

Man Admits \$5,000 Theft from Mails

Former Mail Clerk Held at Bluffs Confesses Looting Registered Mail in California.

Orin Towne, former substitute clerk in the Sacramento (Cal.) post-office, arrested Thursday in Council Bluffs, made a detailed confession of his theft of \$9,000 in \$5 and \$10 bills to Postoffice Inspectors Coble, Matzen and Randall.

He said he spent \$25 for a violin, \$112.50 for a saxophone and \$18 for a guitar. He also bought a second-hand car and various other things and then started out with his three children in the car to visit relatives and friends in Iowa. He is a native of Abingdon, Ia., having left there five years ago for California.

Mr. Coble said he received a radio message today from California stating that \$4,067 was found in the possession of Towne's wife. But counting this and the \$1,910 found on Towne, and the small sums he says he spent about \$3,000 of the stolen money remains unaccounted for.

On his trip east he said he left the bundle of bills unattended in a brown paper bag in his automobile.

He obtained the package of money from a registered mail bag, concealed it in his locker and carried it to his home in Sacramento when he was through work, he said.

He unwrapped it and counted it, finding \$9,000 in \$5, \$10 and \$20 bills, he said. He concealed it in a box at home.

Towne will be returned to California for trial.

Youth Escapes from County Jail

Coolly Leaves Prison After Shaving; Mistaken for Lawyer.

A cool escape from the Douglas county jail was made this morning by Elias Rose, alias Rowe, who was lodged in the county jail while being transferred from St. Paul to Salt Lake City under custody of a sheriff.

Rose was brought out of his solitary cell Saturday morning to be shaved by another prisoner. As soon as the shave was over he took advantage of the fact that nobody was watching him at the moment, walked to the elevator, and told the elevator man he wanted to stop in the sheriff's office for a moment before leaving the building. As he was in street clothes, the elevator man took him for a lawyer.

Once out of the elevator, he walked through the sheriff's office, where he was not known, out into the hall and took the main elevator to the ground floor before his absence was noticed.

Hydrant Rental Is Ordered Paid

Mandamus ordering City Comptroller R. R. Grotte to countersign a check making over to the water district \$11,910.17, now in the county treasury from the hydrant rental tax, was issued Saturday morning in equity court by Judge Hastings.

A hearing will be held early in September to adjust claims amounting to \$19,958.44, the remainder of the receipts from the hydrant rental, in the comptroller's claims is owing to the city and for which the water district claims that the city has already received an adequate offset.

John Moriarty, assistant city attorney, at first asked for the city that the entire hearing be postponed until W. C. Lambert, corporation counsel, returns.

The water district pleaded that an emergency exists, as the funds of the water plant are already overdrawn and heavy demands are being made upon its treasury just now.

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"King Cotton" Baby Awarded Prize



Deeked out as "King Cotton," little Lawrence B. Sander, shown above in his royal carriage, won first prize at cotton carnival at Opelousas, La.

Vacation Bible School Closes

Exhibit Held by Class at Fellowship House of Baptists.

Miss Florence Rhoades, choir director of Grace Baptist church, is spending her vacation in the mountains near Boulder, Colo.

The daily vacation Bible school held at Fellowship House closed recently with an exhibit and appropriate exercises. It had an enrollment of 179. The school at Mary Mann mission closed at the same time, the enrollment was 90. Some of the activities are being continued throughout the year.

Miss Lillie Lind and Miss Winnie Lind from Polk, Neb., students at the Christian training school at Minneapolis, have been helping at Fellowship House and Mary Mann mission this summer.

Several young people from Grace Baptist church are teaching English to the Mexicans at Gibson. The railroad company has equipped a boxcar for the purpose. There are 20 students.

Omaha Girl Takes First Plane Ride

W. W. Koller of the Gordon Fireproof Warehouse and Van company and his daughter, Rosemary, 9, took their first airplane ride Friday at Fort Crook.

The ride in one of the 10 ships which have been in storage at the Gordon warehouses and which have been ordered sold to pay storage charges. The ships were placed there a year or so ago by the Curtiss Airplane and Motor company, to be delivered to a Nebraska airplane concern which later went out of business. Sheriff Endres is to sell them Tuesday.

Miss Adams returned recently from England, where it was known she conferred with Kipling. She intended sailing for India soon, where the scene of "Kim" is laid. Filming of the picture there is expected to take at least six months.

Business Good.

According to statistics, Omaha's per capita business transacted in one week was \$235. Philadelphia, with a population of 1,823,779, had an average of \$163; Cleveland, with a population of 736,841, had an average of \$195; and Chicago, with 2,701,705, had an average of \$222.

Statistics compiled for the bureau of publicity, Omaha Chamber of Commerce, Friday, show that Omaha ranks sixth in per capita business transacted among 64 cities having more than 100,000 population. For one week in August the bank deposits of Omaha totaled \$44,945,000. Fifty-eight cities, many of them having twice the population of Omaha, had smaller averages.

