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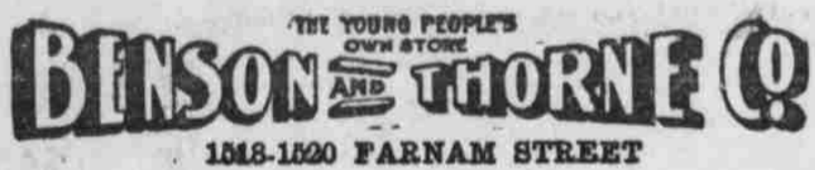
Pursuing the same conservative policy which has made our hundreds of customers our friends. This will be a real old-fashioned sale--every purchase will be a bargain--a bargain without a reaction of disappointment.

Right in the Heart of the Heated Season

This sale indeed offers a rare opportunity to replenish one's wardrobe with the freshest summer wearables. Every offering is this season's newest merchandise.

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- Children's and Girls' Coats. Children's and Girls' Dresses. Junior and Small Women's Dresses. Junior and Small Women's Suits. Junior and Small Women's Coats. Junior and Small Women's Gowns. Junior and Small Women's Waists. Children's Furnishings and Hats. Young Men's Furnishings and Hats. Boys' and Children's Clothing. Young Men's Clothing. Infants' Wear.



BIG LIFE SAVING EXHIBIT

Bureau of Mines to Give Demonstration of Methods in Pittsburgh.

PRESIDENT TAFT WILL ATTEND

Treated First Aid Rescue Corps from Many Mines Will Take Part in Contest--Red Cross to Co-Operate.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, July 1.—(Special.)—In the line with its efforts to reduce the number of deaths in the coal mines of the United States the bureau of mines will hold a national miners' life saving demonstration, on Saturday, September 16, in Arsenal park, Pittsburgh, Pa. President Taft, Secretary of the Interior Fisher and Dr. Joseph A. Holmes, director of the bureau of mines, will attend and speak to the miners. The bureau of mines will have the cooperation of the Pittsburgh Coal Operators' association and the American Red Cross. It is expected that between 20,000 and 30,000 miners will attend and that many of the important coal companies will send their trained first aid and rescue corps to take part in the exhibition. Already a number of teams have entered and are in training for the event, which promises to be the most important gathering of miners ever assembled.

Arsenal park is the site of the testing station of the Bureau of Mines and the experts will have a unique program. The arrangement for the first demonstration are in the hands of H. M. Wilson, engineer in charge of the bureau of mines, Pittsburgh, Pa., Major Charles Lynch, medical corps, U. S. A., in charge of the first aid department, and Dr. M. E. Shields of Scranton, Pa., both of whom are pioneers in this movement, are assisting. The first aid to the injured work will be one of the features of the entire day. The teams from the various coal mines will not compete in exhibitions, but will show their skill in bringing injured miners from the mines and binding the wounds and fractures. Many of these teams have been instructed in first aid by the surgeon of the American Red Cross and also by the rescue corps of the bureau of mines.

Thousands Injured Yearly

Between 5,000 to 8,000 miners are injured each year in the United States, some so seriously that they die perhaps months afterward, and others so maimed that they are cripples for life. The work of the first aid to the injured teams is to give the proper emergency treatment so that injuries will be lessened in seriousness and some of the fatalities perhaps avoided. In the anthracite region of Pennsylvania the first aid work has been highly developed through the good work of the American Red Cross and many lives have been saved through the prompt and efficient work of the members of the various corps. This movement has become so popular in the anthracite region that annual field contests between the teams are held each year in the presence of thousands of spectators. Prizes are given to the winners by the American Red Cross and the operators join in with contributions of badges and cups. Following the example of the anthracite region and directly as the result of the instructions in first aid to the injured and in the helmet rescue work being introduced in all parts of the United States by the rescue corps and stations of the bureau of mines, teams have recently been organized in the bituminous mining districts throughout the country. The members of these teams are eager to show their skill and will take part in the exhibition.

Explosions in Miniature

In addition to the exhibition by the first aid teams the miners will witness gas and coal dust explosions in miniature which will be staged in the great explosives gallery of the bureau of mines. In Arsenal park there will also be a temporary gallery which will resemble a coal mine. This will be placed at the bottom of a natural amphitheater, giving a clear view to thousands of persons. There will be a gas explosion in this play mine; miners will be entombed and one of the government rescue corps in oxygen helmets will enter and save the men. One side of the play mine will be one of its entire length in order that the onlookers may witness everything that happens in an underground horror except the loss of life. The famous oxygen helmets that members of the rescue corps of the bureau wear and which have been instrumental in saving a number of lives will be on exhibition and explained to the miners. The oxygen reviving apparatus which automatically takes the poisonous gases from the lungs of an asphyxiated miner and fills them with pure oxygen will also be on exhibition. This apparatus has already brought back to consciousness a number of miners given up as dead.

