

THOUGHT IT APRIL FOOL JOKE

Solicitors for Tornado Funds Did Not Understand Arrest.

SAY THEY WERE MALTREATED

Assert that Officer Struck One of Them on the Jaw, but Evidence is Confused by Contradicting Witnesses.

"Keep your mouth shut," was Detective Dan Lahey's reply to Jerald Rosenthal, after Rosenthal and two others had been arrested by officers as they solicited funds for tornado sufferers, according to three witnesses testifying before the city council sitting as a fire and police board to hear the charges that Lahey struck Rosenthal without provocation, and that Detective M. J. Sullivan was a party to the assault.

Sullivan, Lahey, James W. Kennedy and Leroy Wade said Lahey never struck Rosenthal, nor did he even use vile language in his presence, but when Lahey asked him politely who he was and what he was doing, Jerald got excited and said, "It's none of your business."

Omaha Shippers Are Against Rate Raise by Eastern Roads

Omaha shippers are much interested in the efforts of the three eastern railroads to get consent of the Interstate Commerce commission to raise their rates 5 per cent or freight. They will use whatever influence they possess to fight the move.

William L. Burke to Be Tried for Killing of Forbes Robertson

William L. Burke, saloon keeper, the second member of his family to be tried within a few months on a charge of killing a man, will face a jury in district court next Monday.

Aged Couple Sue Son to Regain Title to a Property Bought

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kastner, an aged couple, are suing their son, Louis Kastner, in district court to recover title to a cottage and lot which they allege they paid for with the understanding that the son was to support them as long as they lived.

MURRAY SAYS THE EAST IS WATCHING NEBRASKA

W. H. Murray, assistant general passenger agent of the Union Pacific, is back from nearly a month spent at the company's general agencies in the east.

NEBRASKA RETAILERS GO TO NATIONAL CONVENTION

Representatives of the Nebraska Retailers' association will go to the national gathering of retailers in St. Louis, May 12, 13 and 14 and extend an invitation to the organization to hold its next convention in Omaha.

YOUTH STEALS WHEEL IN ORDER TO RAISE MONEY

Frank Miller, a 17-year-old youth of Franklinton, Wis., was arrested in Council Bluffs Sunday evening while trying to sell a bicycle which he had stolen from Clyde Spence, 114 Pierce street, Sunday morning.

HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS SELLING TICKETS FOR PLAY

The ticket selling committee for the senior play at the high school has been appointed. Exchangeable tickets will be sold to be exchanged for reserved seats at the Brandeis theater any time after May 15.

Associated Ad Men Convene in Omaha Next Week Tuesday

About 100 northwestern division delegates of the Associated Advertising clubs of America from Nebraska, Iowa, Minnesota and the Dakotas will assemble in Omaha May 20. An interesting program has been arranged and besides the delegates a number of guests are also expected.

TUESDAY MORNING, MAY 20. Registration at Paxton hotel. Address of welcome on behalf of city, Mayor J. C. Bahlman.

Address of welcome on behalf of state, Lieutenant Governor S. R. McKelvie. Address of welcome on behalf of Omaha Ad club, Robert H. Manley.

Response and address, Allen D. Albert, Minneapolis, president of the northwestern division of ad clubs. Appointment of committees.

Round table discussion to follow. "How to Eliminate the 30 per cent Waste in the Retailer's Advertising Apportionment," A. G. Newbell, Des Moines, Ia.

Round table discussion to follow. "Letters that Bring Business," Charles E. Duffie, advertising manager of M. E. Smith & Co.

Round table discussion to follow. "Painted Ads that Pull," Ballard Dunn, Chicago. The Thomas Cusack company.

Round table discussion to follow. "Auto ride through tornado district," "The Rebuilding of Omaha."

Evening dinner and cabaret show at Field club. WEDNESDAY MORNING.

Address of welcome on behalf of city, Mayor J. C. Bahlman. Round table discussion.

Round table discussion to follow. "Unfinished business. Report of committees. Election of officers.

Ball game, Bourke park. That's all.

CROPS ARE RATED PERFECT

Railroad Reports Show a Remarkable Condition. CONSIDERABLE CORN PLANTED

Average of Oats is Large—Conditions in Colorado and Wyoming Are Said to Be the Best in Many Years.

The Burlington's crop report for the week ending last Saturday, compiled by General Superintendent Allen from reports sent to him by agents and farmers along the lines in Nebraska, is more optimistic than any of those of the past.

One week ago he predicted a bumper crop of winter wheat and placed the condition at that time at 100 per cent. In his report of last Saturday, Superintendent Allen says with reference to Nebraska wheat:

"Winter wheat continued during the week to do exceedingly well and the crop generally is in the best condition that it has been for many years. Estimates made by our agents indicate the average condition of the growing cereal:

"Omaha division, 100 per cent." "Lincoln division, 100 per cent." "Wymore division, 100 per cent." "McCook division, 101 per cent."

Far Above Average. "Agents making these estimates have a maximum crop in mind, I think, rather than an average crop and I will believe, as to the condition of winter wheat, it will be 115 to 120 per cent of an average crop."

