

### Improvers to Fight Speeders

#### Clubs Unite to Call Meeting to Curb Reckless Driving.

A move to change the sentiment of Omaha regarding speeding will be started at a meeting in the near future in the council chamber of city hall. This was voted Monday night by representatives of various improvement clubs at the West Leavenworth improvement club.

H. C. Timme of the Fontenelle club advocated a license ordinance. "An ordinance which would revoke a man's license to drive a car for six months and give him 90 days in jail, for speeding, reckless driving or operating a car while drunk, would meet every requirement in curbing the careless drivers in Omaha," he stated.

Mr. Timme advocated abolition of pardons for convicted violators of motor laws.

#### Would Insure Motorists.

Robert Olmstead of the Florence organization declared turn signals on cars caused many accidents. He said frequently the lights do not register correctly. He favored a system of insurance to be renewed when the car license is applied for. Insurance companies, he argued, would refuse to take a risk when the car owner had been arrested twice or more times for breaking speed and driving laws.

Stopping automobiles at the intersections of boulevards and principal thoroughfares was urged. Dan Butler declared Dodge, Farnam, Leavenworth, Twenty-fourth and Sixteenth streets should be classed as principal arteries of traffic and be governed by boulevard rules.

Judge Frank Dinsen stated that speeding is a disease, of which the remedy is not known; the only thing to do being to experiment.

Frank Johnson, Tenth Ward; H. C. Timme, Fontenelle; T. E. Price, Florence, and Ray J. Sutton, West Leavenworth clubs, were appointed a committee to prepare for the meeting at city hall.

### OUCH! LUMBAGO! RUB PAINS FROM SORE, LAME BACK

Back hurt you? Can't straighten up without sudden pain, sharp aches and twinges? Now listen! That's lumbago, sciatica, or maybe from a strain, and you'll get relief the moment you rub your back with soothing, penetrating St. Jacobs Oil. Nothing else takes out soreness, lameness and stiffness so quickly. You simply rub it on your back, and out comes the pain. It is harmless, and doesn't burn the skin.

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### Engineer Visits Father by Plane



Lawrence Ensminger

Columbus, Neb., Dec. 4.—Lawrence Ensminger, former Columbus boy and engineer on the Union Pacific railroad, running from his home in North Platte to Grand Island in the road's fast freight service, visited his father, L. E. Ensminger, here by airplane, making the trip from North Platte to Columbus, a distance of 206 miles, in 2 hours and 20 minutes.

Ensminger offered to take Ledbetter to Grand Island and arrived there in plenty of time ahead of the train to enable Ledbetter to board it again. For this action Ensminger received the special commendation from several of the leading officials of the Union Pacific system. Ensminger's machine is a three-passenger Laird-Swallow which he has owned for more than two years, having learned to fly three years ago when his interest became aroused in the activities at the United States Mail landing field in North Platte and one of the aircraft pilots gave him the first lessons in flying, resulting in a still increasing interest which has since developed into his pet hobby.

#### Motor Company Quits.

St. Louis, Dec. 4.—Dissolution of the Dorris Motor Car company, which manufactured the Dorris automobile was voted by stockholders at a meeting here today.

A meeting has been called tomorrow at which plans of refinancing the company or selling it, will be considered.

#### Marullo Stops Buck.

New Orleans, La., Dec. 3.—Young Marullo of New Orleans, knocked out

### Witness Says Chioldo Victim Was Dangerous

#### Housekeeper Testifies Bonacci Threatened to 'Kill Everybody—Others on Stand.

Mrs. Rosella K. Martin, housekeeper for V. P. Chioldo for 26 years, testified yesterday afternoon in criminal division of district court that Frank Bonacci was a dangerous man, feared by her and others. Chioldo is charged with manslaughter for slaying Bonacci, his nephew, April 14.

"Early in the war Frank deserted the army and came home," she said. "Six soldiers came to arrest him and were afraid to go into the room where he was. They finally went in after me and he was arrested and sent to Leavenworth."

"The afternoon of the shooting, Jennie Bonacci, sister of Frank came home crying. Her dress was torn, her face and arms bloody and her chest scratched. Frank came down soon and pushed through the house declaring he was going to 'kill everybody.' He kept patting his side pocket as if he had a gun."

Defense counsel sought to bring out that Frank was trying to force his sister to marry a man, by which marriage he was to gain financially, but it was ruled out.

Leona Mergen, secretary of Chioldo for 12 years, testified that she was in his office when she heard the shooting. She opened the door and saw Bonacci run past and Chioldo came walking after him at some distance.

"I was so frightened I could hardly look the door," she said, breaking down for a moment.

Mrs. A. W. Sandstrom, tenant in the Leone apartment, told how she looked out of her window and saw Chioldo. She turned away for a moment during which she heard the shot. When she looked out again she saw a cloud of smoke from which emerged Bonacci with Chioldo following close behind.

The prosecution rested its case at 3, after less than three hours of evidence.

Two policemen, who work at night, were given a place to sleep in the stenographer's room while waiting to be called to the witness stand.

