

BRIEF CITY NEWS

Have Boat Plant in New Season Plans... Today's Complete Movie Program... Wants to Be Deputy Marshal...

LOOK FOR MAN WITH THE SOAKED GOODS

Captain Swatch of Good Ship Corona Putting Circulars on Front Porches.

BY THE BING-BAT-BUNCE CO.

Captain Swatch of the good ship "Corona," (may its hull rest in peace at the bottom of the ocean), is about to sell several hundred thousand dollars worth of damaged merchandise that was saved when his ship went down.

When did the "Corona" sink? Nobody knows. But then, some 350 or 300 vessels have been sent to the bottom in the warfare of the last twelve months, so it is a good time to begin to talk "shipwrecked" goods, since there have been no big fires recently.

Who is Captain Swatch? Nobody knows. He is not listed in the registers of seagoing men. But then there have been lots of captains of various names in the shipwrecks occasioned by the submarine, and no housewife of Omaha could be expected to remember the names of all of them.

Bought in New York. Captain Swatch, according to the poster, is no longer as heavily interested in the merchandise as is a company in New York that bought most of the cargo saved.

Who is "Bing-Bat-Bunce"? Nobody knows. But then there are lots of names in general merchandise houses on Broadway, whose names are not known to the housewives of Omaha, and for that reason "Bing-Bat-Bunce" serves the purpose for the poster as well as any other.

Robert Cowell of the Thomas Kilpatrick company, however, got one of the posters on his front porch. It was in an envelope, although it did not come by mail.

Mr. Cowell had never heard of the "Corona." He had never heard of "Captain Swatch." Also, although he makes many trips to New York, he had never heard of the "Bing-Bat-Bunce" company.

Wants to See Samples. So he informed his family that when the agents come to his home to show their samples of water-soaked goods, he wants them to receive encouragement to bring their entire collection of samples to the house. In the meantime he wants to be called, for he wants to see the samples.

Although it was a week ago, or more, that the poster was left, the agent has not yet appeared at the Cowell home. He has appeared, however, at homes in Dundee. At one place he took the order of a servant girl for a dozen pairs of silk hose at 12 cents a dozen.

Merchandise Soaked. The poster states that when the ship sank, most of the cargo of merchandise was saved, although some of it was water soaked. It represents that the rescued portion was sorted out, the soaked part cut away and the rest put up in shape for the market.

The Associated Retailers are interested in the scheme, because they hold that it cannot be genuine. The Ad club is interested from the standpoint of its campaign for honest advertising.

Girl Brings Suit Against Business Man for \$25,000

Two months' acquaintance with a married man is the basis of a suit for \$25,000 damages begun in district court by Miss Laura Sherman, pretty 19-year-old manœuvre girl, against George Johnson, vice president of the Omaha Merchants' Transfer and Express company of Omaha.

The plaintiff until recently has been employed as a manicurist in Omaha shops. She alleges in her petition that she became acquainted with Mr. Johnson last May, believing him to be a single man, and that she met him frequently until July 20, when, she says, she learned that he was married.

In the meantime, Miss Sherman alleges, she had learned to love Mr. Johnson, and to rely completely on his friendship.

On June 27, her petition says, Mr. Johnson asked her to marry him, and she agreed to wed him whenever he should desire.

Miss Sherman "has suffered untold mental anguish, grief and humiliation," she asserts, because "believing in the sacredness of their relationship," she permitted him to cause her.

On these grounds the plaintiff requests the court to award her heart balm of \$25,000. She is living at 811 South Twenty-fourth street.

Sunday Tabernacle Troubles Elsewhere as Well as in Omaha

The protest against the erection of the "Billy" Sunday tabernacle within the five limits has a counterpart over in Des Moines just before the Sunday engagement over there last year.

The man who says this tabernacle is a first-class has got a head full of bulk oysters and sawdust. You couldn't burn it down to save your gizzard," he shouted.

BEATS TRAIN HERE AND CATCHES WIFE

Carpenter at Dunlap, Ia., Finds His Wife Registered at Local Hotel With Another Man.

HE HAS THEM BOTH ARRESTED

Louis Wolverton, a carpenter living at Logan, Ia., was at work yesterday on a job at Dunlap, when a friend drove up in a machine and told him that his wife had been seen boarding the train at Logan for Omaha, and that she was with another man, named John Morris.