DEATH RECORD

John Miller, a cousin and a brother-in-law will act as pallbearers at the funeral of John Miller Sunday afternoon. Mr. Miller, who was 29 years old, died Friday following a long illness. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Julius P. Miller, who have lived in the vicinity of Second and Spring streets for the last twenty years. Miller was a member of lodge No. 229, Ancient Order of United Workmen, and Brother of Locomotive Engineers and Firemen and the Burlington Volunteer Relief association. Funeral services will be conducted at the late home, 229 Broadway, at 3 o'clock and interment will be made in Laurel Hill cemetery. The following have been chosen as pallbearers: Julius Miller, Fred Miller, Edward Miller, William Miller, Lou Miller and Bert Holden.

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Hines' Telephone Girl Overhears the Talk to Springfield

Corroborates Employer and Says She Listened Because She Knew the Family of Lorimer.

WASHINGTON, July 1.—Miss Frances Carol, telephone operator in the office of Edward Hines Lumber company, Chicago, and Fred Carney of the Carney Lumber company, Marinette, Wis., were leading witnesses today before the Lorimer investigating committee.

Both corroborated portions of testimony given by Edward Hines of Chicago. The committee, having in view a recess next week, excused, subject to call, the three detectives who Clarence S. Funk said were shadowing him. Miss Carol declared that she overheard the long distance talks Mr. Hines held with Governor Deneen at Springfield on the day Lorimer was elected and repeated the conversation as Mr. Hines said he would come to Springfield with all the money needed to elect Lorimer, as others have testified.

"Can you say you remember this conversation?" inquired Attorney Farrar. "Well, as it was the first time I had ever had Governor Deneen on the wire, I listened." After a pause, she added: "I have lived in Senator Lorimer's district and know his family, and it certainly was a very interesting conversation and I paid particular attention to it."

On cross-examination, however, she was unable to recall the date or substance of any other long distance conversations Mr. Hines had had in the ten years she had been in his employment.

Carney's testimony agreed with Hines' description of how Funk approached him at the Union League club. It was in this conversation that Funk declared Hines asked him to contribute to a Lorimer election fund, whereas Hines testified that Funk asked for the privilege of contributing to such a fund. Mr. Carney said he heard nothing of the conversation.

The committee decided to take a recess from this afternoon till July 11, when it will reconvene in Washington, instead of Chicago, as originally planned, to resume hearings.

Mr. Carney testified that he did not know it was Funk who talked to him at the Union League club on May 27, 1908, until Hines later told him.

"Well, Carney, that isn't a very heavy fellow to be holding down a big job, is it?" Mr. Carney testified Hines had remarked to him after the conversation.

"Mr. Carney, general manager of the International Harvester company."

Kenesaw Has Bad Fire in Business Section

Damage of Twenty Thousand Dollars, with Only Small Insurance, is Estimated Result.

KENESAW, Neb., July 1.—(Special.)—Fire of unknown origin damaged the business section of the town of Kenesaw to the extent of from \$15,000 to \$20,000 Saturday. Among the buildings destroyed were the livery barn and real estate office of George Wilkins, the Christian church, the Masonic temple, T. J. Latta's skating rink and buildings belonging to Arthur Herby. The insurance will probably cover about one-third of the loss. Further loss was prevented by calling the Hastings fire department, which responded effectively.

AUTO ELOPEMENT SUCCEEDS

Davenport Couple Finds License and Minister at Iowa City After Long Flight.

IOWA CITY, Ia., July 1.—(Special.)—Charles Harrington and Miss Mary Christanson of Davenport eloped to triumph over the bride's father, who objected. They reached Iowa City in an automobile after a fifty-mile chase and after one tire had exploded and a new automobile had been pressed into requisition. The county clerk was awakened after midnight and he and the couple spent an hour chasing minister after minister only to find most of the clergymen were out of the state or country. One was found at length up the Iowa river camping and he made the victorious couple happy by coming to town and marrying them.

HYMENEAL

Noil Blesky.

IDA GROVE, Ia., July 1.—(Special.)—At the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Christy Blesky, of Silver Creek township, their daughter Mary Leland Blesky, was married to Winford Noil, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Noil. This wedding united two of the oldest and most prominent pioneer families of Ida county. Among the out-of-town guests were Auditor of State Blesky, uncle of the bride, from Des Moines, and his daughter Miss Madge Blesky. The wedding dinner was a royal feast in which 125 partook. The bride and groom will live on the Noil farm near Arthur.

Do Bolt-Hawkins.

