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WOMAN WATCHES ROBBERS

Three Men Blow Safe and Loot the Bank at Kramer.

CASHIER NOTIFIED OF FACT

When He Arrives at Bank Robbers Had Gone, Taking Their Plan-der with Them—Trail is Lost.

KRAMER, Neb., March 12.—(Special Tel-gram.)—Mrs. Sarah Weiss of Kramer watched three men loot the Kramer State bank of \$1,000 at 1 o'clock this morning and then tried to give the alarm. Before assistance could arrive the robbers had fled on a railroad velocipede.

Mrs. Weiss was awakened by the men at work at the bank, across the street from her house. She heard the explosion and saw three men running toward the bank. Hastily clothing herself, she ran two blocks through the snow to the home of Paul Beck, the cashier, and gave the alarm. Mr. Beck ran at once to the bank, but the robbers had fled.

The safe was completely demolished by the force of the explosion and many valuable papers were ruined. The trail was followed to the railroad track, where the men stole a three-wheeled velocipede. By means of the snow on the rails they were traced to the Rock Island crossing east of here. From there it is believed they fled toward Martel, on the Rock Island, but a passing freight train spoiled the trail.

PUBLIC LIBRARY FOR PONCA

Commercial Club and Business Men Support Proposed Plan.

PONCA, Neb., March 12.—(Special.)—Ponca is soon to have a public library and reading room. The matter was presented to the Commercial club and was enthusiastically in supporting it. A committee consisting of Rev. Mr. Koolen, pastor of the German church, and G. L. Wood, Ponca's mayor, was appointed.

The plan put into operation last summer by a few wealthy men of Sioux City to have the Young Men's Christian association organized in every county in northeast Nebraska will probably be organized here in connection with this movement. About fifty of Ponca's business men are ready to stand by the work.

News from Peru.

PERU, Neb., March 12.—(Special.)—Miss Myrtle Hilt, a prominent member of the senior class, left this week to accept a position in the Lincoln city schools. She will return in June to graduate with her class.

The class of 1907 has planned to hold its second annual reunion at the home of Prof. and Mrs. Beason on commencement day. Governor Shallenberger will give the commencement address and will be given a reception by the class of 1907 immediately after the exercises.

The prospects for a large attendance at the summer session are very good. Registrar Overholt reports that many letters of inquiry concerning the course to be offered are coming in daily.

Governor Shallenberger was called upon to furnish two samples of native Nebraska wood one foot square to be used in making a map of the United States on board one of the battleships. Colonel T. J. Majors and President Crabtree were asked to furnish the wood. They sent



We are still claiming to sell the

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and no one has yet appeared to dispute it. We show every new thing any one else shows and many they don't—from \$1 to \$12, but we are still urging the merits of our soft and stiff hats at—

\$3.00

Spring has certainly brought forth some beautiful shirts, neckwear, etc., and we've laid in a liberal variety to suit all tastes.

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You'll not regret visiting the largest and most perfect Juvenile Dept. in the country and your boy will be delighted with our clothes—and our low prices will cause no end of comment.

\$1.50 And Upwards

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FACTS ABOUT OUR SPRING CLOTHES

Our clothes are built for service—only perfect materials and perfect workmanship enter into their making—Each bit of fabric and trimming is thoroughly shrunk and carefully scrutinized before it is tailored—That is why they hold their shape so well, look good so long and are so economical to buy.

We Show Two Styles to Any Other Store's One

Show them in the most up-to-date store in the west—and in a way that will please you. Wouldn't it be well to safeguard your pocket book by looking at our clothes before deciding to buy? Our guarantee of low prices and high qualities is working all the time.

Light Overcoats and Cravenettes

We think you'll like the prices we put on them—we know you'll like the coats and we feel pretty certain you'll appreciate picking a coat from a stock the size of ours—for only in the very largest cities can you find an assortment such as we show. You can't find it in Omaha.

\$10 to \$33

It's "trying on" time and you are welcome.



Young Men's SUITS

We invite every young fellow in town to come in and see the "ditty" things we've had tailored for them. Come in before or after looking elsewhere—no difference to us—it's likely you'll see you outside of our store will appear quite common place.

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Guaranteed patent leather Shoes and Ox-fords—7 styles of each—

\$4

Men's Suits

Every store has the best suits, according to their "ads". This store has the best, according to the opinion of every one who sees them.—One thing is certain, you've never had such an opportunity to pick a new spring suit from such a vast variety as you find here—and you've never had such an opportunity to get a quality suit at such a moderate price.