The couple registered as man and wife, and Wolverton went at once to the police station, where he swore out a warrant for their arrest.

They were taken to the police station and are being held for the federal government, charged with white slavery, having crossed from Iowa to Nebraska.

The Wolvertons have been married sixteen years, and have two children. Louis Wolverton is a carpenter, and has been working steadily for years.

South Side Man Convinced Some Conductors Polite

Will wonders never cease? Here is the account of a street railway patron who admits that the corporation and its employees are not wholly bad.

"Two women and myself were returning home Sunday noon," remarked the patron, "getting on the Crosstown line at Twenty-fourth street, going south. The car was already well filled, and at the corner where we boarded a number stood waiting.

"I stood at one side waiting for those assembled to board the car, and while doing so two or three persons stepped aboard between my two companions and myself. When I reached the 'contribution box' I dropped in the price of the fares, when one of my companions, looking back, called that she had paid the fares.

"Judging according to past experience, I said to myself, 'Good-bye 15 cents,' when to my very great surprise Conductor No. 703 said:

"Yes, the lady ahead paid for three, and I will return your 15 cents presently." And he did.

"Not only that," continued the patron, "but on the trip down Conductor No. 703 seemed to go out of his way to be polite to people getting on and off of his car, although a crowded car is not always conducive to a sweet temper.

"Anyhow, my experience with Conductor No. 703 has made me revise my opinion of the company and its employees as a whole.

"All the jitneys in existence couldn't put such people as No. 703 out of a job," concluded the patron.

ASK THAT SEPTEMBER 9 BE OMAHA DAY AT STATE FAIR

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MRS. WILLIAMS' LONG SICKNESS

Yields To Lydia E. Pinkham's Compound.

Elkhart, Ind.—"I suffered for fourteen years from organic inflammation, female weakness, pain and irregularities. The pains in my sides were increased by walking or standing on my feet and I had such awful bearing down feelings, was depressed in spirits and became thin and pale with dull, heavy eyes. I had six doctors from whom I received only temporary relief. I decided to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a fair trial and also the Sanative Wash. I have now used the remedies for four months and cannot express my thanks for what they have done for me.



"If these lines will be of any benefit you have my permission to publish them."—Mrs. SADIE WILLIAMS, 455 James Street, Elkhart, Indiana.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from native roots and herbs, contains no narcotic or harmful drugs, and to-day holds the record of being the most successful remedy for female ills we know of, and thousands of voluntary testimonials on file in the Pinkham laboratory at Lynn, Mass., seem to prove this fact.

If you have the slightest doubt that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will help you, write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass., for advice. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman, and held in strict confidence.

Store Hours 8:30 A. M. to 5 P. M. Saturdays till 9 P. M.

BURGESS-NASH COMPANY. EVERYBODY'S STORE

Thursday, July 29, 1915. STORE NEWS FOR FRIDAY Phone D. 137.

An Extraordinary Clearaway of SHOES AT \$1.00 IN THE BASEMENT FRIDAY

A pre-inventory movement that affords the season's biggest shoe values offered in the city this season.

WOMEN'S \$3 to \$4 PUMPS, \$1.00. Several hundred pairs of Women's Pumps and Oxfords that were in our \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00 lines, at... \$1.00. MISSES' \$1.50 PUMPS, \$1.00. Misses' Patent and Gunmetal Pumps, two-strap style, were \$1.50; Friday, \$1.00. BOYS' \$1.75 SHOES, \$1.00. Little Boys' velour calf shoes, solid leather soles, were to \$1.75; Friday, pair... \$1.00. INFANT'S AND CHILDREN'S PUMPS, Were to \$1.25, at 79c. Ankle and two-strap pumps, in patent and dull leathers, were to \$1.25; sale price, pair... 79c.

MEN'S OXFORDS THAT WERE \$3.50 to \$4.00, Friday, \$1.95. From our regular lines, tan Russia calf and black velour calf oxfords, also tan Russia calf shoes, button or lace styles, were \$3.50 to \$4.00; price... \$1.95. WOMEN'S OXFORDS THAT WERE \$2.50 to \$3.50, Friday, 55c. Hundreds of pairs of high shoes, also pumps and oxfords, all small sizes, from our lines at \$2.50, \$3.00 and \$3.50, wonderful values Friday, per pair... 55c.

