

RETAILERS ENTER FIGHT FOR DEPOT

Association Endorses Campaign of The Bee and Will Put Shoulder to the Wheel

URGE OTHER BODIES TO HELP

The Associated Retailers of Omaha, in a meeting in the Commercial club rooms at noon, took up the fight The Bee is making for a new union station in Omaha, and called upon other organizations in the city to get into the fight at once.

A special committee consisting of Charles E. Black, George Brandeis and J. W. Metcalfe was appointed to confer with similar committees of other organizations of the city with regard to ways and means of bringing about the erection of a new union station.

Following is the text of the resolution:

"Whereas, At the monthly meeting in February, 1915, the Associated Retailers of Omaha went on record as favoring the building of a new union depot, and at that time Mayor Dahlman, Victor Rosewater of The Omaha Bee, General E. F. Test of the World-Herald, Byron Hastings, President of the Real Estate Exchange, Harry Wolfe, one of its members, also spoke favoring the proposition and:

"Whereas, The building of a new union station adequate to the need of the Greater Omaha, of today now is much more urgent than it was at that time, and the excuse of poor business and shortage of funds, cannot with truthfulness be advanced on the part of railway officials; therefore be it,

"Resolved, That the Associated Retailers of Omaha reiterate its demand for a new union depot such as Omaha deserves, and we call upon the Commercial club, the Real Estate Exchange, the Grain Exchange, the Manufacturers' association, the Builders' exchange, all improvement clubs and every other organization that believes in advancing Omaha's interests to get behind this movement, that has had the endorsement editorially of all our dailies and is at the present time being forcefully brought to the public's attention by The Omaha Bee; and, be it further,

"Resolved, That we suggest to the Commercial club, on account of the varied interests of its members, that it arrange a public meeting, having speakers from different city organizations address the gathering, thereby creating a public demand that cannot be hushed by 'future promises'; and, be it further,

"Resolved, That the Associated Retailers of Omaha go on record at this time as being unalterably opposed to any 'patchwork' such as would be the case were a 'subway' constructed between the two present insufficient and inconvenient structures."

Champion Eater of the World is Now a Resident of Omaha

If you operated a boarding house, how would you like to have this fellow for a tenant?

Abel Vensaver, a packing house employe, living at 2629 South Twenty-fifth, on a \$5 bet, drank twenty-four plates of beer and ate thirty-six hard-boiled eggs, a couple of loaves of bread, all within one hour and forty-five minutes.

Then he looked mournfully at a depleted pantry and said: "Hurry up and slip me the five bucks, I'm hungry."

Vensaver boards with T. Bernstein at the above address.

Sunday morning he awoke feeling poorly, and with scarcely no appetite at all. He ate six eggs, a loaf of bread, and topped it off with four stiff slugs of whiskey and four cups of coffee.

Bernstein nearly fainted when his lodger explained that an ordinary canary bird in good health had him beat for appetite that day.

The discussion which followed led up to the bet, and Vensaver was allowed four hours to pack away the food named in the agreement. Joe Sherman acted as stakeholder and referee.

Highwaymen Hold Up Man and Woman

Two armed bandits held up a man and woman with a few minutes at Seventeenth and Webster, Wednesday night. From the woman they took \$2.50, when the bandits saw James Cullen approaching. "Let the woman go and get this geek," said one of the bandits, according to the woman.

They approached Cullen and poked a revolver against his side while one of them searched him, returning to some change, an empty bill book and watch chain.

Cullen is congratulating himself over the fact that he had so little money as he had intended to take his pay check down town to have it cashed.

Muney Court Clerk Takes Up Duties

George Bertrand, formerly an employe in the court house, has started his work as clerk of the municipal court. He has a temporary office in the city clerk's office, where filings of cases may be made. Three cases have been filed. Until some of the casuals filed shall be called for hearing the court will not have regular sessions, but after two weeks the judges expect to sit every day. For the time being the city council chamber will be used as a court room. The city commissioners have not yet arranged with county commissioners for space in the court house building.

In Praise of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. "I feel it my duty to write a word in praise of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy," says Mrs. Wallace, Waterville, N. Y. "It was used in my household as such as twenty years ago. When my children, now grown up, were small, I kept a bottle of it in the house all the time. It always cured my children of croup, colds and coughs. I have also used it myself with equally good results. It is the only cough medicine we ever use. Obtainable everywhere. Advertisement."

For Many Nights Without a Bed, Fredrickson Finally Lands in Omaha

Eleven nights sleeping on the hard deck of a boat, and not under sentence for a crime either—that was the distressing experience of H. E. Fredrickson, who has just returned from Central America.

