Neb.	2.00
Fritz H. Siemens, Wisner, Neb.	3.00
Total	\$102.00

### NEBRASKAN KILLED IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Lusk, Wyo., July 3.—Ray Yates, son of Henry Yates of Lincoln, Neb., was killed here yesterday morning in driving from California to Nebraska.

### Pig Born With Two Heads

Callaway, Neb., July 3.—Grover Cooper, a farmer residing east of Callaway, is exhibiting a pig with two heads, but only one pair of ears.

### Bogus Southern Delegate Caught

#### Man Bearing False Credentials Discovered in Georgia Delegation.

Madison Square Garden, July 3.—A man who said he was B. H. Sullivan of Atlanta, Ga., who has been sitting in the Georgia delegation with the badge and credentials of Miller Bell of Milledgeville, Ga., was questioned at length today by the sergeant-at-arms of the convention.

Sullivan's activities on the floor were so much more marked than those of others that he was taken in for examination. It developed that he had no official standing in the convention. He explained that he was "working for McAdoo."

After officials had talked at length with Sullivan he was permitted to return to the Georgia delegation as a guest, but was warned against interfering with the voting. He said that he had not done so to date.

Rumors were circulated during the day that delegates were being enticed away from their seats and dummies were representing them, but nothing was found to confirm them.

### DAIRY BUREAU CHIEF NAMED

Washington, July 3.—Appointment of Dr. C. W. Larson as chief of the new bureau of dairying of the Department of Agriculture, created under an act of the last session of congress, was announced today by Secretary Wallace. Dr. Larson since 1921 had been chief of the dairy division of the department's bureau of animal industry, the work of which has been transferred to the new bureau.

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## OAKFORD MUSIC CO.

419 South 16th St., Omaha, Neb.



**How Our Free Piano Classes Will Be Conducted**

We believe in "Music for Every Child" and in "Music in Every Home." We believe there are hundreds of children in our city who could develop musical skill if given a chance.

We realize that parents would be glad to spend money for music lessons for their children if they had some assurance that the children would develop musical skill; but money for such purposes is not always easy to spare, and we do not blame fathers and mothers for hesitating when the result is uncertain.

We should like to give every child his chance in music. We should like to make it possible for parents to know whether their children have musical ability before spending money either for pianos or for lessons.

We are going to offer piano lessons absolutely free to as many children as we can accommodate. Any child between the ages of eight and

fourteen who has not had piano lessons before may be enrolled by parent or guardian. You do not need to have a piano in your home to take advantage of this offer. You pay no money except a small enrollment fee and net cost of music text books and material which amounts to \$3.00, and the books and material is the child's to keep.

MISS BERNADINE GILMAN, who will have charge of the classes, is a normal graduate and has had special training in "The Melody Way." She has had ten years of piano study, extra instruction in the University of Wisconsin School of Music and four years' experience teaching music in the public schools.

We love music—that's why we are in the music business. We want to see more music in more homes, because music, the Nobles of Arts, has a wonderful influence for good in every community.

### HOW TO ENROLL

Our Free Piano Classes are open to any child between the ages of eight and fourteen who has never had piano lessons.

To enroll, the child must be accompanied by parent or guardian, and must call at our store any afternoon between two and five o'clock the week of July 7th to 12th, inclusive.

An enrollment fee of \$1.00 will be charged, also \$2.00 for music and materials which become the child's property. There is no other charge, the lessons being absolutely free.

You are under no obligation of any kind to us. However, when you do buy a piano we should like to have you give us an opportunity to show you the splendid selection of instruments at our store.

THE COURSE BEGINS JULY 14TH AND CONTINUES FOR SIX WEEKS, two lessons (one hour) each week throughout the course.

At the time of enrolling, your child will be assigned to a class which will meet on a certain day and hour. The child will be expected to report promptly and regularly at that time. PUNCTUALITY and REGULARITY are IMPORTANT, for every minute is fully occupied by "The Melody Way."