GOTHENBURG, Neb., July 1.—(Special.)—Arthur De Bolt of Omaha and Miss Mabel Hawkins of this city were married Wednesday at St. Peter's Episcopal church at Lexington by Rev. Freeborn. Miss Hawkins has been interested with her brother and sister in a candy kitchen a year or so and is well and favorably known. They will make their home in Cheyenne after a trip through the Colorado mountains.

Boostrom-Belle.

STROMSBURG, Neb., July 1.—(Special.)—The marriage of Prof. Emil A. Boostrom and Miss Lillie Belle took place at the bride's home near Osceola Wednesday morning. The professor is the principal of the schools here and has been retained for the coming year. Mrs. Boostrom is a graduate of the Wesleyan university.

Potter-Hopkins.

AUBURN, Neb., July 1.—(Special.)—Yesterday morning at the home of G. W. Hopkins his daughter, Caroline, was married to E. R. Potter of Klamath Falls, Ore. The young couple started immediately for California and expect to reach their home at Klamath about August 1.

Stuart-Conklin.

NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., July 1.—(Special.)—Paul Stuart and Miss Pearl Conklin were married at the home of the bride's parents in this city last evening. They will make this city their future home.

Explanation of Fur Exporters.

LIBERTE, Germany, July 1.—The export of the fur skins of the New York representatives of Charles Weinbacher by customs officials yesterday stated that the fur had been purchased exceptionally cheaply in Paris and that this accounted for the low invoice price. The fur was purchased at the customs officials. The firm is charged with defrauding the United States government of an undervaluation at the port of New York.

Springer Given Divorce on Ground of Mental Cruelty

Man Whose Wife Figured in Testimony in Henwood Murder Case is Granted Decree.

DENVER, July 1.—John W. Springer was granted a divorce today in the district court from Isabelle Patterson-Springer. The charge was mental cruelty.

The trial today was in chambers. It was brief, no notice of the hearing having been given.

Mr. Springer appeared with his attorney and filed an amended complaint in which he alleged only mental cruelty.

Daniel B. Ellis, representing Mrs. Springer, filed a general denial of the allegations and then the hearing was begun. Mr. Springer testified that recent publications concerning the relations of Mrs. Patterson-Springer to the late Henwood, and the evidence at the trial of Henwood, had greatly humiliated him, causing him much agony of mind, and that he believed the testimony at the trial was true.

The question of alimony was not raised, the Springers having effected a private settlement. Mrs. Springer receives \$15,000 in cash, diamonds and other jewelry and an automobile. Mr. Springer also agreed to see his influence with the district attorney to have turned over to Mrs. Springer the letters she is alleged to have written to Von Phul.

Manawa to Big and Small.

Big folk and small, those who swim and those who coast on the Figure 8, those who dance and those who simply picnic here, music, find their joy at Manawa. It has recreation for everybody who is hot and tired.

Kills Man Who Broke Into Her Room.

FORT WORTH, Tex., July 1.—While alone with her 4-year-old child early today

Mrs. E. T. Goodwin heard a negro tearing away the fastenings on the rear blind. She waited until he opened the door into her room then fired twice, killing him with a bullet through the heart.

Advertisement for Dr. Clark's Teeth Without Plates. Includes a list of dental services and prices.

Advertisement for Kodak Films Developed for 5C. Includes details about film sizes and prices.

Advertisement for Williams Street Block 18. Do your customers live here? On William Street, between 4th and 5th Sts., there are 13 occupied houses, and in 12 they take The Bee.

Advertisement for Leo Grotte Mfg. Co. Cooling, Refreshing, Delightful to Taste. EASILY MADE—Just stir two teaspoonsful of Sizz into a glass of ice cold water and the drink is prepared.

Advertisement for Fire Insurance. Strengthen your Fire Insurance before July 4th by taking out a policy in the PROVIDENCE, WASHINGTON or GLENN FALLS Mortgage Loans and Bonds CASADY CO.

Advertisement for Courtney's For Your Fourth of July Picnic. We have a very large assortment of Fruits, Pastry, Salads, Pickles, Olives, all kinds of Cheese and fancy Crackers.

for any day in June for the last thirty-nine years. Suffering office workers may take some comfort in one citation in the report which runs, "Absolute minimum for this month for thirty-nine years, 42 degrees, 1877."

HOTTEST JUNE FOR 32 YEARS

Iowa Has Not Known Such Conditions in Many Months. (From a Staff Correspondent.) DES MOINES, Ia., July 1.—(Special Telegram.)—The weather bureau compiled a record today regarding the month just passed and reports that for Iowa it was the hottest and driest known for at least thirty-two years. On eleven of the thirty days the thermometer here went above 85 degrees and reached 90 on four days. The average was 5 degrees above normal. Less than an inch of rain fell at the station here in the month, although in spots in the state there was a few heavy rainfalls. The thermometer went to 79 again today, but in the evening a change for the better started.