Women's HOUSE DRESSES That Were Intended to Sell at \$1 to \$1.50 for 49c

25c Neckwear, 5c. INCLUDING flat collars, bow ties, jabots of lace, net and organdy, soiled from handling, were to 25c, now... 5c. Handkerchiefs, Linen, and linen lawn handkerchiefs for men and women, plain white or colored border, each... 5c. Also pleatings, white, cream and colors, net and chiffon, were to 25c, now... 5c. Lace at 1c. Lace and embroidery insertions, good selection of designs, 1c yard. Lace at 2 1/2c. Val, torchon and linen laces, new designs, at... 2 1/2c. Lace Samples. Also embroideries, chiffon and nets, from 1/4 to 1 1/2 yards, each, 1c, 5c, 10c. Burgess-Wash Co.—Basement. Boys' \$2.00 Hats, 25c. Straw, felt and cloth hats, odds and ends for the little fellow, were to \$2, now... 25c. Burgess-Wash Co.—Basement. Boys' 50c Hose, 20c. Khaki and fancy wash hose, for ages 6 to 14 years... 20c. Burgess-Wash Co.—Basement. Women's 10c Vests, 10c. Women's good quality ribbed cotton vests, regular 10c... 10c. Burgess-Wash Co.—Basement. 35c Union Suits, 10c. Odd lots of children's union suits, white cotton, high neck, short sleeves, knee length, low neck, sleeveless... 10c. Burgess-Wash Co.—Basement. Women's 25c Hose, 10c. Broken sizes and discontinued lines, in cotton or silk, 10c at pair... 10c. Burgess-Wash Co.—Basement. 35c White Goods, 10c. Double fold Flaxons and Linaires, sheer materials in all white, fancy checks and stripes, for waists and children's dresses, usually 10c... 10c. Burgess-Wash Co.—Basement. Corsets to \$2.50, at 69c. Corsets, broken lines, were to \$2.50, batiste, summer net or reducing corsets; sale price... 69c. Burgess-Wash Co.—Basement. Brassiers at 25c. Front closing, embroidered yoke, splendid fitting, good quality muslin, special... 25c. Burgess-Wash Co.—Basement. Enamelware Lids. Friday at Each 7c. ONE LOT, assorted sizes, very special, while they last... 7c. Bath spray fitted with metal and rubber bulb, were \$1.95; Friday, at... \$1.50. Toilet Paper, Royal Silk Tissue, adjustable with brass stationary pins; sale price Friday... 69c. Shears, assorted sizes and varieties, fully guaranteed, were to \$1.25; Friday... 39c. O-S-E combination Oil Mop, including 75c oil mop, 75c dustless mop and 25c can of O-S-E oil, \$1.75 value, for... \$1.19. Rullman Vacuum Washing Machines, heavy galvanized tub, easy running, 5 years' guarantee, at... \$10.00. Toilet Paper, Royal Silk Tissue, regular 10c rolls; Friday, 4 rolls for... \$3.50. Burgess-Wash Co.—Basement.

Remnants of Wash Goods at About 1/2 Price Friday

WE HAVE assembled in one great lot all the short lengths of this season's choicest wash fabrics, each piece with yardage and price marked on sale ticket—the lengths are desirable for waists, dresses and children's wear. Included are sheer woven fabrics, fine madras cloths, zephyrs, percales, voiles, etc. The entire lot will be about one-half the regular price. Dress Percales at 7 1/2c. Full standard yard wide dress percales, light, medium and dark styles, bolts to buy from, at yard... 7 1/2c. 10c to 15c White Goods at 3 1/2c. Various grades white goods—Muslins, ginghams, poplins, batistes and lawns, crepes, etc.; 10c to 15c values, at yard... 3 1/2c. Burgess-Wash Co.—Basement.

Men's \$1.00 SHIRTS for 69c

A CLEAN-UP of summer shirts, soft collar, attached, coat style, well made, cut full in the body, in fact a full dollar's worth for... 69c. Men's 50c to 69c Work Shirts, 39c. Soft low collars attached, blue, gray and black, the kind that sell in other stores at 50c and 69c; special sale price in the basement, Friday... 39c. Men's Underwear at 39c. To close a case of men's 2-piece Balbriggan underwear that arrived late in the season, in one day, seconds of 69c quality... 39c. Men's Suspenders at 5c. Big lot of suspenders, some the elastic is a little weak, others have no elastic, some slightly soiled and shop worn, they were made to sell at 25c, 35c and 50c. Your choice Friday, at... 5c. Burgess-Wash Co.—Basement.

