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SUFFERS FROM MASTOID

Grace Louise Wiles, popular high school girl, was taken to Omaha last evening where she was placed in a hospital to be operated on for mastoid. She had been feeling poorly for

the past week, suffering from a sore throat and which Saturday developed into severe ear trouble resulting in the mastoid.

Journal Want-Ads cost little and accomplish much.

Heart Punctured

Wallace Gilbert, shown with his nurse, was accidentally shot by chum's 22 rifle and the bullet lodged in the heart wall. He has fine chance of recovery following remarkable operation at St. Francis hospital, Hartford, Conn., which removed the slug from muscular wall of the heart's right ventricle.



Truck-Check Racket is Over, Sheriff Says

Arrests Are Made at St. Joseph, Missouri by Sheriff George Moran and His Deputies.

A heavy blow was struck recently, Sheriff George Moran believes, at a ring which has been swindling Iowa farmers out of corn and other grains by the use of bad checks. For months Sheriff Moran and his deputies have been co-operating with Iowa authorities in running down the men responsible for the food of bad checks. In Ira Goodwin, twenty-three years old, and Will Goodwin, twenty-seven, Sheriff Moran said he believed he had the ringleaders.

A three-month hunt for the two brothers ended early Sunday morning when a house at 2231 South Thirteenth street was entered by Deputy Sheriffs Gus Hibix and George Watkins, assisted by Police Detectives Floyd Idlett and Ernest Deal, and the Goodwin brothers arrested. The arresting officers learned that the brothers had just returned from a trip to California and they were arrested immediately.

Warrants for Two Men. Sheriff Moran holds warrants for the two men from Carroll, Green, Sac, Fremont and Jefferson counties in Iowa, each charging the use of a bad check in obtaining grain from farmers. Deputy sheriffs estimated the checks involved in the warrants would aggregate \$15,000.

Wayne Crouse, twenty-three, Audubon, Iowa, was arrested with the Goodwin brothers. He is also wanted in Iowa as an accomplice. Sheriff Moran said Crouse had acted as a driver for one of the Goodwin trucks and had become involved in one check transaction through an endorsement of an worthless check.

Several truckers have been arrested here this fall by the sheriff's force on bad check charges for Iowa authorities, and Sheriff Moran has received numerous complaints from Iowa sheriffs. Most of the arrests were made at grain companies when the truckers sought to sell the grain they had obtained through worthless checks.

Farmers' Loss Half Million. Iowa authorities have estimated the loss to Iowa farmers through bad checks at approximately \$500,000. The method used has been similar in each case. A trucker would drive up to a farm and offer to buy corn or other grains a cent or two a bushel over the market price. When the corn was placed in the truck the trucker would give the farmer a check and drive away. The farmer would discover eventually that the

check was no good, but by that time the trucker would have sold the grain at St. Joseph, Kansas City, Leavenworth or in some smaller town. In the smaller towns the truckers have offered to sell the grain at slightly below the market price.

While most of the cases were apparently planned affairs Sheriff Moran has been informed of a few cases where honest truckers got caught. He was informed of one case in which the trucker gave a check hoping to sell the grain and deposit before the check came through. He was caught in a rain en route to St. Joseph and the grain was spoiled so that it became unusable. He was unable to deposit funds to care for the check and a warrant was issued.

Iowa Officers Coming Here. Sheriff Moran said Iowa officers were en route here for the Goodwins but he had not determined which county would be given custody of the men. He said he probably would turn them over to the county that had suffered the heaviest losses.

The arrest of grain truckers on charges of issuing no-fund checks touches an angle of a situation which informed men here and in other grain dealing centers of nearby states say is a real menace to the agricultural interests of the Middle West.

Losses to farmers and elevator men who sell to the private truckers in the producing areas and to the stockmen who buy from them runs into several million dollars annually, it is asserted.

The grain trade leaders have no criticism for the legitimate trucker who hauls under contract and falls within state and federal regulations. Their charges are aimed only at the "fly-by-night" truckman, who goes into business of buying and selling himself, and thus escapes all regulations except what he sets up for himself.