MORE THAN THREE HUNDRED ELECTION INDICTMENTS

MIDDLEBORNE, W. Va., July 1.—The Tyler county grand jury after being in session nearly three weeks investigating conditions in Slaterville relative to the sale of liquor, gambling and irregularities in city elections adjourned by order of court until July 25, after returning 341 indictments. This is said to be the largest number of indictments returned for any cause in the state.

Boxes of O'Brien's Candy.

Round trip tickets to Lake Manawa. Quart bricks of Dalzell's ice cream. All given away free to those who find their names in the want ads. Read the want ads every day, your name will appear sometime, may be more than once. No puzzles to solve nor subscriptions to get—just read the want ads. Turn to the want ad page—now.

WOMAN GOES BACK TO RUSSIA

Federal Authorities Decide to Deport Miss Krawsa.

MARRIAGE LICENSE ONLY RUSE

Moon Law Goes into Effect in Iowa and Fifty Per Cent of Saloons Cause Operation by Its Provisions.

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DES MOINES, Ia., July 1.—(Special Telegram.)—United States officers today placed aboard a train and started back to Russia Miss Krawsa, a girl said to have been imported to this country for immoral purposes, and decided that Adam Simons should be tried for "white slavery" in the bag concerned in the importation.

Many Saloons Close.

It is estimated that at least 50 per cent of the saloons in the cities of the state closed today under operation of the moon law. All saloons in Ottumwa and Marshalltown closed and twenty-five closed in Cedar Rapids and a number in Waterloo. The situation as left in Des Moines, owing to the preparation of the license, leaves it possible that all the saloons here will have trouble.

Confer as to Rates.

Representatives of commercial bodies in the cities along the Mississippi river will hold a conference next week with the state railroad commission, the commerce council and the attorney general with regard to the preparation of the cases commenced by them to readjust the freight rates from eastern cities and to the far west. The case is pending before the interstate commerce commission and was commenced last year but has been held up waiting until the preparation of the cases commenced by them in the same. It is expected the new commerce council will have a part in preparation of the case. The eastern Iowa cities claim discrimination.

Will Be Able to Continue.

The county teachers' normal institutes will not go out of existence by operation of the new laws of the state. County superintendents report that under the ruling of the attorney general by which they collect a fee of \$1 from each person desiring a certificate or intending to teach the institutes will be fairly well supported. Most of the teachers' institutes are now held for only one week. The new law goes into effect next week.

Tax Men to Be Heard.

The state executive council will during the hearing next week on the railroad assessments hear from all persons who desire to appear and present their views. Frank Pierce of the Iowa League of Municipalities has already asked to be heard in opposition to the present system of making the assessment of corporations.

Fees Barring in Iowa Rivers.

Owing to the low stage of water in Iowa rivers there has been poor boating this season. The Des Moines river has been extremely low and in this city the river above the dam has been filling up with silt until it is feared that boating will be permanently destroyed. The construction

to so many drainage ditches in northern Iowa is believed to have much to do with changing the character of Iowa streams.

New Corporations.

The Waterloo Amusement company, \$10,000 capital; the Brooklyn Creamery company, \$10,000; Fidelity Building and Loan company, Mason City, \$5,000; Western Buyers association, Council Bluffs, \$10,000; Lewis Mutual Telephone company, \$1,500.

Campaign Work Commenced.

Campaign work for 1912 has actively commenced among the Iowa democrats, and the indications are that there will be a triangular fight for control of the Iowa delegation next year. The supporters of Wilson were first in the field, but later, owing to the speech of Bryan at the Jefferson day banquet, a movement was started for Champ Clark. The Judson Harmon people then commenced to fill Iowa democratic newspapers with plate matter boosting Harmon, and now the Governor Wilson people have come back with a publicity movement.

Yeomen Will Build.

The order of Yeomen, which organized here and which has headquarters here, has had plans prepared and will immediately erect a new \$100,000 headquarters building in the city.

Bay Coal for State.

The state board of control today received bids on 105,000 tons of coal for the use of the state institutions during the next year. It will be some days before awards are made. The state purchased its coal last year at what was regarded a low price as compared with prices paid locally, and the board anticipates an equally good bargain this year.

Attack Anti-Saloon Agitator.

W. C. Barber, superintendent for Iowa of the anti-saloon league, was attacked and assaulted on the street today by J. Van Nostrand, a detective, formerly in Barber's employment. Barber was struck in the face several times and his assailant fled. It is not known what caused the trouble, but it is supposed to be a personal matter.

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