\$10 to \$35

Lots of things here to justify your coming in.



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beautifully finished specimens of native oak and cherry. Every state in the union has been asked to contribute in a like manner. On the normal campus at Peru there are a number of varieties of oak, elm, maple, walnut, ash, linden, red bud cherry and many other native woods.

Hinn Melton has been elected by the baseball squad as their manager for this season. He reports that the prospects for an excellent schedule of games are very good.

A number of normalites visited the Auburn High school to hear the play, "The Merchant of Venice," which was given early this week.

L. E. Mumford, former superintendent of the Beatrice schools, has been visiting in Peru today. He delivered an address at convocation this morning.

Court Busy at Tecumseh.

TECUMSEH, Neb., March 12.—(Special.)—District court for Johnson county has been in session in Tecumseh this week, having been convened by Judge M. J. Mentzer of Beatrice last Monday. The petty jury came on for service Tuesday morning, but was excused that evening until Friday morning. Considerable business has already been disposed of, many cases coming up for more or less attention and the following ones disposed of:

The case of John Waivley of Crab Orchard against Dr. John Cochran of Tecumseh, for damages, was settled out of court this week. Dr. Cochran was accused of having administered a dose of wrong medicine to a child of the plaintiff.

The appeal case of Wherry Brothers against Victor A. Williams and others was argued and submitted and the court has it under advisement.

The case of Charles F. Ziskmaster against Charles A. Nelson, on verbal contract, was settled and dismissed.

In the case of the Page-Taylor Lumber company of Sterling against W. J. Weinman, et al, the court dismissed it at the cost of plaintiff. This was a foreclosure of mechanic's lien.

The appeal case of Hermans Rusch, guardian of Emma Rusch, an infant, against the estate of Herman Rusch, deceased, was tried on demurrer, argued and submitted. The court has it under advisement.

The case of Jessie C. Woolsey, et al, against L. Webb, appeal from the county court, was settled and dismissed.

Mrs. Laurice Feaster of Tecumseh was granted a divorce from Milton J. Feaster. The first case taken up Friday morning was the damage case of William J. Glasgow against James Holman, in which the latter is accused of letting his stock trespass on the premise of the former. The jury was empaneled.

Nebraska News Notes.

GENEVA—Some farmers who have large peach orchards claim that almost half of the buds are dead.

COLUMBUS—The Columbus High school basketball team defeated the Fremont team, the score standing 22 to 21.

GENEVA—Snow fell thickly yesterday afternoon and all night and is quite deep this morning, about four inches on a level.

MCCOOL JUNCTION—J. C. Marshall and family will move to Bradshaw, where Mr. Marshall has purchased a stock of implements.

COLUMBUS—The real estate transfers during the last week filed in the county clerk's office, amount to the sum of \$2,375.

BEATRICE—Cedric L. Busch of Liberty, this county, yesterday filed suit against George F. Busch for divorce, charging non-support and desertion.

GENEVA—The progressive temperance party will hold a caucus in the court room Monday evening, March 15, to nominate candidates for city officers for 1909.

NEBRASKA CITY—The father of Mrs. Anna Vio Gates is dangerously ill at their home in this city and it is not thought possible for him to survive.

BEATRICE—Ex-Governor Frank Hanly of Indiana has been secured by the Epworth league of the Christian church for an address in Beatrice, April 2.

BEATRICE—Mrs. Martha von Steen Rolmer, wife of Henry Rolmer, died yesterday at Hepperley's hospital, aged 24 years. She leaves no family except her husband.

PONCA—Mike Donlan, who has run a dray in Ponca for nearly a quarter of a century, has just sold out to Will Hestings, the former manager of the Commercial hotel.

LUSHTON—The Lushton Athletic association was organized this week with about fifty members. F. C. Williams was elected president, Glen Homes secretary and J. L. Ashmore treasurer.

GUIDE ROCK—The fixtures of the post-office were this week moved to the Lousida building. Next week the old postoffice building will be moved out, as will the old meat market and other restaurant buildings and three new bricks

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will be built by Postmaster E. M. Parker, Fred Wait and Sam Richardson. William Sawyer and his force of men will do the work.

PLATTSMOUTH—E. Bignell, superintendent of this division of the Burlington railway, has returned from his extended trip into Old Mexico and was in this city today looking after the interests of the Burlington.

