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If parents knew the superiority of these shoes they would buy no others—Startright shoes are the acknowledged highest grade children's shoes, built on orthopedic ideas, allowing the growing feet to develop perfectly. The styles are authoritative and they wear longer than other shoes. We carry these shoes in a wide range of styles and sizes, including patent leather with white, red and brown tops—white canvas and white buckskin. The prices are reasonable.

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THE YOUNG PEOPLE'S OWN STORE  
**BELSON & THORNE CO.**

1518-1520 FARNAM ST.

### POSSE HOT AFTER ROBBERS

Believed Men Who Held Up Missouri Pacific Train Will Be Caught.

### CHASE LEADS TOWARD ST. LOUIS

Bandits Rifle Mail Bags of \$10,000, but Use No Explosive—Let Water Out of Engine Boiler and Then Disappear.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 22.—With all trails leading to St. Louis, more than 300 men divided into six posses, are pursuing the four train robbers, believed to be practical railroad and mail service men, who last night held up and robbed the mail cars of Missouri Pacific train No. 8, near Eureka, Mo. Postoffice Inspector Dickson stated that the loot might amount to \$10,000, as sixteen pouches of registered mail, containing about 200 registered letters, were rifled. The bloodhounds, which were put on the trail at dawn started towards St. Louis from the scene of the robbery, thirty miles from here.

Rewards aggregating \$300 have been offered by the state of Missouri and United States Postoffice Inspection Service Department for the arrest and conviction of the robbers.

The safe in the express car, which the robbers failed to open, contained \$90 in cash and valuables.

Two of the bandits boarded the train, due into St. Louis at 10:45 o'clock from Kansas City, at Pacific, nine miles west of Eureka, at 10:15 o'clock. The other two flagged the train a mile east of Eureka in a lonely spot, with red lanterns.

As the train slowed down, the two on board climbed over the tender and covered the engineer and fireman.

### Robbers Cut Off Mail Cars.

The engine, mail coach and combination baggage and express cars were cut off, after the express messengers and mail clerks had been ordered from their cars. F. E. Reeton, the baggage clerk, was afraid leaving his car, and a bullet carried away his hat and a lock of his hair.

With one of the robbers at the throttle, the engine and two cars ran to Castlewood, six miles distant, where the four took their time about rifling the mail.

The water was let out of the boiler and the engineer and fireman were ordered to work for fifteen minutes, under threat of instant death. The quartet then disappeared into the woods.

The stranded passenger coaches, three in number, lay on the main line until 2 o'clock this morning, when they, together with the engine and baggage and express cars, were brought into St. Louis by a freight train.

The engine and the two cars with it were locked until the engineer and firemen ran the six miles back to it, after getting their orders from the highwaymen.

E. J. Karn of Toledo, one of the passengers on the train, said, when he arrived in St. Louis this morning:

"We heard shots and then the engine stopped. The conductor came running into the car and said: 'It's a holdup, sure.'

"Some of us stuck our heads out the window, but several bullets went whistling by. We found it convenient to stay inside."

W. D. Dickson, postoffice inspector in charge at St. Louis, announced on reaching his office this morning he would offer a reward of \$1,000 each for the capture of the robbers. He had just returned from the scene of the robbery, where five of his assistants were working.

The bloodhounds, as soon as they were put on the trail, followed it east from the scene of the robbery to Manchester, St. Louis county, and thence along the Manchester road toward St. Louis. This caused the belief that the robbers came here, and the local police have been ordered to join in the search. Train robbery in Missouri is now a capital offense.

The five mail clerks were changing their clothes when the train was held up, and they were forced out into the cold without their trousers. They took refuge in the smoker and passengers supplied them with tobacco.

### Massachusetts Bank is Closed

Discrepancy in Accounts of Savings Institution at Southbridge Causes Action.

### SOUTHBRIDGE, Mass., Jan. 22.—Deposits of \$2,300,700 were tied up today when the Southbridge Savings bank was closed by order of Judge Loring of the supreme court, who issued an injunction following the discovery by bank examiners of an apparent discrepancy between the deposit ledger and statement of deposits as submitted by John A. Hall, treasurer of the bank. The injunction restrains the bank from transacting business until further notice.

Treasure Hall's whereabouts were unknown here tonight. He has been absent since yesterday.

Mr. Hall has been treasurer of both the bank and the town of Southbridge for about fifteen years.

No statement as to the amount involved has been made by any responsible official.

### Tom Taggart Will Lose Eye

Democratic Leader Leaves Natchez After Being Wounded Accidentally by Fellow Hunter.

NATCHEZ, Miss., Jan. 22.—Thomas Taggart, of Indianapolis, Ind., who was accidentally shot by W. H. Morton, while hunting yesterday near Fayette, left here today for home. He will lose the sight of the right eye.

Horton fired when a bevy of birds was flushed, the charge striking his companion, who was in the heavy underbrush.

Murderer Ayoah Captured.

CHICAGO, Jan. 22.—Ayoah, the leader of the band of Filipinos who murdered Tilden H. Wakely of Chicago and H. D. Everett of New York, was captured yesterday. The bandit, who had been captured by the constabulary, according to information received today by Ebenezer Wakely, father of one of the murdered men.

### Mother Dead, Hopper Fills Date.

MARSHALLTOWN, Ia., Jan. 22.—(Special Telegram)—Although he had received during the day a telegram telling of the death of his aged mother in New York City, DeWolf Hopper, the well-known comedian, showed no sign of his bereavement when he appeared here last night in "A Maine Idol." Had it not been for the announcement of the fact in a local afternoon paper, the audience would not have known from the comedian's acting that he had been recently bereaved of his parent. Mr. Hopper left here after the performance to attend the funeral.

Canned Corn is Fatal.

ROCHESTER, Ia., Jan. 22.—(Special Telegram)—One son dead, and another boy not expected to live, is the toll that ptomaine poisoning has taken from the family of Charles Otto, manager of the New Grand theater in Sioux City, who will have charge of the Fort Dodge house.

Treasurer Still Missing.

SOUTHBRAKE, Mass., Jan. 22.—No trace has yet been found of John Hall, the missing treasurer of the Southbridge Ad columns.

### Omaha's New Cloak and Suit House

## Extraordinary Sale Monday

of—

### WOMEN'S SUITS AND COATS

On account of those who were unable to attend or to be waited upon last Saturday we will continue one of the most extraordinary sales of women's suits and coats that was ever held by any store in Omaha. The women who already know what a Parisian Sale means need no invitation, for they will surely be here early. Every economical woman in Omaha owes herself the duty to attend this extraordinary sale. After actual, critical comparison—no sales held about town this season have offered values in women's wearables to equal this. Every garment is new, wearable, practical, and every garment has been taken out of our own stock and remarked for tomorrow's sale at

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A beer just suited to quaff at home—a night-cap for the sociable evening—a refreshing draught for the late supper—a delightful glass to sip under the evening lamp. Stars and Stripes is a foaming, sparkling beverage for the keen palate—for the connoisseur.

Have a case delivered to your home.

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\$1.00 in Stamps (18) given with each two dozen cases of large bottles delivered in the city for \$1.25.

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Twenty-five cents for each bottle.

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