He was practically "bedless" from the time he left the interior of the jungles until he arrived in Omaha.

Out of luck every foot of the way. First two Indians brought him out of the interior, slipping down the river for days in what Fredrickson describes as a tub of a boat just long enough for him to stretch out full length without getting his feet in the water. He lay on the hard board there and clutched at the bolts and spikes to keep from rolling into the water.

"No sleep there," said Fredrickson. "Especially when we got into the bay, for every minute when the boat rocked I was afraid of rolling off into the bay. Sharks are very fond of white meat."

"Then I took the steamer for New Orleans. A great crowd of farmers had been down there with a real estate syndicate to buy land. They were all on the boat and every cabin and berth was taken. Thirteen of us who came late had to sleep on deck."

"So every night on the trip to New Orleans we slept on the hard deck, again clutched at the handholds to keep from rolling into the sea."

"When we got into New Orleans the big celebration was on, and try as I would, do you think I could get a bed in New Orleans?"

"So I caught the first train out and came to Omaha."

"No man will ever know how good I felt last night to get my pajamas on and lie on a real bed."

Mr. Fredrickson was in Central America along with his mining partner, W. H. Milliken of Denver, building a cyanide mill at the mine and preparing to begin refining ore. Fredrickson and Milliken brought a gold mine about a year ago



H. E. FREDRICKSON

in the interior, and on this trip they freighted great boilers and engines up to the mine on the native boats, lashed together. The natives took them the boilers could never be taken up the river to the mine unless a lot of Indians were hired to roll them through the jungles, which would take six months. The distance was nine miles.

However, the two Americans knew of better ways than that. They hired several native boats, hired Indians to lash the boats together and lay planks over them. They got black and tackle and swung the boilers upon these improvised crafts, and in nine hours they pulled into camp with the boilers.

charge of painting work at the Woodmen of the World building.

C. W. Axtell, assistant general freight agent of the Union Pacific, went to Chicago Wednesday night.

OMAHA WATER RATE CUT TEN PER CENT

Reduction Will Apply to Those Consumers Now Charged Twenty-One Cents Per Thousand.

MILLION IN THE TREASURY

The Water board announces a reduction of 10 per cent in water rate to consumers now charged 21 cents per 1,000 gallons, this being the class using up to 10,000 gallons a month, or about 97 per cent of all consumers, according to General Manager Howell. The minimum charge of 35 cents per month will not be changed.

The rate was 35 cents per 1,000 gallons when the city took the plant three years ago last July.

The water plant receipts for 1915 were \$33,448.30, which amount was distributed as follows: Operation, depreciation and doubtful accounts, \$33,067.44; interest on bonds and bond sinking fund, \$48,152.77; surplus fund, \$6,228. In addition to the earnings mentioned, there was a credit of \$4,722.21 earned on interest from funds carried.

On January 1, 1916, the bond sinking fund was \$43,076.03; the reserve for depreciation was \$32,274.61, and the surplus was \$41,930.14, the latter fund including value of materials on hand and amount of bills receivable. January 1 Treasurer Up reported a total of \$49,732.92 in the treasury of the water department.

Two highwaymen held up and robbed John Williams of \$210 on the Lane cut-off shortly after 11 yesterday morning.

Williams was walking along the Union Pacific tracks on the cut-off when the daylight robbers appeared, covered him with revolvers, took his money and escaped into a nearby lumber yard.

Key to the Situation—Bee Want Ads. Accepts Proposal.

WASHINGTON, March 9.—(Special Telegram.)—The Postoffice department accepted the proposal of Albert Scheke to lease quarters for the postoffice at Ravenna, Neb., for ten years from July 1.

Commissioners Get Inside Info on Way to Enter Beau Brummel Class

The city commissioners have been advised by the National Association of Merchant Tailors of America that they cannot transact public business in ordinary business suits and expect to be confined in a letter from Samuel H. Spring, national secretary of the tailors, this statement is made:

"Members of all dignified bodies are duty-bound to be particularly careful to wear to public functions attire prescribed for such occasions."

Regular sessions of the city council are declared to be "public functions" and the city council is classified as a "dignified body."

This matter will be brought up at the next meeting of the city council committee of the whole on Monday morning.

The commissioners must face this dress reform movement among public bodies. On a recent occasion one of the commissioners boasted the fact that he was wearing a \$12 suit of clothes. According to the national arbiters of dress for public officials a \$12 store suit is not suitable attire for a public servant drawing \$1500 a year and serving a great metropolitan commonwealth.

