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omaha Electric Works repairs elevators. Binehart, photographer, 18th & Farnam. Investors seeking real estate loans, see H. Ambler, 615 Bee building.

Equitable Zife-Policies, sight drafts at naturity. H. D. Neely, manager, Omaha. Library Board Meets-The public brary board will meet this evening for the nual election of officers.

Keep your money and valuables in the merican Safe Deposit vaults in the Bee building. Boxes rent from \$1 to \$16. There Are Several Ways of Saving-The way, and others. Our way pays 6 per

Board of Trade building. Alleged Speeder Arrested-William Nole, 16 years old, was arrested Baturday fternoon by Officer Corneau for exeding the speed limit with his motor-Noble lives at Thirty-fifth and awthorne avenue. His case will be inestigated Monday.

Poor Farm Enlarged-To relieve the resent over-crowded condition of the ounty poor farm, temporarily at least, nissioners are planning to remodel the attle into a third story. Commissioner Bedford, chairman of the hospital committee, has examined the building with that plan in view and it seems probable that room for at least seventyfive more people can be made,

Robbed in a Resort Charles Sampson, white man from Kenosha, Wis., went into the police station Friday night with the information that he had been robbed

a blade more than six inches long and and he was buried at 5 p. m. Saturday. as sharp as a razor. Officer Flynn made the arrest and Green will remain until evening and the verdict was that the death Monday, when he will tell Judge Craword why he needed such a protector.

Eleven Men Arrested-A squad of poe, consisting of Sergeants Sigwart and Vanous, Detective Van Dusen and Emergency Officers Reigelman and Dillon, made another raid on an alleged gambling house at Tweifth and Dodge daughter by a second marriage. streets last night, the haul resulting in cleven men being locked up. Max Smart and James Reese were charged with bemen with being inmates. All the men

ties has been invited to deliver an al- who will hold an inquest. dress on "How to Advertise the Corn Show." Other important matters per-taining to the movement of securing the Other important matters perion of the Associated Advertising Clubs of America for Omaha and the selecting of delegates to attend the Louisville convention next month will come before the meeting.

Looking for Check Workers-The Omaha and South Omaha police are looking for Frank Williams and A. Snyder, ing worthless checks in South Omaha. These fellows represent themselves as being members of a contracting firm and been signed with a rubber stamp bearing the name of Fisher & Healey, whom the two crooks said was a construction firm for which they acted as agents in this section of the country.

Mysterious Death of Italian-Gartano Nasano, an Italian who has been living at 201 North Ninth street, a scissor grinder by occupation, died early last evening from what is believed to be peritonitis. He had lived alone and it is said that for four days he had been sick in his room, with no one to look after him. Coroner Heafey took charge of the body and will hold an inquest, as there are several features of the affair which are not entirely clear. A loaded

MILWAUKEE MAN IS

Victor Madison, Who Lost \$4 in Third Ward Four Months Ago, Loses 85 Next Trip.

Several months ago Victor Madison of Milwaukee passed through Omaha on his ay to Texas. He stopped in the city for day or two and devoted the time to inestigating the fown, winding up in the aird ward where a colored girl relieved m of \$4. He went on his way south, but loss of the \$4 rankled in his soul and cheristied a deep seated desire to learn tunt how the trick had been done for he aways considered himself to be one of

those who can not be "touched." He reported the matter to the police and Nettie Diggs is under arrest charged with and want quick action advertise it in

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AFFAIRS AT SOUTH OMAHA Oil Magnate is Meeting of Council Saturday Morning

Quiet and Serene.

BILLS APPROVED AND PASSED

Michael Seffrom, Seventy-Two Year Old, Dies from Effects of the Heat-Mute Killed by

After sleeping over it, the belligerent combers of the city council appeared in better mood yesterday morning, and discovered that they had no general griev-Meya, photo, removed to 16th & Howard, ance against the finance committee for its action in rejecting claims of W. H. Queenan for \$150, the Omaha Water company for \$102, B. J. Larkin for \$45 and Heafey & Heafey for \$15. They were ready to let the action of the committee stand and voted for the balance of the committee's budget of claims. Therefore, all the city administration received the customary monthly pay and the wheels of civic life are moving smoothly again. The officials, the police department and the fire departments received the increase in Nebraska Savings and Loan association pay provided by the new charter. The increase is a substantial one, amounting to nearly 10 per cent.