### Radio Waves in One Direction

London, Dec. 4.—Signor Marconi said today that in the next few weeks he planned to begin tests between London and New York of his system of projecting radio waves in a desired direction.

"You see that lamp there," he said, pointing to the electric light over the desk in his office in the Strand. "It's light rays spread all over the room in every direction; but if you put a reflector behind it the rays shoot but in one direction. That's what we are doing with radio rays. Our experiment is putting a reflector behind them. Heretofore we have been unable to keep radio rays from going through a reflector, but now we finally have got a sort of screen which stops them."

### Moron Kidnaps 12-Year-Old Girl

#### Child Disappears on Trip to Grocery Store for Mother.

Chicago, Dec. 4.—After more than 36 hours of search, the police have concluded that 12-year-old Rose Borth, who disappeared from her home Sunday evening, has been kidnaped by a moron.

Rose had been sent for groceries and they, with her cap, were found in a vacant lot near her home.

A woman told the police that she saw a girl answering Rose's description with a man about 45 years old shortly after the girl left home. She said the child looked as if she had been crying.

The police said they were seeking a self-styled "celestial angel and heavenly father" as the possible kidnaper of Rose. They said he was described in criminal records as a moron and maniac. He is said to have escaped recently from a state hospital for the insane at Elgin, where he was sent after conviction for attacking children in his religious cult under guise of performing a religious ceremony.

### Honey Producers Will Meet Here

Members of the Nebraska Honey Producers' association will meet in the office of the Douglas county agricultural extension agent in the courthouse Thursday morning, December 6.

Dr. E. F. Phillips, government sanitarian of Washington, D. C., will speak.

At noon there will be a banquet in the Burgess-Nash tea room and at 2 in the afternoon a meeting in the Burgess-Nash auditorium.

C. E. Carhart of Wayne, Neb., is president of the association.

### Stops Speeding Train.

Chicago, Dec. 3.—A new safety device that will automatically stop a speeding train against which a block has been set, even though the engineer may not be in the cab, was announced today by officials of the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railway company, which has installed the device on its double track main line between Chicago and Rock Island, Illinois.

The appliance, known as the Regan device, railroad officials declared, makes the operation of trains 100 per cent safe as far as the danger of collision is concerned.

### Michael J. O'Hara Dies.

Fremont, Neb., Dec. 4.—Michael J. O'Hara, 73, of North Bend, former Dodge county supervisor, died at the family home Monday night, following a prolonged illness.

O'Hara came to Dodge county in 1899, where he became one of the successful farmers of the vicinity.

### Divorce Plaintiff Offers Bit of Advice



"A 21-year-old baby has no business marrying a baldheaded rich man," said Mrs. Joseph Cooper (above), suing rich Kansas City, Mo., husband for divorce.

### Third Degree Used After Vajrt Arrest

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That someone whom Milford was going to 'get' wasn't he?"

"That is what he said."

"And he said that Runty threatened to send him back to Milford where he would be 'taken care of,' didn't he?"

"He certainly did."

"In your opinion the fellow didn't know what he was answering, did he?"

"I don't think he did."

Scott also testified that he had "quite a lot of sympathy for these people, although I have not known them before."

"You treated them well, didn't you?" asked Thomas.

"The best I knew how," the sheriff replied.

Scott declared that while Vajrt had been in his custody at the jail he had been in a very nervous condition and that he had had to call the doctor twice to care for him.

After Scott had been dismissed, the state offered in evidence the confession secured from Vajrt and his daughter as the judge sustained the prosecution over the vigorous objection of the defense.

"It is for the jury to say whether or not these confessions are voluntary and the jury will be instructed that, if it finds them otherwise, they are to disregard them entirely," Judge Corcoran said.

"I have read every Nebraska case bearing on the point and am sustained by them."

The defense asked to have entered in the record the statement that it would show that Runty cursed Vajrt, that he was in a very nervous state a good deal of the time, and that he was threatened with the "Milford gang." It was allowed and the state countered with a written objection stating that the jury has the right of opinion as to whether the confession is induced or voluntary.

Took Correspondence Course.

The request by the defense to search for precedence to sustain their

objection to the introduction of the confession was allowed by the court as Thomas brought in an armload of legal books to prove that the confession has no place in the list of exhibits until the state has thoroughly laid its foundation. Judge Corcoran declared that he would give his final decision on the matter tomorrow.

When the court convened today, Constable Runty was recalled to the witness stand and swore that he had used no "third degree" methods on Vajrt. His only knowledge of the "third degree," he said, had come from reading newspapers and that he knew nothing of the methods of application.

He admitted that he was a "student of criminology" and had taken a correspondence school course in the detection of criminals.

The examination of the 304-pound constable by Thomas was vigorous and searching and "I don't remember" was Runty's frequent reply to many of his pertinent questions.

Word that Constable Runty was undergoing close examination spread like wild fire over this county seat and the courtroom was packed with eager spectators come to hear the reply of the "detective" to the thrusts of Thomas.

The state said tonight that it hoped to rest its case early tomorrow morning.

Mrs. Douglas Welpton will give a studio tea December 11.

## What's the Verdict?

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