Another commissioner stated he never wore a dress suit in his life except when he was married. Dress suits for evening wear are to be de rigueur for city commissioners.

Having straightened out the city dues on this dress question, it is proposed to go after the Board of Education, county board, Water board, Welfare board, Recreation board and other public bodies.

Palm Beach suits for summer attire will be approved.

RUSSIANS CAPTURE TOWN ON BLACK SEA

Forces of Czar Have Entered Place Thirty-Five Miles East of Trebizond.

THEY ALSO OCCUPY SEHNA

PETROGRAD (Via London), March 9.—Russian troops have captured the town of Riza (Rizeh), on the Black Sea, thirty-five miles east of Trebizond. This announcement is made in the official statement issued from general headquarters which adds that the Russians have also occupied the town of Sehna, north of Kermanshab in Persia.

Soldiers Back from Front Break Up Dry Parade in Toronto

TORONTO, Canada, March 9.—Several persons were hurt here today in a riot as a result of the prohibition parade near the parliament buildings, in which several thousand persons, many of them women, in automobiles, took part. Some of the returned overseas soldiers took exception to an allegorical representation of "Old Man Ontario on the water wagon" and attached a placard bearing the words, "We fought for you; would you deprive us of our liberty?"

This was torn off by a marcher and a fight ensued. A half-mile-long banner, a feature of the parade, was reduced to shreds and mounted police were compelled to force their horses into the crowd before order was restored. Meantime the "water wagon" had taken a short cut to the parliament buildings.

Premier Hearst, after hearing addresses by clergymen and receiving a petition from the paradees, which advocated a "dry Ontario," announced that if the referendum on prohibition is carried the government will do all in its power to enforce the law.

Rumor that Turkey Tires of War and Is Ready for Peace

PETROGRAD, March 9.—The activity of Russian torpedo boats in the Black Sea against coast towns east of Trebizond, is continuing with success. According to recent dispatches from Sebastopol the Turkish defenses are crumbling before the intensity of the Russian bombardment.

There apparently is a growing disposition on the part of the Turks along the Anatolian shore to surrender without fighting. In many cases, according to reports received the population have sent out emissaries to the Russian fleet offering submission to Russia. Russian cruisers to bombard Trebizond.

Rumors of Turkey's willingness to enter into peace negotiations with Russia is increasingly current here, but there is no official confirmation that Turkey up to the present time made actual overtures to the Russian government.

Father of Little Girl Shot by Baker Sues City of Omaha

Alleging the city of Omaha negligently permitted an incompetent to hold an official position and carry a lethal weapon and that as a result 10-year-old Ida Stroud, was seriously wounded at the city dump, her father asks \$10,000 damages in a petition recorded in district court.

The petition recites that Fred Baker, the watchman, was drunk, or under influence of drugs, when he shot the girl.

Hubby Out of Work Will Not Get Up in Morning

Attorney McGuire of the Welfare board maintains that 10 a. m. is not a respectable hour for a man of the house to arise, particularly when he is out of work and his wife is doing washing to help support the home.

Mrs. Edward Whitcomb complained that her husband refuses to get up before the tenth hour of the morning, retires at nine bells every night and refused to clean in water for her. She has three small children.

Mr. McGuire, as city prosecutor, filed a complaint against Whitcomb.

RETAILERS SET ASIDE SPECIAL FASHION WEEK

A special fashion display week is to be set apart by the Associated Retailers of Omaha, to probably the last week of March. Special window displays of the latest styles of garments are to be made, and the windows are to be kept screened while being decorated, the screens of all to be removed at one and the same time.

At the same meeting of the association yesterday this was taken up and decided upon.

MRS. SCHAUE CHARGED WITH PASSING WORTHLESS CHECK

A complaint, charging Mrs. J. W. Schauf with obtaining several hundred dollars worth of merchandise in return for worthless checks, has been issued by County Attorney Magney at the request of O. A. Tascak, Burgess-Nash detective. Police Patrolman Gibbons has already left for St. Paul, Minn., with a warrant to bring the woman back. The arrest was made Wednesday night in St. Paul.

DENISON WILL SPEAK AT LINCOLN SATURDAY

E. F. Denison, general secretary of the Omaha Young Men's Christian association, will go to Lincoln Saturday to speak before the Nebraska College Men's Vocational conference. The conference will be held at the state university. Mr. Denison has chosen the subject, "Opportunities and Responsibilities of Young Men's Christian Association Secretaries as a Life Work," for his address.