Superintendent Allen in forming his estimate takes the ten-year average as a basis on which to figure, which, if he is correct, brings it up to 100 per cent, plus, or a perfect crop condition.

Referring to the spring grain, Superintendent Allen says that over the entire state, oats and wheat look well and promise a heavy crop. The average of oats is large, but spring wheat is light, although about the same as during former years.

There were copious rains over all of the state last week, somewhat delaying corn planting, but notwithstanding this, Superintendent Allen estimated that last Saturday 90 per cent of the corn in the eastern and southern and 80 per cent had been planted in other sections.

Good in West. Over the Colorado and Wyoming divisions of the Burlington, Superintendent Allen places the condition of winter wheat almost as good as in Nebraska, the soil being in perfect condition and the weather favorable for rapid growth.

The weekly report of the Northwestern, gathered by the agents of Nebraska and sent to Assistant General Freight Agent Jones, is as rosy as that of the Burlington. It is reported to be growing rapidly under the influence of the cool weather and the frequent and reasonable rains of the last two weeks.

In many of the fields the stalks have commenced to joint and within ten days the heads will begin to appear.

The great calamity in Omaha was quickly overshadowed by the terribly disastrous floods in Ohio. Great suffering and sickness from colds and exposure resulted, but the city's health and commerce were helped to alleviate.

L. P. Pooler, 221 California st., Omaha, writes: "My daughter had a severe cough and cold, but Pooley's Honey and Tar Compound knocked it out in no time. My wife would not keep house without it. We have used it for years, always with good results." For sale by all dealers everywhere.—Advertisement.

FREE—50c Bottle of Palm Olive Shampoo

Six Cakes of Palm Olive Toilet Soap

Regular price 15c a cake and a 50c bottle of Palm Olive Shampoo—during this sale, all for 49c

\$25,000 STOCK REDUCTION SALE

Drugs for Institutional and Family Use

"BILL PATAVKAPORIAN" AWAITING HIS HEARING

"Patavkaporian"—No, this is not the handle for a rare disease, nor the name of a Rhine wine, but is the family title of a man arrested Sunday evening on North Sixteenth street, whose first name is, commonly speaking, "Bill."

In police court when William was slated to appear before the magistrate, Fred Altheuser, city prosecutor, after going through a wonderful series of facial contortions, handed the complaint to Officer Chapman, who, after taking one glance at the slip, passed it on to Sergeant Glover, and he in turn carefully passed it before Judge Altstadt. William still awaits a hearing.

As an Ugly Gash should be covered with clean bandages saturated with Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Heals burns, wounds, sores, piles. 5c. For sale by Beaton Drug Co.—Advertisement.

This Is the New Cardinal Manager

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Coca-Cola advertisement featuring a man in a suit holding a glass of Coca-Cola. Text: "Before the game, after the game and between games—anytime he wants a genuine, satisfying, thirst-quencher, he says he puts in a glass of Coca-Cola for a pinch hit." Includes a bottle of Coca-Cola and the text "THE COCA-COLA COMPANY, Atlanta, Ga."

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Quality That Satisfies — Prices That Please. HAYDENS. You Can Save 15% to 50% On Millinery Here.

REMARKABLE VALUES IN TUB SILKS. 100 pieces of yard wide Tub Silks, made to sell at 89c to \$1.25 yard, white grounds with neat colored stripes, big assortment of choice weaves, the ideal summer silk. 68c and 88c

Wonderful Tailored Suit Bargains Tuesday. Over 500 Beautiful Suits, broken lots and samples, made to sell to \$35.00, including fine Serges, handsome Silk Suits, fancy mixtures and other fine Suitings, in a splendid assortment of clever designs, in all colors and sizes, greatest values ever, \$11.95 at

White Goods Specials. One table sheer white goods, assorted styles, new fabrics, worth up to 59c yard, 25c

Wash Goods Specials. New Silk Warp Ratines, in all the new shades of the \$1.00 quality, 85c

Domestic Room Specials. Cotton Challies, good patterns, 6c value, 4c

Special Flour Sale Tuesday, per sack, \$1. This flour is made from the finest selected wheat, nothing finer for bread, pies or cakes. We make this price as an inducement for every housewife in Omaha to give it a trial.

Try Hayden's First. The best tea siftings lb. at 10c. Golden Santos coffee, lb. at 85c

A little Bee want ad does the business. Everybody reads Bee want ads

English Walking Shoes for Women. That comfortable style so popular with the ladies, in low cut oxford for the summer girl. We have them in white Duck, Rubber Soles, \$3.50; or Russia Calf, Rubber Soles, \$4.50.

Drexel 1419 Farnam. "OF TRAVEL" The use of traveling is to regulate imagination by reality, and instead of thinking new things may be, to see them as they are.—Johnson

Sherman & McConnell's 4 Rexall Drug Stores. 16th and Dodge Streets. EVERY STORE IN A PROMINENT LOCATION—CARE STOP IN FRONT OF ALL OUR STORES.