The city council held its meeting at 10 a. m. It was voted to take the occupation tax ordinances from the judiciary committee and submit them to the committee of the whole council. Swan Larson made this motion. It was explained that the occupation tax was so important a departure from former methods of taxation that the ordinances should receive more than the usual attention.

The city clerk made short work of the drawing of warrants after the action of the council and drew one warrant covering all salaries, another for the fire department and a third for the police depart ment. The payrolls were turned in to the city treasurer and he paid out the cash for all departments. The above warrants were made payable to the city treasurer.

Michael Seffron, 3816 Monroe streets was of \$30 in a negro resort. Cleo Patrick found dead in his bed yesterday afterand Berna Clark, two inmates of the noon by his son. He was 72 years old and house, were arrested for the crime and had been living alone. The son lives near Saturday morning each was given thirty by and last saw his father alive about his neighborhood and required two trips days in the county jail by Judge Craw- 4 p. m. Friday night. The old man, who Sampson did not appear as a com- had been digging potatoes in the afternoon, complained of the heat and said from that neighborhood to the effect that Man With Big Enife in Jail-Jess he felt weak. When the son found him a drunk man, armed with two revolvers, Green, colored, was arrested last night Saturday afternoon he was lying in a on a charge of carrying concealed natural position on his bed. He had the weapons and is held at the police sta- appearance of having been overcome by ion in default of bond. When arrested the heat. The progress of decomposition was carrying a Philippine dirk with was so swift that the funeral was hastened The coroner held an inquest Saturday

> was due to heat prostration. The man has seven sons in South Omaha, John, Joseph, Edward, Michael, Henry, Charles and George. He has two daughters, Mrs. Clara Vance of Orange Grove, Wash., and Stella Smith of New York. Mrs. Mary Scruppa of Omaha is also a

Mute Killed by Train. John Farmer, who lived at Thirteenth and O streets, South Omaha, was instantly ing keepers of the place and the other killed shortly after noon Saturday near Gibson station by Burlington train No. 42. Farmer, who was a mute, was walking G. W. Wattles Will Talk to Ad Club- along the track and presumably did not The regular monthly noonday luncheon hear the approach of the train. He leaves of the Omaha Ad club will be held at the a wife, also a mute, and one son. The Loyal hotel Tuesday noon. G. W. Wat- body was turned over to Coroner Heafey

> Alleged Gamblers Arrested. Chief Briggs and P. H. Shields raided a gambling house at Twenty-fourth and streets last night and arrested James Kello, Hugh Adcock, Frank O'Hara, John Tieener and John Irvin, who were found engaged in a game of cards.

Charge of Larceny. Hank Eisfelder arrested Joseph Culli, alias Joseph Smith, at the Union detwo young fellows who have been cash- pot in Omaha last evening on the charge of larceny. He stole, as is alleged, several rings belonging to the young woman with whom he has been keeping comall the checks they have cashed have pany for some time and also took several other articles from her home at 3434 V street,

E. E. Spencer Has

Chef of Happy Hollow Club Struck by Brick Thrown by Odell Smith, a Colored Man.

Edwin E. Spencer, chef at the Happy Hollow club was dangerously injured last revolver and a considerable sum of night by being struck on the head with a money was found in the room after his brick said to have been thrown by a colored man, Odell Smith, during an alter-

cation between the two men. Spencer was taken to the Omaha Gen ROBBED SECOND TIME eral hospital where he was operated upon a bad fracture of the frontal bone of the skull and his condition is regarded as seri-

> Smith attempted to make his escape, but the police were notified and he was ar- Company Refuses to Make Concesrested soon after by Detectives Van Dusenand Pattullo and Officer E. R. Smith. He was booked at the station on a charge of assault, but will be held pending the outcome of Spencer's injuries

Most Wonderful Healing. After suffering many years with a sore, Amos King, Port Byron, N. Y., was cured by Bucklen's Arnica Salve. 25c. Sold by Beaton Drug Co.

