

WOMAN STOPS HIGHWAYMAN

Seizes Masked Man, White Gun From Him, Takes Revolver

ROBBER TURNS OUT TO BE MERE BOY

Released When Confronted by Pleading Mother and Sister and Under Solemn Promise to Not Repeat the Act

The fearful pleading of a widowed mother and a sister, the repeated promise of a distracted boy and the tender sympathy of a traveling man and his woman friend, probably have saved one Omaha youth from the possibility of a life of crime...

A night of two ago a young woman and her gentleman escort were returning from a visit with friends and while leisurely walking on Castelar street between Twenty-first and Twenty-second, they were accosted by a footpad wearing a black cloth mask...

The inexperienced robber gasped for mercy as well as he could with the woman's lightning grasp on his throat. She finally released her hold and tearing the mask from the young man's face, they permitted him to regain his feet.

While the footpad's attention was momentarily diverted to the young woman her escort grasped the pistol hand of the robber, the young woman sprang at him, seized him by the throat, pressed the robber to the ground and held him down with her knees while her escort, wrenched the pistol from his hand, badly lacerating one of his own hands in the scuffle.

The boy began crying and between his sobs, told them that he lived with a widow mother and sister on Williams street and that they were people of the highest respectability.

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Sandstrom Charges Defendant with Staying in Sporting Resort and Appeals Case to the District Court.

The arrest of Otto Bernhard by Officer Sandstrom Tuesday for being an inmate of a house of ill fame and for which Bernhard was fined \$20 and costs in police court Wednesday, has created a commotion among police officials.

Bernhard, who has been arrested before, once on the charge of petit larceny, and again as a suspicious character, was first arrested by Officer Sandstrom at the resort where he was the proprietor of a sporting resort declared that Bernhard spent five weeks in his place, going there about 2 o'clock in the morning and staying till 11 or 12 o'clock in the afternoon.

Wednesday some people visited Chief Donahue and asked that Officer Sandstrom be suspended for using undue violence in arresting Bernhard, a request Chief Donahue at once refused as ridiculous.

When asked what he knew about the matter Sergeant Dempsey said: "I ordered Bernhard released because Chief Donahue told me to do so. I mentioned this order to City Prosecutor Lee and I cannot understand Sandstrom's statement about Mr. Lee being ignorant about it. And as for allowing Bernhard to sign his own bond I did this on my own responsibility and I felt safe that he would appear when wanted."

"I cannot tell," said the sergeant; "that is the desk sergeant's work. Do you know any reason why Chief Donahue told you to dismiss the case without giving Sandstrom a chance to put forward his evidence?" was the next question.

"I am not responsible for what Chief Donahue does," was the response, "but I hear that Bernhard had accused Sandstrom of having a woman in a room, making the accusation to Chief Donahue, and perhaps the chief thought that Sandstrom exercised a little personal ill-feeling in arresting the man."

Chief Donahue was asked if he gave Sergeant Dempsey an order to dismiss the case. "No," answered the chief, "I did not. I told Dempsey to investigate the case thoroughly and if he thought the case worthy of dismissal to dismiss it."

Bernhard has appealed the case to the district court on the decision rendered by Police Judge Berka.

YOUNG MEN'S SUIT SALE

J. L. Brandeis & Sons Announce an Extraordinary Clothing Event for Saturday, June 25.

A great manufacturer's stock of young men's and small size men's high grade summer suits, bought by us at an absurd price, will go on sale Saturday.

DIVISIONS ARE ALL NAMED

Sections of Union Pacific Designated Under Redistricting Plan Recently Put in Effect.

The official circular making several changes in the divisions of the Union Pacific which were announced in The Bee several weeks ago, has been issued.

Under the new order the line from Grand Island to North Platte will be known as the western district of the Nebraska division. The line from Cheyenne to North Platte will be attached to the Wyoming division and will be known as the eastern district of that division.

The following circular making several changes in the divisions of the Union Pacific which were announced in The Bee several weeks ago, has been issued.

AMES ESTATE WILL BUILD

Plans Erection of Five-story Structure Where Allen Bros' Building Stood.