Clearaway of Sewing Machines Ten Machines to Be Closed Out Friday

Including such well known makes as "Singer," "Hove," "The Free," "Paragon" and "Wizard." SEWING MACHINES were \$25. SEWING MACHINES were \$30. SEWING MACHINES were \$35. SEWING MACHINES were \$40. SEWING MACHINES were \$48. While some of these machines are slightly used, they are all just as good as new and every one is fully guaranteed. As there is only one or two of a kind, it behooves you to be here early for the biggest values are certain to go fast. TERMS \$2.00 DOWN, \$1.00 A WEEK. No mail or phone orders. Burgess-Wash Co.—Third Floor.

FREE! In order to stimulate our summer business, we offer with purchases in amounts as stated, these two fine premiums. With every complete outfit sold, we will give this beautiful Colonial DRESSER, massive and roomy, with extra large French bevel plate mirror. With every purchase amounting to \$20.00 or over, we will give an elegant Oak ROCKER, panel back, saddle seat design. Both these premiums are taken from our regular stock, and you are therefore assured that they will prove equal to our usual quality. A glimpse at the prices below will show that we actually GIVE these premiums, and DO NOT CHARGE FOR THEM through exorbitant prices on other goods. Quality First Service Always. Established 1886—Busy Ever Since. Chiffonier—\$6.95. A massive piece, roomy and well made, with large French bevel mirror. Golden quartered oak finish, Colonial design, at... \$7.50. China Closet—\$16.50. Solidly constructed of genuine quarter sawed oak with bent glass sash and door. A large roomy piece and an excellent value at our special price of... \$16.50. LIBRARY TABLE—\$6.95. A sturdy table, bolted construction, through-out. Roomy drawer for papers and other valuables, with large marble and book shelf below. Finished in mahogany or golden oak... \$6.95. We call your special attention to our display of sample pieces in our window at HALF PRICE. We show hundreds of values just as good. Our Location Makes Our Low Prices. OMAHA FURNITURE & CARPET CO. 1312 AND FARNAM ST. Most Lib. eral Credit Terms in the City. Remodeling A. HOSPE CO. SALE 1513 Douglas St

Blushing Bride Changes Her Mind Before Very Altar

At what stage of a wedding ceremony is it permissible for either party to the nuptials to back down? That is the question which Rev. C. W. Savidge had to settle this week. He decided that he would stop the ceremony any time before the parties had answered the questions as to whether they would take the other for better or worse.

German-American Alliance is to Meet in San Francisco

The Nebraska delegation of the National German-American Alliance, which meets in biennial convention in San Francisco from August 1 to 4, left for the coast last night. The delegation consists of Val J. Peter of Omaha, John Mathes of Nebraska city and C. A. Sommer of Lincoln. The Nebraska delegation will propose Omaha as the next meeting place, although there is little hope of winning out in the contest among eastern cities asking for the convention.

Martin Takes Out Permits to Build 25 New Houses

A string of twenty-five houses is to be built at once by Charles Martin company, in his Minne Lusa addition, Belle Isle addition and Laurention addition, in the Miller park vicinity. The building permits for this string have just been taken out. They aggregate \$30,000. The houses average 13,000. The cheapest one in the lot is to cost \$2,500, and the most costly one \$4,500.

Says He Drinks by Very Small Margin

Lieutenant T. M. Tipton, in charge of the navy recruiting office, has returned from a ten-day visit to his parents at Las Vegas, N. M. "Anybody that thinks that New Mexico is a dry part of this country should visit there," he said. "I rained seven days while I was there. It was so cool at night that I used blankets. Of course this is due to the fact that Las Vegas is located pretty high up in the mountains.

MARRIED LIFE IS SHORT IN THE COOL MONTH OF JULY

Married July 3, learned that he didn't love July 3, and filed suit for divorce July 29, is the history of the wedding life of Mrs. Maude Clark, who is suing Preston Clark in district court.