The Bee Want Ad columns.

Better Spices-Better Cooking—

Spice quality depends upon purity and strength. Fresh, pure, selected spices go twice as far as spice purchased in bulk and kept in a paper bag. Exposure to air and moisture spoils spice, that's why

are always sold in strength-flavor-aroma-retaining packages. Tone's Spices are too good to let spoil. We test them repeatedly to insure uniform high quality. Just to prove that there u a wast difference in spices, we want you to try Tone's. We guarantee you have never had a spice of better quality. Ask your grocer for Tone's Spices.

TONE BROS., Des Motnes, Iowa. Blenders of the famous OLD GOLDEN COFFEE



to Wed Widow From Illinois

Henry Clay Pierce and Mrs. Virginia P. Burrows Will Be Married,

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 1 .- A special cable dispatch to the Post-Dispatch from London SAY#:

Henry Clay Pierce, St. Louis and New York milti-millionaire and executive head of the Walters-Pierce Oil company is to be married here Monday. Virginia Prichett Burrows will be his bride. The wedding will be solemnized at St. George's church, Hanover square.

In obtaining a special license for the ceremony today, both described themselves as having been married before and the bride-to-be gave her address as "Paris and New York." EDWADDSVILLE, III., Aug. 1.-Mrs.

Virginia Prichett Burrows is a daughter of William R. Prichett, a retired banker of this place. Mrs. Harrison I. Drummond of New York is a sister. Mrs. Burrows' first husband was a New York banker , who died about four years ago.

Mr. Prichett said tonight that he has had no intimation of the coming wedding from either his daughter or Mr. Pierce.

Two Alleged Wife Beaters Locked Up

George Smith and P. K. Dunlap Were Gathered in by the Police Last Night.

Two more members of the wife-beating fraternity were caught last night in the net of the law and hauled behind the bars of the police station.

George Smith, who exists at 1101 South Nineteenth street and who is well known to the police, created much disturbance in by the police before he could be located. Early in the evening there came a call was going to make a general cleaning up of the landscape. The police automobile, with Sergeants Sigwart and Vanous, went in search of the warlike member, but when they arrived he had disappeared

Later in the evening Officer Harry Ulmer rounded up Smith, who had returned home and was exercising his marital prerogative by beating his wife and terrorising the children. Ulmer sent the man behind the bars and when the police found it was Smith who had been making the trouble in the neighborhood they laughed long and merrily, for his bravery is said to be of the kind that is rampant when only women and children are around, but quickly evaporates when a man appears. Smith is also known to the police as the man who, when the old Methodist church at Tenth and Pierce streets was being torn down attempted to enrich himself by appropriating the bell, which he later disposed of to a junk dealer.

The other wife-beater was P. R. Dunlap, 2211 North Thirteenth street. He performed the duty in an ordinary way and was arrested and locked up in much the same fashion.

Man Killed by Freight Train

Unidentified Foreigner Struck by Missouri Pacific Engine Near Seymour Park.

An unidentified man was killed by a Missouri Pacific freight train two and a half miles southwest of Seymour park about 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

Engine No. 822 was hauling the train which was in charge of Conductor Frank Smith, 1563 North Eighteenth street. The Skull Fractured body was placed on a way car and brought to Fifteenth and Nicholas streets, where it was taken in charge by the coroner.

> There was nothing on the body by which it could be identified. The man was apparently a foreigner, about 50 years of age. five feet ten inches in height and weighed about 160 pounds. In the pockets were found some blanks of the Western Railroad Weighing association, an empty whisky bottle, a knife with a green handle and a handkerchief with the initials B. K. Coroner Heafey will hold an inquest probably Monday.

Strike of Car Men Looms in Chicago

sions to Employes-Meeting Called Monday.

CHICAGO, Aug. 1.-Possibilities of general strike in this city increased today. Refusal of the Chicago City Railway company to make concessions to its motormer and conductors was met by union leaders with the prompt issuance of a call for special meetings Monday night in which If you have anything to sell or trade 20,000 street railway employes, operating all lines from Evanston to the Indiana line will take up the question of wages. "Union leaders declare that if the men decide to walk out, not a wheel will turn on any line in the city.