Except for Kansas City, Omaha led all of the middle western cities and was not very far behind the large coast cities.

Few Burglaries.

A paucity of burglaries in Omaha is reflected by the "sneak" book at Central Police station.

During the past three days only eight burglaries have been reported and of these one has been solved by police and the missing property returned.

Acting Chief of Detectives Anderson attributes this small number of robberies to the new system of picking up all men in the city who are known to have suspicious records.

Concord Picnic. Fifty members of the Omaha Concord club prepared their own dinner and ate it with relish at the Olive Crest farm Friday night. Sam Dresher, head chef, prepared tempting dishes of sweet corn, baked potatoes and broiled steaks.

Everett Dodds was there with the liquid refreshments. Only four men, Al Rasp, president Jim Carr, Walter Roessig and Bill Mickle, knew where the picnic was to be held when the party started.

Building Permits. Frank W. Whitney, 4619 North Thirty-third and California, took store building, 14,000 sq. ft. Moore, 1710 North Fifty-fifth street, frame dwelling, \$1,500. H. J. Blum, 424 North Forty-seventh street, frame dwelling, \$2,500.

Pinchot Calls Peace Meeting

Pennsylvania Governor Deputed by Coolidge to Soothe Strike Sentiment.

Chief developments in the coal situation are:

1. Governor Pinchot of Pennsylvania summoned representatives of the anthracite operators and miners to meet at Harrisburg Monday in a final effort to reach some agreement that will avert a walkout September 1. Pinchot, deputed by President Coolidge, "find a solution," which will avert a strike, has consummated a plan of action.

2. At Atlantic City, representatives of the miners and operators agreed that a mere summoning of the warring factions for another conference, will be without results unless Governor Pinchot is prepared to offer "constructive suggestions." The miners are proceeding with plans to issue the suspension order to the 155,000 anthracite miners Tuesday.

3. Illinois union bituminous miners pledge moral and financial aid to anthracite workers and "any other kind of support you may want," through a telegram from James Mason, secretary to Frank Farrington, union leader, to John L. Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers.

4. The federal government marks time, awaiting results of Governor Pinchot's intervention, with the entire responsibility temporarily, at least, shifted from Washington to Harrisburg.

Butler Sued for \$5,000 Damages

Dan B. Butler had no right to order them to search his car, claims Earl Newsom in filing suit for damages amounting to \$5,000 against the police commissioner because the Newsom automobile was searched and its owner arrested for illegal possession of liquor.

Newsom was enjoying a little Sunday evening ride on August 19, says his petition, filed yesterday in the district court, when at 9:30 p. m. he was stopped at Tenth and Pierce by Police Officers Eggers and Reilly, searched and arrested under a blanket order issued by Butler, that all cars passing that corner be searched.

A bed will never stay neat if the sheets are too short.

FRECKLE-FACE

Here's a chance, Miss Freckle-face, to try a remedy for freckles with the guarantee of a reliable concern that it will not cost you a penny unless it removes the freckles; while if it does give you a clear complexion the expense is trifling.

Simply get an ounce of Othine—double strength—from any drug and a few applications should show you how easy it is to rid yourself of the homely freckles and get a beautiful complexion. Rarely is more than one ounce needed for the worst case.

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On Face In Rash. Cuticura Healed.

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"I started using Cuticura Soap and Ointment and they helped me, and after using three boxes of Soap and one box of Ointment I was healed." (Signed) Miss Blanche Welch, 417 E. Third Ave., Mitchell, S. Dak.

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For Monday Only

A Big Lot of Sport Silk Dresses \$9.95

There are about 60 Dresses in this special lot. Materials of Fru Fru, Velvets, Cantons and Tub Silks.

Values Up to \$59.00

Special While They Last

Second Floor

New Dresses

Our New Fall Dresses are arriving every hour. All the new shades and materials, Cantons, Crepe Satins, Crepe Reneaus, Poiret Twills. You will save money by filling your dress needs here at our special cash prices.

Sport Coats

200 New Winter Coats—the newest sport styles in Francine, Bolivias, Velours—many fur trimmed and full lined.

Second Floor

House Dresses \$1.50

Values Up to \$2.95

In our House Dress Department we are showing a Street, Porch and House Dress in 5 different models. Some with organdy collars and cuffs. These Dresses sold as high as \$2.98.

Second Floor

TRY HAYDEN'S FIRST

The New Silks, Woolens and Velvets Have Arrived

---We've Prepared Many Interesting Specials For Monday

(Main Floor)

Satin Crepes \$2.75

A Wonderful Quality

Mallinson's famous Chinchilla Satin Crepes in the popular shades of navy, seal and black. This is to be one of the most popular fabrics of the season.