The latter truckers, even those who wish to do a legitimate business, is handicapped by the very nature of his business, it is pointed out. He buys a load of grain, usually corn, in this area from a farmer or elevator in the producing counties of northwest Missouri or southern Iowa, then hauls it to the consuming counties around St. Joseph and sells his purchase for what he can get for it. At both ends he has to meet speculative prices, set by unscrupulous competitors. Forced to buy high and sell low, grain men say, the private trucker has to resort to "shady" practices to make his business pay.

These practices, according to those in a position to know, such as county sheriffs, officials of farmers' grain dealers' associations and weighmen at public scales, range all the way from issuing "no-fund" checks to a thousand and one tricks to obtain overweight when buying and short-weighting the farmer to whom the trucker sells.

Bad Weights Are Cited. Farmers in the St. Joseph trade territory have lost at least \$500,000 through bad checks and incorrect weights in the last few years, it is estimated by a St. Joseph man who has investigated the situation.

At Sheriff Moran's office alone warrants have been served for the arrest of truckmen on no-fund check charges that involve many thousands of dollars.

But, although large sums are lost by farmers and elevator men on no-fund checks, the greatest losses occur through tricks to cheat on weight, it is alleged.

"One trucker admitted to me," said a weighman at a grain company scales here, "that on the average he took from forty to ninety bushels of corn through incorrect weights on every load he hauled from Iowa to this territory."

Rocks in the Cargo. The weight tricks, the investigator described, included tampering with

scales, concealed compartments and false bottoms in the trucks, filling of "gasoline" tanks with water, placing of rocks in hidden places in the truck beds and actual shoveling off of forty or fifty bushels in a country lane under cover of darkness between the time the load was weighed and delivered to the farmer buyer.

One trick especially is worth describing, according to the investigator. It was used by an operator of the big type truck that has a trailer, and required the use of a small air jack. In weighing the practice is to run the trailer wheels only on the scales. The truckmen discovered that by placing the air jack, connected by hose with an air pump operated by the engine, on the center truck pivot and against the trailer frame, the amount registered on the figure bar of the scale could be changed from the true weight as much as desired. The difference from the real weight could be made either way, less or more, according to where the air jack was placed. Thus the trucker could weigh in say 22,000 when buying for himself and weigh out only 18,000 when selling, profiting 4,000 pounds on the trick.—St. Joseph (Mo.) Gazette.

VOTE ON SCHOOL BONDS

Broken Bow, Neb.—A special election will be held here Friday to either accept or reject a school building program calling for the issuance of \$49,000 in school district bonds for two new ward buildings. The funds would be matched with a \$49,000 federal grant from PWA funds. Three weeks ago voters turned back a \$105,000 issue.

ATTACK ON SANCTIONS

Brindisi, Italy.—Archbishop Tommaso Valeri issued a pastoral letter attacking sanctions and urging all Italians to pray for Premier Mussolini and success. The prelate was the second prominent churchman to take a definite stand for Il Duce and his expansion plan. The first was Cardinal Schuster of Milan.

HUPP HEADS CREDIT MEN

Columbus, Neb.—Allen T. Hupp of Omaha, secretary of the Associated Retailers, Monday was elected president of the Associated Credit Bureau of Nebraska at its annual convention here. Dean A. Hatten of Grand Island was elected vice president and M. H. Dodendorf of York, was renamed secretary-treasurer.

ONE HURT IN TRIPLE CRASH

Fremont, Neb.—Miss Esther Johnson is recovering in a hospital here from severe injuries suffered in a three way automobile accident near North Bend. Jerald Benness of Fremont, driver of the car in which she was riding, was held on a charge of reckless driving and will be given a hearing Wednesday.

Mrs. J. A. Murray and son, George, of Omaha, were in the city for a short time Tuesday to visit with the old friends and looking after some matters of business.

Plattsmouth stores offer shopping advantages the equal of any to be found. Why not give your home town merchant first opportunity of serving you?

On African Trip



Dr. George W. Crile

Dr. George W. Crile, eminent surgeon, with his wife, is heading African expedition to study wild animals in effort to reveal factors which may lead to better medical understanding of the energy mechanism of civilized man.