YORK—The farm residence occupied by A. E. Sears and owned by E. L. Pendell caught fire from a defective fuse and burned. Loss \$1,500. Insurance \$90 in the York County Farmers' Mutual, which was paid immediately after loss.

NEBRASKA CITY—The police have issued orders forbidding all minors playing cards or looting about pool rooms or cigar stores and will prosecute minors under the curfew ordinance and the owners of the places of business under the state law.

GUIDE ROCK—Tuesday evening Guide Rock lodge No. 124 initiated seven candidates, received one by transfer and five by presentation of cards. The officers of the lodge served lunch. The team drilled and several visitors were present.

BEATRICE—It is reliably reported that the Union Pacific company will install another motor car on the line between Beatrice and Lincoln next Monday. It is the intention of the company to give the people of Beatrice and Lincoln Sunday service.

NEBRASKA CITY—Ralph A. Duff has purchased the lots at the corner of Fifth street and Central avenue and will erect a handsome two-story building of cement 4x 120 feet. The lower floor is to be used as a garage and the second story for a shirt factory.

NEBRASKA CITY—The republicans have called their city convention for next Friday and the democrats on next Saturday. Both parties will put a full ticket in the field and as all city officers are to be elected this spring a hot fight will be put up by both sides.

NEBRASKA CITY—Frank Hutchinson, a young farmer residing near Burr, was found dead in bed yesterday morning. He was not very well and heart failure is believed to have been the cause of his death. His funeral took place yesterday afternoon from his home.

NEBRASKA CITY—Chester A. Hirkick and Miss Marie Campbell, two of McCool Junction's most highly respected young people, stole a march on their many friends here, going to York, where they were married by Rev. A. Bennett, pastor of the Methodist church.

KEARNEY—Mrs. C. O. Norton received a serious burn Thursday morning while trying to extinguish a gasoline stove that had gone wrong. The stove had been started by her son and had been left run until a quantity of gasoline had accumulated in a

pan underneath. It was while carrying this pan out of doors that Mrs. Norton's clothes ignited and burned her arms until the skin drew away from the bone.

BEATRICE—Announcement of the death of Charles E. Palmer, a resident of Beatrice in the early '70s, which occurred at Kansas City the other day, has been received here. Mr. Palmer was at one time city superintendent of schools and also editor of the Beatrice Express.

BEATRICE—The eighth grade examination papers have just been completed by Miss Anna Day, county superintendent. Out of something like four hundred pupils in Gage county who took the examination only fifty-one were successful in securing a passing grade, 75 per cent in every subject.

KEARNEY—Edgar L. Temple of Omaha and Miss Hazel Reed of Shelton were married in this city by Rev. L. C. McEwen Wednesday afternoon. Miss Reed is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Reed of Shelton and Mr. Temple is in the employ of the Western Union Telegraph company at Omaha.

PONCA—Report has come that George Doty and two sons, who left here last week for their new home in the western part of the state, were in a wreck near Gregory, S. D. Both cars were badly wrecked, three horses got loose and have not been found yet. Several head of cattle suffered, also their household goods.

TECUMSEH—Ralph Hardin has sold his North Side Hackett store in Tecumseh to E. A. Pickering of Lincoln and the new proprietor took charge Wednesday evening. Mr. Hardin is undecided as to plans for the future. Mr. Pickering's son, W. F. Pickering, also of Lincoln, will have charge of the racket store. He will move his family to this city in the near future.

NEBRASKA CITY—Police Judge Maylon Leidigh has adopted a new rule in all cases where a plain drunk is brought before him the second time. He makes a fine of \$5 and costs for the first case and \$25 and costs for the second offense and where they have not the money with which to pay they are to work the fine out on the streets. He has had several cases of this kind of late.

YORK—Six years ago, when the District 160 acres north of York sold for \$5 per acre, many said it was an extraordinary price for a farm in York county. This same farm was sold on March 1 for \$150 per acre, and when it is known that the purchaser will erect thereon a \$3,000 home, owners of land in York county are realizing that these values are due to the wonderful productiveness of York county soil.

BEATRICE—In the presence of about 200 guests Henry G. von Steen and Miss May C. Zimmerman were married yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the home of the

bride's parents, northwest of the city, Rev. G. Gerhard Penner officiating. The bride and groom are two prominent young Mennonites of this section and will make their home on a farm west of Beatrice.