Chiffon Velvets \$7.50

Regular \$8.50 Values

The new chiffon velvets, a beautiful lustrous kind in every one of the popular colors and black, 40 inches wide.

Costume Velvets \$4.45

Extra Special Value

Rich, lustrous costume velvets in black, navy, Copenhagen and seal, fast pile, firmly woven and fast colors—full 36 inches wide.

New Winter Coatings

New wool coatings, 54 inches in width. Wonderful selections in black, navy, brown and gray.

\$3.95 to \$9.50 Yd.

Featuring New Fall Oxfords in the Well-Known Grover Makes

Grover Street Oxfords \$9.85 For Monday

Grover street oxfords with welt soles and rubber heels, in black or brown, French kid—the foot comfort last.

Nurses' Oxfords \$5.95

Nurses' oxfords in turn soles with rubber heels, made in soft, pliable black kid.

Grover Hand-Turned Pumps \$5.45

Hand-turned two-strap pumps for street or house wear, sizes AAA to EE.

Monday's Special Offerings in Floor Coverings

Brussels Rugs

Seamless Tapestry Brussels Rugs in neat all-over patterns.

Size 6x9, special \$7.98

Size 7-6x9, special \$12.98

Size 8-3x10-6, spec. \$15.98

Size 9x12, special \$18.95

Velvet Rugs \$2.80

Large selection of Velvet Rugs, size 27x54 inches, fringed ends. \$4.00 special.

Wilton Rugs

Genuine Wilton Rugs in good heavy quality, fringed ends.

9x12, special—\$59.85

8-3x10-6, special—\$58.95

Sales of Dinnerware

Very interesting in the price savings.

Dinner Set 42-piece Dinner Set, service for 6 persons. \$6.95

Tumblers 10c thin Flint Blown Tumblers, 5c Each

Water Set \$1.75 7-piece flint Blown Water Set, \$1.00

Water Pitcher \$1.00 Heavy Pressed Water Pitcher—75c

Ladies' Ribbed Union Suits 44c

Regular 89c Values

Ladies' Ribbed Union Suits—Built-up shoulders and bodice top. Sizes 34 to 44.

Second Floor

Grocery and Market Sales for Monday

10 Bars F. & G. Soap 40c

1 lb. Tall Cobee Alaska Salmon Monday only 22c

Dosen cans 22c

Sweet Tea Variety, new stock, 1 can 12c; case, dozen \$1.50

Imported Sardines in Olive Oil, regularly 12 1/2c. Monday only 9c

Dosen cans 10c

Hayden's Health Flour \$1.75

Blue Bell Flour \$1.53

TEA AND COFFEE DEPT.

Hayden's famous Santos Coffee, lb. 25c

4 lb. 1.00

Hayden's Excela coffee, lb. 30c

5 lb. 1.38

Hayden's No. 1 Spider Leg Tea, Monday only 60c

Tea Siftings for Ice Tea, lb. 15c

3 lb. 41c

DRIED FRUITS.

Fancy Santa Clara Prunes, lb. 10c

Fancy Thompson Seedless Raisins, lb. 10c

Evaporated Apples, lb. 10c

Evaporated Peaches, lb. 10c

BREAKFAST FOOD.

Corn Flakes, pkg. 15c

Grape Nuts, pkg. 15c

MARKET.

Steer Round or Sirloin Steak, lb. 17 1/2c

Pork Chops, lb. 17 1/2c

Cudahy's narrow, lean Breakfast Bacon, lb. 24 1/2c

Fresh Smoked Minnesota Ham, lb. 15c

Ham, sliced, vacuum packed, 15c

Homemade Liver Sausage, 12 1/2c

BUTTER, CHEESE, EGG DEPT.

Hayden's Special Tub Creamery Butter, lb. 40c

Fresh Country Eggs, dozen 24c

Res Nut Osmogazine, 12c

Wisconsin Cream Cheese, 28c

Monday Sales of Wall Paper

Fourth Floor

Adds So Much and Costs So Little

Papers for every room in the house. Values to 12 1/2c. Monday, at per roll. 5c

Bedroom paper, floral stripe and chintz patterns, values to 24c. Monday, at per roll. 9c

30-inch Duplex Oatmeal paper (the very best oatmeal made). In six new shades. Regularly 29c. Monday, per roll. 12 1/2c

Varnish tiles for kitchen and bath room, in new designs and colors. Regularly 29c. Monday, at per roll. 14c

All above items sold with border or bands.

Will Photograph Sun Eclipse 4 Miles in Air

Lieut. John A. MacReady, U. S. Army, holder of the world's altitude record and who, with Lieut. Oakley Kelley, flew across the continent in a non-stop flight, will pilot an airplane 20,000 feet above Rockwell field, San Diego, Cal., on September 10, so that Lieut. A. W. Stevens may make aerial photographs of the total solar eclipse. They will be furnished to any scientist interested. Lieut. Stevens is the most expert photographer in the air service.

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