Thanksgiving Food

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SWEET
POTATOES lb. 4c
LETTUCE . . 9c
Cranberries 22c
BANNAS lb. 6½c

Oranges Doz. . . 23c
Celery Each . . 10c
Apples lb. 5c

CALUMET
Baking Powder
1 lb. Can **21c**

IGA FANCY
PUMPKIN
2 No. 2 Cans **19c**

IGA BRAND
MINCEMEAT
2 Pkgs. **19c**

FANCY BUDDED
WALNUTS
1 lb. **25c**

SWANSDOWN
CAKE FLOUR
Pkg. **28c**

MEATS

CORN FED
U. S. Choice (Shoulder)
BEEF ROAST 18c

Armour's Star (Sliced)
SMOKED HAM 30c

ARMOUR'S STAR
LAMB STEAKS 20c

MINCED HAM 15c

OYSTERS
Pint. 25c Quart. 49c

BOLOGNA 15c

Fresh (Sliced or Piece)
SIDE PORK 28c

CORN
Fancy Country Gentleman, 2 cans **25c**

Del Maize Niblets
Extra Fancy Vacuum packed, 12-oz. Cans, each **13c**

IGA PEAS
No. 2 Cans 2 for **24c**

TOMATOES
No. 2 Cans 3 for **25c**

KRAUT
Large No. 2½ Can. 3 for **25c**

DATES
New, Fresh Stock, 2 lbs. for **21c**

NUT MEATS
Black Walnut, ½ lb. **27c**
Almond Halves ½ lb. **33c**

English Walnuts
Medium Budded Fancy New Crop, Per lb. **19c**

CANDY
Peanut Brittle Per lb. **15c**
Marshmallows 1-lb. Cello bag **15c**
Milk Choc. Stars ½ lb. **10c**

NAVY BEANS
Fancy Michigan 3 lbs. for **15c**

CRACKERS
Fancy Fresh Sodas 2-lb. caddy **19c**

IGA JELL
Assorted flavors, 4 pkgs. for **19c**

CRISCO
For All Cooking, 3-lb. Tin **62c**

PEACHES
IGA, Del Monte or Libby, No. 2½ Can **19c**

PRUNES
Large, tender, 2 lbs. **22c**
Small Size, 4 lbs. **29c**

BAB-O
The Perfect Cleanser, 3 cans for **25c**

SUGAR
Brown or Powdered, 2 lbs. for **15c**

Grape Nuts Flakes
A Delicious Cereal Regular size Pkgs. 3 for **25c**

BISQUICK
Shirley Temple Cup Free with each Pkg. at **37c**

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Legion Building—Auspices King Korn Klub

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THESE PRICES GOOD FRIDAY - SATURDAY

FOR CASH ONLY
Coffee, Big Buy, 1-lb. can **22c**
Toilet Paper, 1000 sheet, 6 rolls **25c**
Pancake Flour, 3½-lb. pkg. **17c**
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Quicker Suds
Easy on the hands

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THE 27 NAPHTHA SOAP

5 Giant Bars **23c**
5 Regular Bars **27c**

COFFEE BUTTER-NUT
THE COFFEE DELICIOUS

1 lb. Can **30c**

ECONOMY COFFEE
1 lb Pkg. **19c**

Cryst. White Soap Chips, med. pkg. **15c**
Hershey Cocoa, 1-lb. can **14c**

Butter-Nut Salad Dressing
1000 Island - Relish Spread
AT FOLLOWING SPECIAL PRICES
Quart, 35c Pint, 21c 8-oz., 15c

Bowlene, large 26-oz. can **19c**
Baker's Chocolate, ½-lb. cake **17c**
Michigan Beans, 5 lbs. **23c**
Kraut, No. 2 cans, 2 for **15c**
Tomato Juice, No. 2 can **9c**

MEAT DEPARTMENT
FEATURING OUR REGULAR HIGH QUALITY DAILY BEEF AT LOW CASH PRICES

Beef Roast, choice cuts, lb. **13c**
Sirloin or Round Steak, lb. **19c**
Hamburger, fresh cut, 2 lbs. **25c**
Roasts, Boned and Rolled, lb. **18c**
Pork Sausage, lb. **20c**

MUTTON SPECIALS
Chops, lb. **12½c** Leg, lb. **15c**
Stew, lb. **10c** Roast, lb. **13½c**

FRESH OYSTERS - CELERY - DILL PICKLES

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