

High School Dance in Council Bluffs Raided by Police

Three Couples, Taken from Fraternity Affair to Police Headquarters, Dismissed With Lecture.

A squad of Council Bluffs police, headed by Mayor Lou Zurmuehlen, visited the holiday dance of the Beta Phi Sigma high school fraternity in Eagle hall Friday night.

Charges made by Night Captain Shafer that liquor flowed freely at the affair were being investigated today by Federal Agent Sumner Knox and high school authorities.

At least 20 quarts of liquor were found in automobiles, which were parked along the block in front of Eagle hall, which is but a block from the Bluffs police station, according to Shafer.

Three Couples Dismissed. Three couples, said to have been dishevelled and intoxicated, were taken to police headquarters from parked automobiles, given a strict lecture and sent home.

There was no liquor in the hall, the officers indicated. But many of the attendants at the dance were intoxicated, police said.

The Christmas dances of the high school fraternities are considered the peak of winter social activities in the Bluffs and dances have been held almost every night this week by the various fraternities of the high schools.

Officers will be present tonight to see that no liquor is distributed at the so-called dance, which is scheduled for this evening.

Donald Wilcox, president of the Bluffs chapter of the Beta Phi Sigma, declared there was no liquor in the hall and that there was none transported into the hall Friday night.

Candidates for Speaker Must Declare Stand on Klan

Washington, Dec. 30.—Representative Gallivan, democrat, Massachusetts, declared that democrats who go before the party caucus as candidates for speaker of the house in the new congress will be called upon by northern democratic representatives to say where they stand on the question of the Ku Klux Klan.

Woman Held to Grand Jury on Charges of Murder

Louisville, Ky., Dec. 30.—O. L. Black, automobile sales manager, was killed without justification by Mrs. Olive L. Jones, divorcee, in her apartment here last Sunday night, according to the verdict of a coroner's jury yesterday.

Iowa Council Restrained from Ousting School Head

Des Moines, Dec. 30.—The state executive council was temporarily enjoined late yesterday from displacing F. E. McClenahan as state superintendent of public instruction on January 1 by J. C. Hume, in the Polk county district court.

Reception for Bergdoll.

Pensacola, Fla., Dec. 30.—Local police and port officials were early today making preparations to meet the steamer Jupiter, said to be en route to this port with Grover Cleveland Bergdoll, Philadelphia draft dodger, on board as a member of its crew.

Klan Joins Murder Inquiry.

New Orleans, La., Dec. 30.—The Louisiana organization of the Ku Klux Klan will send its own agents into Morehouse parish to investigate the kidnaping and killing of Watt Daniels and Thomas Richards last August, according to an announcement today by a high state official of the Klan.

Church Burglar Is Held.

Charles Arent, who confessed, according to police, that he was the man who was frightened away Christmas eve from chopping the door of the Church of the Immaculate Conception by the pastor, and who was arrested as he emerged from the Grace Methodist church in South Omaha at 5 the morning after Christmas, was bound over to district court under \$2,500 bonds on a charge of burglary by Judge Wappich in Central police court Saturday morning.

Chicago Woman Offers Reward for Lost Dog; Deluged With Pups

Chicago, Dec. 30.—The great south side dog migration is over. Mrs. Edna Peters, who lost a dog named Oswald, notified the police last evening that she had found her pet—not only her own but several others.

When Mrs. Peters started out to hunt her dog, she gave out publicly that she would bestow \$1 upon any boy who found Oswald.

By the time Mrs. Peters arrived at her home, the delegations, leading, carrying and dragging dogs, began to line up.

Dry Chief Pays Visit to Office of U.S. Attorney

H. L. Duncan, Accompanied by Bob Samardick, Calls on Kinsler for Chat.

Robert Samardick, former Omaha police officer and now federal prohibition sleuth working out of the St. Louis office, accompanied by H. L. Duncan of Minneapolis, division prohibition chief over five states, including Nebraska, called on United States Attorney James C. Kinsler Saturday morning.

Asked whether this presaged something extraordinary in liquor raids in this vicinity, Mr. Kinsler replied with an ingenuous smile:

"Oh, no, they just came in for a little social call."

"Bob" Samardick, interviewed later, also smiled and said: "I am just getting through my vacation and called before returning to St. Louis."

Mr. Duncan approached upon the same subject, smiled and explained: "I am on my way to Kansas to testify in some booze cases and just stopped in to say how'do."

U. S. Rohrer, state prohibition director, passed Mr. Samardick in the hall, but they showed no signs of recognizing each other.

Holiday Prices. Holiday prices are being charged for liquor in Omaha.

Genuine before prohibition whisky is said to cost \$25 a quart, by the case \$200 to \$225.

It is reported some genuine Sandy McDonald Scotch has been selling at \$15 a "short" quart. It takes five of these quarts to make a gallon.

Grain alcohol is said to command \$5 a pint and synthetic gin, \$2.50 the pint.

Moonshine is sold at varying prices. According to Police Sergeant Williams the price has recently advanced from \$3 a gallon to \$7.

The inhabitants of Paris eat nearly 2,000,000 pounds of snails every year.

Policeman and Masher Killed in Gun Battle

Three Men Flirt Insult Chicago High School Girl and Shoot Her When Repelled.

Chicago, Dec. 30.—A policeman was killed and one of three men, who accosted and fired upon a party of high school students, slightly wounding a girl, was fatally shot here early today in the ensuing pistol fight with police.

The high school students were returning home from a dance at their school when the three men set upon them.

One of the trio was said to have accosted Minnie Finkelstein, 17, the wounded girl, who resented his remarks.