Authority for the construction of a notable improvement to the wholesale district was secured by the F. L. Ames estate for the construction of a five-story brick warehouse at 281-1/2 Jones street, on the site of the building occupied by Allen Bros., destroyed by fire last Thanksgiving.

CUT IN CANNED GOODS RATE

Fourteen Cents Knocked Off of Tariff From Baltimore to Missouri River.

A rate of 60 cents per hundred on canned goods has been announced by roads not routes to golf reefs from Baltimore to the Missouri river. The regular rate is 54 cents per hundred.

TWO COUNTS FOR SWITALA

Double Charge Filed Against Man Who is Accused of Shooting Officer Halterman.

Frank Switala of 2423 South Twenty-ninth street, has been arraigned in police court on information filed by Assistant County Attorney Weaver, charging the defendant with shooting with intent to kill and with intent to wound, there being two counts in the information.

Switala, waivered examination in police court and was bound over to the district court. The bond was placed at \$2,500.

July Fourth Excursion Rates via Rock Island System.

East of Missouri river, one and one-half fare for round trip between stations within 200 miles.

West of Missouri river, one fare plus 50 cents for round trip between all points on Rock Island and Frisco systems.

Tickets on sale July 2, 3 and 4. Return limit July 8. For further information call at 1232 Farnam street, or Union station.

F. P. RUTHERFORD, D. P. A., 1232 Farnam Street, Omaha, Neb.

Attention, Lady Macbeths. All members of Hollister live, No. 11, are requested to meet at hall, Continental block, Friday, at 1 p. m., June 24, to attend the funeral of Lady Rose Huston, which will be held from Christian Tabernacle, corner of Scott and Myrster streets, Council Bluffs, Ia.

By order of commander. MINNIE PRICHARD. CAROLINE PIERSON, R. K.

Atlantic City Excursions Via Vandalia-Pennsylvania Lines.

An opportunity to visit Atlantic City on excursion tickets is offered at reduced fares during July via Vandalia-Pennsylvania lines.

Do Not Wait Until You Need It. The season is again at hand when diarrhoea and dysentery are prevalent.

Finest Cut Glass, Edholm, Jeweler.

Fourth of July Rates. The Illinois Central will sell excursion tickets to points within 200 miles of Omaha at rate of fare and one-third for the round trip.

Mecca Court, No. 15. Tribe of Ben Hur, will give a shirt waist party Friday evening, June 24, at its hall, Sixteenth and Harney streets.

Steamship tickets from all European ports at half the usual rates. Call or write P. H. Philbin, 1906 Farnam street, Omaha.

Mortality Statistics. The following circular making several changes in the divisions of the Union Pacific which were announced in The Bee several weeks ago, has been issued.

DIED. McDERMOTT—Alice, Thursday morning, June 23, at the residence of her parents, 202 Clark street.

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Nebraska Clothing Co. A Man's Straw Hat. The exact style of this picture for \$1.00. The greatest hat value of the season, takes place here tomorrow. For one dollar we will sell a man's straw hat, that every hat store in town are asking \$1.50.

Burlington Route SPECIAL LOW RATES. St. Louis and return—Tickets good in chair cars (seats free) and coaches, on sale every Monday in June... \$8.50. St. Louis and return—on sale July 2 to 6, inclusive... \$11.75.

The letters of Miss Merkley, whose picture is printed above, and Miss Claussen, prove beyond question that thousands of cases of inflammation of the ovaries and womb are annually cured by the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—Gradual loss of strength and nerve force told me something was radically wrong with me.



World's Fair Round Trips. St. Louis, Mondays... \$8.50. St. Louis, daily... \$13.80. St. Louis, July 2 to 6... \$11.75.

MacCarthy Tailoring Company. On the theory of the dealer who, during an extremely cold snap last winter, closed his store and placed a sign in front reading, 'Closed on Account of the Heat,' one would wear a homespun suit "on account of the coolness."

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New World's Fair Trains. READ DOWN. 7:45 A. M. 6:30 P. M. Lv. Omaha Arr. St. Louis 8:20 A. M. 9:00 P. M. Lv. Council Bluffs Arr. World's Fair Station Lv. 7:45 P. M. 7:15 A. M. Arr. St. Louis Lv. 7:30 P. M. 9:00 A. M.

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