For the Extra Hat.

One often wishes to carry another "best hat" in a trunk which has no bonnet box. Pin four pieces of tape several inches long at equal points around the hat. Use small safety pins and fasten either on top or under the brim, to something about the hat that will hold. Lay in the middle of a shallow tray, stretch the tapes taut toward the four corners of it, and tack the ends securely to the bottom of the tray. The space about the headgear and in the crown can be utilized for packing lightweight feminine belongings.

The Longest Continuous Double Track Railway in the World

under one management is the Grand Trunk Railway System from Chicago to Montreal and to Niagara Falls. The Grand Trunk-Lehigh Valley double track route via Niagara Falls reached from Chicago to

Descriptive literature, time tables, etc., will be mailed free on application to W. S. Cookson, A. G. P. A., Grand Trunk Railway System, 135 Adams street, Chicago, Ill.

If you have anything to sell or trade want quick action advertise The Bee Want Ad columns.

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The first article, illustrated with a remarkable series of photographs by Kermit Roosevelt and others, will appear in the October number.

Boys and Girls Read Every Word

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THE BEE will give each week fine Prizes to the boys and girls (below second year in High school), who write the best stories based on want ads appearing in The Bee.

You can easily pick out one ad from the hundreds that appear daily in this paper. Your parents and friends may help you select a plot, but the development and composition must be all your own work.

There are countless stories in Bee want ads that you can discover; tragedies, comedies, romances, tales of poverty and prosperity. If you think one of these stories will be hard to find, carefully read the want ad pages in this issue. Before you may think it possible, you'll have a plot for a story that may win one of the prizes.

The advertisement of a house for sale might bring to mind a pretty little story of a German couple, who, after years of hard work and thrift, were going back to the Fatherland. Out of an advertisement "Wanted, to rent a cottage," you might build the romance of a courtship and marriage. Or, a "room for rent" advertisement might suggest the struggles of a widow to support herself and keep her little girl in school. Some want ads are practically complete stories in themselves and require very little rewriting to make them eligible for prizes.

The Best Story Each Week Wins THREE SHINING SILVER DOLLARS. The Second Best Story Each Week Wins TWO SHINING SILVER DOLLARS. The Third Best Story Each Week Wins ONE SHINING SILVER DOLLAR. The Next Four Best Stories Each Week Win INTERESTING BOOKS.

Parents should encourage their children to write these stories. It is not only lots of fun, but it trains them to be observing and to write good English.

Until further notice, there will be seven prizes each week-three cash prizes and four book prizes. The seven best stories will be printed, one each day, follow-

Make up your mind NOW to win one of these prizes. You'll never know how easy it is and how much fun you can get out of it until you try.

Study these rules

Any boy or girl below the second year in the High school can take part in this contest without cost, whether or not you live in Omaha, but you must observe all these conditions or stories will not be considered. Your story must be based on a want ad appearing in the The Omaha Bee of the cur-

rent week, and must contain NOT MORE than 500 words. At the top of the first page you must write plainly your full name and address, your father's or your mother's name, the grade and school you attend, your teacher's name and

Next below paste the want ad on which your story is based. When the stories are published, any names or addresses in the Want Ads will be omitted. Next write the title you have given your story. Write neatly on one side of the sheet only. Stories will ordinarily be judged on their

merits as STORIES, but, in cases where two or more are of about equal merit, then penmanship and neatness, according to age, will be considered. Do not roll your manuscript, fold it and address the envelope to WANT AD STORY EDITOR, OMAHA BEE. If mailed, see carefully that the postage is fully paid, or, leave it at the business

office of The Bee. Do not enclose stamps for return, as no stories will be returned. Stories must be received at The Bee office not later than Thursday noon of each week, The prize-winners will be announced and the prize stories published in The Bee of the second Sunday following You may submit only one story a week. Don't write more than 500 words.

Want Ad Story Editor, The Omaha Bee, Omaha.

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