OFFICER TAGEL PROVES TO BE SOME SPRINTER

After chasing Frank Howard and Joe Wilson for several blocks through the crowded portion of the city Special Officer Tagel of the Burgess-Nash store captured Howard, who was sentenced to thirty days for the theft of shoes from the above mentioned establishment.

CAR COMPANY WILL NOT FURNISH CITY POWER

Frank Hamilton, vice president of the Omaha & Council Bluffs Street Railway company, has advised the city council that his company does not regard it expedient at this time to offer to furnish the city with current for street lighting purposes, as advertised for by the city council.

OMAHA MAN HEAD CHEMIST AT THE NIAGARA PLANT

Dr. Mortimer J. Brown, son-in-law of G. G. Wallace of this city, is the head chemist at the Niagara chemical plants which were damaged by explosions and fire Tuesday night.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

H. J. Phelps of Chicago, general passenger agent, and A. G. Gray of Dubuque, Ia., division passenger agent of the Illinois Central, are in Omaha visiting local officials of the road.

W. H. Jones, division passenger and freight agent of the Northwestern, is in Chicago.

M. E. Callahan, 286 Spalding street, is seriously ill at his home. He has

TANLAC, THE MASTER MEDICINE, MORAL OF OLD FABLE OF THE MAN WITH TWO BEST GIRLS

PORT OF HEALTH HAS BEEN FOUND

The recent discovery of Tanlac has made great things possible.

Omaha Man Tells Adventure.

A captain would never let his ship leave port without an anchor. He realizes that without something to hold his ship in control, in cases of emergency, the craft would be left to the mercy of the angry sea.

In the same way an individual should guard himself against the ravages of disease that have become so common in this country. Without something to aid Nature in combating these ills—stomach, liver and kidney and catarrhal disorders, the individual is lost.

Arthur A. Anderson, of 213 North Seventeenth street, Omaha, is one of the thousands who have sailed happily into the port of health on the good ship Tanlac.

Mr. Anderson worked twelve hours a day in a sugar mill and he was badly in need of something to build him up. He took Tanlac and gained twenty pounds.

"I had stomach trouble and indigestion," said Mr. Anderson. "I was completely run down. The complaint started with gas and bloating after eating. I could not sleep well and would wake up feeling more tired than when I went to bed. My liver was sluggish and my bowels irregular. I had headaches and was generally upset. Tanlac has restored my health and made me feel like new."

HE SAYS TANLAC PRODUCED "PEP"

"I felt tired and listless most of the time," remarked E. B. Mallory, expert mechanic, who lives at 2010 Sixth street, Council Bluffs, Ia. "I went about my work feeling as if I was being dragged down by some unseen burden. My back pained me fearfully. In the morning I would rise from a restless bed feeling tired and worn out. My tongue was always coated. I had no appetite for my meals and the food that I did force into my stomach didn't seem to give me any strength."

"Three days after I started taking Tanlac I was eating fine. In fact I felt ashamed of myself—it seemed as if I couldn't get enough to eat. I sleep like a top now and in the morning I feel bright and ready to confront a hard day's work. Work no longer bores me because Tanlac has restored my 'pep.' I have recommended Tanlac to a number of the boys at the works and they have promised to try it, since they can now get it at Omaha."

"I sincerely believe Tanlac is the greatest stomach builder on the market today."

THREE THRILLING TANLAC TALES

Many people think a restaurant man is the last in the world to have trouble over his eating, according to Wm. McCall, 1314 Capitol avenue, Omaha, proprietor of the Manhattan restaurant. He used to get up feeling so bad he distressed him to even look at food.

"I had no appetite, could not sleep and was all run down," he said. "I would get up in the morning feeling as if I could hardly attend to my business. I had that old, dull headache and a distressing dizziness. If I tried to eat anything it made me worse."

"Tanlac relieved me of those ills. I think it is the greatest stomach remedy on the market today. Tanlac is the medicine that will do what is claimed for it. I hope that all who suffer with stomach trouble will try it."

"Tanlac is purely a vegetable tonic, delicately adapted to stomach needs. It builds health and strength through the stomach, blood and nerves. It adds weight to slender people. Weigh once a week while you are taking Tanlac."

As the eyes feast upon the "goodies" displayed at a delicatessen store, the mouth begins to water. But to the dyspeptic the place is a veritable bore. Even the proprietor of a delicatessen sickness of his environment when his stomach goes on a strike. Here is A. Rosenberg's word for it. He conducts an emporium of luxurious "cats" at 414 North Sixteenth street, Omaha.

"Indigestion, sick headache and constipation had me feeling so bad that I despised the looks of food," Mr. Rosenberg said.