KEARNEY—The Anti-Saloon league met again last night and appointed a committee of seven to look into the general condition of local politics and if they deem necessary call a mass meeting to put an entire prohibition ticket in the field. At present there are five candidates in the field for mayor and if the temperance people cannot see fit to endorse one of these men they will run a candidate of their own.

BEATRICE—An arithmetic test was held yesterday at the high school by the instructors. Five problems in common addition and percentage were given. The school scored an average of 77 per cent. Other high schools in the state have taken the test and compared with Beatrice, the averages being as follows: Beatrice, 77; Kearney, 71; Hastings, 66; Holdrege, 66; Aurora, 54; Superior, 52; McCook, 54.

COLUMBUS—Thomas Prook, John Micek, John Bonk, Andrew Banders and Joseph Bradney were brought before the county court on complaint of John and Agnes Tworek and Charles and Mary Kostok for not behaving as they should at a wedding. The case was fought to a finish and the judge dismissed it. They were rearrested on the charge of assault and battery and were fined \$5 each.

NEBRASKA CITY—A frame house 24x30 floated past this city yesterday down the Missouri river. There was no one in the house and the roof had a hole in it as if some one had cut his way out. A number of those owning boats tried to catch it, but the current was too swift and the last seen of it was some miles down the river. It was evidently from somewhere up the river and had been floated from its foundation by the high water and taken off.

BEATRICE—Albert Loeper, a farmer living in Elm township, who is charged with the illegal sale of liquor, was brought here last night and lodged in the county jail. When placed under arrest a large quantity of brandy and beer was found at Loeper's home and confiscated by the officers. It is alleged that Loeper has been doing a good business in the sale of liquors the last few months. He practically admitted his guilt after being taken in charge by the officers.

COLUMBUS—Last evening Mrs. Lorraine of Clarinda, Ia., died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Edgar Howard. She had been here on a visit to her daughter for the last two weeks. Last Sunday she was going upstairs and apparently had a stroke and apoplexy. She fell over backward down the stairs and was injured so badly that she never regained consciousness. She was 83 years of age. It has not been decided where or when

HALF-MINUTE STORE-TALK

People often ask our salesmen how a suit will wear—not meaning just how much friction can be applied to it before a hole is worn through but rather, will it appear fit to wear after the sun, the rain and the wind have each had a few innings with it. "Beatie Dyck" it would be pretty hard to answer such an inquiry; but ours are quality clothes and wind, rain and sun have but little effect on them and it's easy for our salesmen to answer truthfully without "spoiling a sale."

THE DEEPEST CUT OF ALL

The Knife Has Gone Way In Slaughter Prices For One Day Only. Saturday is the Day.

- \$1.00 Flower Girl Toilet Water...40c
25c Packer's Tar Soap...15c
25c Sanitol Talcum Powder...10c
25c Sanitol Face Cream...10c
50c Pozzoni Face Powder...25c
40c Tooth Brushes...10c
Sassafras Bark, pound...14c
\$1.50 Oriental Cream...97c
\$1.25 Fountain Syringe...79c
5c Writing Tablets, 2 for...5c
60c Box Candy...27c

And many others too good to miss.

Howell Drug Co.

207-209 North 16th St. Middle Block. Hotel Loyal.

The funeral will be until her daughter, Mrs. T. E. Clark, arrives here from San Antonio, Tex.

PLATTSMOUTH—The Burlington is having some extensive work done along the bank of the Platte river, west of Oreadopolis in the way of riprapping to prevent the washing out of the track by the overflowing of the river. The work of constructing a new depot or waiting room at Oreadopolis, to accommodate the Burlington passengers, will be commenced very soon. The material being on the ground. A gang of men is also improving the Burlington bridge across the Platte river at Oreadopolis to prevent it being washed out by the floating cakes of ice.

REPUBLICAN CITY—J. J. Gorman and family of Omaha arrived here a few days ago and moved onto his farm three miles north of town. Mr. Gorman homesteaded here in 1872 and a short time after he went to Omaha and went to work for the street railway company as a driver on one of the horse cars. For the last several years he has been assistant superintendent, which position he gave up a short time

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Prices lower than will ever again be possible to quote. Terms—a little down. Balance—ONE DOLLAR A WEEK. Come tomorrow, sure, and see these pianos before the best bargains are gone.

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