When the girl remonstrated the man's two companions joined him and he then was reported to have begun firing. Miss Finkelstein was struck in the hip. Then the trio fled.

William J. O'Malley, probationary policeman, was shot as he gave chase to the men. A companion officer firing at the running man, succeeded in halting him with a bullet.

Reeves, or Reese, the name of the family at the address given by the wounded man, died in the hospital.

Although Reeves gave four addresses in Chicago and suburbs when questioned by detectives, he told one

detective that he came to Chicago from Omaha five days ago. He said he had lived at the St. Francis hotel, 1900 Lake street, Omaha. His finger prints were taken but he had no police record so far as shown by the bureau of identification here.

"Divine Sarah" May Return to Stage Next Wednesday

Paris, Dec. 30.—(By A. P.)—"Tell the American people that I shall return to the stage next Wednesday night," said Sarah Bernhardt to The Associated Press last evening in the course of the first interview she has granted since her collapse two weeks ago.

The distinguished actress showed great improvement yesterday, having great luncheon with the members of her household in the dining room. Her physicians declared that they were of the belief that the collapse of Madame Bernhardt was due only to over-exertion and strain.

"Tell my American friends," Bernhardt added, "that I am far from dead or dying, as some of the reports would have it, and that this rest, as I choose to call it, probably will give me a new lease on life."

Window Glass Workers Granted Wage Increase

Cleveland, Dec. 30.—A new wage rate beginning January 9 was effected here by representatives of the National Window Glass Workers association and the National Association of Window Glass Manufacturers.

Under the agreement, workers in all plants in the country will receive a 13 per cent increase in wages over that granted last September for the period ending January 27.

The increase, however, includes a 10 per cent raise which became effective December 1.

Bee Want Ads produce results.

The Brandeis Store Restaurants

Tenth Floor

Announcement to Our Patrons

The restaurants will be closed New Year's Eve, but will be open from noon to midnight New Year's Day.

New Year's Day Dinner

Served from 12:30 to 10:00 P. M. \$2.00 per Person

MENU

- Oyster Cocktail, Fruit Supreme, Celery, Mixed Olives, Consomme Brunoise, Cream of Fresh Tomatoes, ROAST VERMONT TURKEY, Giblets and Cranberry Sauce, ROAST WATERTOWN GOOSE, Apple Sauce, Candied Sweet Potatoes, Asparagus Hollandaise, SALAD IN SEASON, Coup Jacques, Cakes, Coffee, Tea, Milk, Chocolate

A La Carte as Usual

Take 17th Street Elevators

THE BRANDEIS STORE

A New Year's Greeting

We take pleasure in announcing that the business done at The Brandeis Store during the holiday season now closed was the largest in the history of the institution. For this we are glad, not for ourselves alone, but rather that it all shows a return of prosperity.

Impersonal as they may seem, business institutions are not free from the emotions that move individuals. It is proper, then, that the sincere gratitude we feel be frankly expressed at the threshold of this New Year.

We are deeply grateful for the confidence our customers have ever manifested in this business institution, for their liberal patronage, for their appreciation of our efforts to give them service, for the good words they have often spoken in our behalf.

We are grateful for the fidelity of the men and women who comprise our business organization—for the co-operation that has made possible the wonderful growth of The Brandeis Store.

We are grateful for America—for its liberty and its union. We are grateful for Nebraska—for its health and its wealth; for the industry and the enterprise of its people; for its bounteous harvests past and greater harvests yet to come.

We are grateful for all the so-called simple things of life that give to men the surest part of human joy; for all the "Lights of Love" that keep the hearts of men aglow; the "Lights of Love" within whose radiance friendships form and bud anew with passing years; the "Lights of Love" that hover over every cradle and linger over every grave; the "Lights of Love" that line the pathway of the little child and shine like gentle benedictions where the mother gives God's service to the sons of men; the "Lights of Love" that fall athwart the threshold of the home and bid us welcome to the peace that gives relief from struggle and from toil.

J. L. BRANDEIS & SONS

THE BRANDEIS STORE

Commencing Tuesday, January 2, Our January White Sales

Will Eclipse All Other Sales of Their Kind Heretofore Held in This Big Store

During These Great Sales You Will Find in the Many Departments Participating

Mountains of White Merchandise in Magnificent Array

Bought When the Market was Low, We Will Sell This Merchandise on the Present High Market

At Low Market Prices

Since we bought most of this merchandise the price of raw cotton has increased more than 25%. And the price continues to go upward. The prices of silks and linens have likewise increased. But in the January White Sales The Brandeis Store customers will buy this merchandise at the low market prices, thus profiting by our early and advantageous purchases.

A Large Percentage of This Merchandise Has Been Bought Through Great Concessions Made to Us, and We Will Offer It to Our Customers Accordingly.

During This Sale in Addition to the Low Prices Made Possible Through Special and Early Purchases, All White Merchandise Has Been Marked at a Much Closer Margin, Thus Giving Our Customers Extraordinary Advantages.

The Departments Which Will be Featured Tuesday in These Sales Are—

Linens, Domestics, Wash Goods, Philippine Underwear, Laces and Embroideries

In addition to these, the following departments will feature white merchandise: Silks, Infants' Wear, Fancy Goods, Knit Underwear, Neckwear, Corsets, Blouses, Hosiery and Notions.



Special Notices

Our sale of domestic Muslin Underwear will begin Thursday, January 4.

Our sale of Silk Underwear will not begin until Saturday, January 6. Some of the best bargains in that line we have purchased for this event have not arrived. The prices and offerings are however so attractive that it will be worth your while to wait for your silk underwear purchases until Saturday, January 6th.