"I had a terrible headache morning, noon and night. My stomach was sick and I was weak all the time. I was nervous and could not sleep. No human being could be any worse than I was and not be bed-ridden. I took all kinds of medicine, but it all fooled me. I was slowly starving."

"Tanlac restored my health. It helped me in a business way as well. I love that place of mine now. I am entirely over those headaches and I haven't been constipated since taking Tanlac."

REMARKABLE CASE OF OMAHA FIREMAN

Master Medicine Freed Him of Stomach Trouble and Nervousness.

Gave Him New Lease on Life.

By common consent the job of city fireman is a most difficult one to fill. Aside from the hazard to life and limb into which he is constantly thrust he must have unusually sound nerves.

George Smeltzer, driver of the hose wagon at engine house No. 2 is one of the best known members of the Omaha Fire Department.

"I suffered with acute stomach trouble for many years," said Mr. Smeltzer. "It upset my entire nervous system. My appetite was very poor and food would not digest properly. I would have awful pains after eating. I could not sleep at night and in the morning I would arise feeling dreary. I became discouraged as nothing seemed to do me any good."

"Some time ago a friend recommended Tanlac and I got a bottle. I have not been troubled with my stomach since I took it. It has given me a new lease on life."

"I can eat a big meal without discomfort, and as for sleeping, well, I can sleep like a lamb. I cannot endorse Tanlac too highly."

APPETITE BETTER THAN POET'S PLEA

When a man loves life, throws out his chest, and says "I feel great—I can eat anything," he has struck the keynote of content and is envied by all his fellows.

But when a man after being only a short time before all run down, nervous and unable to trust his stomach to accept even the plainest fare, then comes back into his own, he is so happy that he wants to make life better for the "other fellow" who suffers as he once did.

That is the story of Jacob Ennis, day clerk at the Union Hotel, Omaha.

"Tanlac has changed me from a 'grouch' to a normal happy man," said Mr. Ennis, "and I want to recommend it to the men and women who are 'all run down,' as I was."

"My stomach was so disordered that no dainty would tempt me. I was nervous and could not get restful sleep. I awoke each morning feeling miserable."

"Then I heard about Tanlac and tried it. From the very first I felt the improvement. I grew better daily and now I can eat anything, and say, but Tanlac is wonderful."

TANLAC "The Premier Preparation"

Tanlac is being specially introduced in Omaha at Sherman & McConnell's Drug Store, Sixteenth and Dodge streets. There an expert from the Tanlac laboratories daily explains the merits of this highly endorsed remedy—tonic, appetizer and invigorant to many men and women. There is a Tanlac druggist in all towns and suburbs in this vicinity. The Tanlac druggist in your town is named in the following list:

- Albion, Barber Bros. Drug Co.
- Alliance, Harry Thiele.
- Ashland, H. H. Cone.
- Auburn, E. H. Dorr.
- Burlwell, Bellows Drug Store.
- Benson, Schiller-Beattie Co.
- Blue Springs, D. H. Wender.
- Beaver City, Horton Drug Co.
- Broken Bow, E. E. Lee.
- Bridgeport, C. F. Manning.
- Central City, Schiller's Drug Store.
- Crescent, E. H. Dorr.
- Cambridge, Cambridge Pharmacy.
- Clearwater, Frank G. Krenzien.
- Columbia, Kertman & Keresbrook.
- David City, Loren Jordan.
- Fairbury, Spear, Buswell Drug Co.
- Grand Island, Clayton's Pharmacy.
- Hastings, Deines Drug Co.
- Lincoln, Harley Drug Co.
- McCook, A. Moxilan.
- Millard, F. G. Brunsen.
- Nebraska City, Henry Schwaks.
- North Platte, North Platte Drug Co.
- Oakland, W. O. Harding & Son.
- Oxford, Preston Drug Co.
- Omaha, Sherman & McConnell Drug Co.
- Ord, Johnson Drug Co.
- Pallards, Pallards Pharmacy.
- Platteville, H. H. Brunsen.
- Springfield, K. Flegenbaum.
- Superior, Geo. L. Fisher Co.
- Sutton, Robert Lich.
- Table Rock, J. H. Hyton.
- Taylor, Cash Drug Co.
- University Place, M. S. Chipperfield.
- Wymora, Geo. L. Fisher Co.
- Yorba, H. H. Brunsen.
- York, W. G. Boyer.

AGENTS WANTED

Exclusive agency for Tanlac is awarded to one druggist in each town or city. Agents are desired everywhere and will be appointed at once. Write or telephone the Tanlac agency, Omaha, Neb., for all agency information.

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