Now you know why we are starting this free piano school. There is only a limited space at our disposal, so we shall be obliged to limit the classes to those who enroll first. Sincerely yours,

**S. S. OAKFORD, Pres. OAKFORD MUSIC CO.**

Call for Full Information at 419 South 16th Street, Omaha

### 'GAS' PRICE MORE STABLE HERE NOW

The price of gasoline in Omaha should remain the same for some time, according to Commissioner John Hopkins, who is operating the "Muney" filling station at Sixteenth and Izard streets, now selling at 13 cents.

The price at the refineries is back to about 9 cents, after being from 9 1/2 to 10 cents early this week and last week. As long as it does not go over 10 cents there is no excuse for a rise in retail price, said Hopkins.

## STYLE WITHOUT EXTRAVAGANCE HERZBERGS 1519 1521 DOUGLAS ST

Starting Saturday Morning, July 5th

# Our Annual July Clearaway

That great stock reductions period when all thoughts of profits are ignored. A time when the most extraordinary values of the year are to be enjoyed.

### Extraordinary Clearance Specials in "Babyland"

Mezzanine Floor

## Creepers, Rompers, Oliver Twist Suits

6 Months—1, 2, 3 Years \$1.45

You'll wonder how such values are possible. Here are the daintiest little tops in colors and white, hand-embroidered.

Values to \$3.45

Supply the baby's needs Saturday, as such offerings are rare even in Herzbergs Babyland.

### Feature Offer From Beauty Parlor

## Permanent Waving.

35 Curls for \$25  
Over 35 Curls—\$1 Per Curl.  
Experienced Operators Only.

Seventh Floor

### Clearance of White and Straw Hats

Values to \$15.

# \$5

We Urge Early Selection Saturday

The very choicest of mid-summer hats that sold regularly to \$15. Small hats, large hats. Hats in every new shape.

White Felts Straus Leghorns  
Silks Combinations Crepes  
Failles Taffetas

Third Floor

### Boys' Spring Overcoats

25% to 50% Off

Ages 1, 2, 3, 4 Years

Choose from camels hair cloth, polo cloth, tweeds and covers. Jauntiest of styles. Coats that are ideal for fall wear.

This is our first clearance in Babyland and we are offering values that will establish a record.

### Little Girls' Dresses

Ages 2, 3, 4 Years

Both pantie and bloom-er styles, made from pongee, voiles, crepes, gingham, kindergarten cloth, all colors, plain and fancy. Hand-smocked and embroidered.

# 1/3 off

Baby Bonnets

Bonnets of organdie and the smartest little caps. All sizes, all dainty colors. The values are most extreme.

\$1.45

### 2-Hour Sale—9 to 11 o'clock—Saturday

## 200 Hats \$1.00

Smart hats, in all stripes, all colors. They are values so unusual that we doubt if the lot will last over a few minutes. Come early.

Third Floor

## July Clearance in "Girlie Nook"

The mother of every girl within a buying radius of this store will find an irresistible appeal in the offerings of this wonderful sale in Girlie Nook. The new and wanted wearables for the daughter have been drastically reduced for immediate clearance.

### 500 Girls' Cotton Dresses

Sizes 6 to 14

Including voiles, Normandy voiles, gingham, linens, tissues, French gingham. The last word in smart styles.

### 80 Girls' Coats

Coats, capes and capecoats, plain and novelty materials, splendidly made. Sizes 3 to 14 years.

### All Girls' Headwear

Beautiful little hats in straws, silks and combinations, all colors. Sizes 3 to 14 years. Choice at half price.

### Girls' Silk Dresses

### Girls' Tub Dresses

### Girls' Sweaters

### Girls' Coats

Hundreds of other garments not included in the special Half Price lots are offered for clearance at One-Third off our already low prices.

# 1/2 PRICE

# 1/3 off