

### TELEPHONE MAN IS HELD FOR FORGERY

R. Allen Grim Bound Over at Fremont—Company Gets the Money Back.

### BANK MAKES THE CHARGES

R. Allen Grim of Omaha, district plant chief of the Nebraska Telephone company, is under arrest at Fremont, where charges of forgery are made against him by the Commercial National bank of that place. The case involves a regular voucher check of the Nebraska Telephone company, cashed at this bank for \$400. The check was made in favor of E. L. Minton, a line foreman, on emergency line work with a gang of men, in February, when the check was made.

Minton, the line foreman, never got the money, he says, and knows nothing of the check. Minton's name was embossed on the back of the check, however, by someone and the check was cashed at the Commercial National bank February 24.

The telephone company has its money back, but the bank is loser for having cashed a forged check. Thus the bank brought the charges through the county attorney of Dodge county, and straight to Grim; and Teller Cleland of the bank who cashed the check, came to Omaha and says he can positively identify Grim as the man to whom he paid the money.

### Record Not Quite Straight.

"He gave me a swell line of talk and I got a good chance to observe him," said the teller, "so I cannot be mistaken in the identity." The check was drawn by the auditor's office, signed by the treasurer, and turned over to Grim's office, as was customary in such cases. It is known that the check was still in the office at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of February 23. The following day it was cashed at the Commercial National bank at Fremont, the bank says.

Mr. Grim sets up an alibi, showing that he was in his office in Omaha the day before and the day after the check was cashed. Grim was formerly employed as manager of the Rocky Mountain Telephone company at Idaho Falls, Idaho, leaving its employ March 10, 1906, according to a letter received from the company.

When called to account by the Nebraska Telephone company since this matter came up, Grim is said to have admitted that he falsified his bond application, and falsified his record in making his application to the Nebraska Telephone company.

Asked for a statement as to the company's attitude in the case, President Yost of the Nebraska Telephone company, said: "There is nothing much to say from our standpoint. The bank has made good the money to us. The Bankers' association has the matter in charge. They think they have the guilty party. So we are out of it entirely."

### Elevators in U. P. Building Carry Two Million Passengers

Dr. Millner, superintendent of the Union Pacific headquarters building, has figured out some elevator data with reference to the structure that is twelve stories high and in which eight elevators are operated 365 days of each year.

The doctor figures that the elevators carry an average of 134 passengers daily, or a total of 1,960,700 during a year. Each car travels an average of 12.5 miles per day, averaging 223 trips and making an average of 1,671 stops.

To operate an elevator in the Union Pacific building means an average expenditure of \$3.91 per day, and the cost of carrying a single passenger is figured at .0027 cents. The cost per car mile is 32.23 cents.

### From Steel to Auto Shown at the Movies

"From Molten Steel to Automobile" is the title of an interesting motion picture film which is being shown at Omaha electric theaters this week. The pictures show the complete construction of the Maxwell car from the casting of the parts in rough to the assembling, a. i. d. to complete the picture there is included a little story of the purchase of a car by a doting father for his daughter, and attendant demonstrations of the car's operation. The pictures show all departments of the big Maxwell factory and the operation of many of the big special machines. The film is being shown at the local theaters this week in connection with the special demonstrations put on by the Francis-Cullis Auto company and may be seen today at the local theaters.

### COMMISSIONERS PUT LEAGUE PETITION IN WASTE BASKET

The mayor and commissioners have received from a committee of the Economic league letters urging against the selection of Mayor Dahlman to another term.

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### KIPLING RESENTS SLIGHT TO RUSSIA BY WITHDRAWING PATRONAGE FROM POLISH FUND—Rudyard Kipling has withdrawn from the Polish relief fund, organized by Ignace Jan Paderewski and Miss Lawrence Alma-Tadema, because of statements, in appeals through the press which he regards as reflecting on the Russian policy and army. The appeal which annoyed Kipling was prepared by Miss Alma-Tadema.



### Summer Recreation Planned for Summer Hill Farm by "Y. W."

Plans for Young Women's Christian association summer activities are rapidly being formulated. Summer Hill farm will be open to guests from Saturday, May 20, until August 30, and will be in charge of Mrs. Laura Bancroft, the new house secretary. The first two weeks in July are to be reserved at the farm for girls under 18 who have no special chapters. Miss Helen Lawrence, secretary of the girls' work committee, will be in charge then. The Athletic club has already engaged the entire space for the opening week-end, and the Business Girls' club is planning to spend the first week in June at the farm.

### Swimming Lessons Will Begin June 1

The tennis this year will be in charge of the Athletic club, and reservations may be made to the members or the physical directors beginning Monday.

### Two Fired from City Hall for Work For the "Big Six"

Ed T. Peterson, levy clerk, and Andy Jensen, clerk in the office of City Commissioner McGovern, defeated for reelection, were discharged Friday. The action was a result of the campaign, during which Peterson and Jensen assisted in defeating McGovern.

### BUSINESS MEN STILL TALK OVER SUMMER CHAUTAUQUA

A half dozen business men from Lincoln and other parts of the state met today with a large committee of wholesalers and other business men of Omaha to discuss further the proposition of instituting a business men's chautauqua somewhere in the state this summer. The tentative plan is to finance a chautauqua on a large scale in which business talks and lectures of a practical sort would predominate instead of the usual fun and entertainment features. The plan is not at all definitely worked out, and it is possible that enough fun and frolic would be sprinkled in to draw the crowds. The question of locating the chautauqua at Omaha is up.

### KILLING FROSTS FAIL TO APPEAR

Slight Frost in Various Sections Does Very Little Damage to Grain or Fruit.

### SOME DAMAGE ON LOWLANDS

According to morning reports to the railroad headquarters, coming from station agents out on the western lines, the killing frosts, expected for Thursday night throughout Nebraska failed to materialize. The weather is now much warmer, the change having set in throughout the western and central portions of the state at an early hour this morning.

Of seventy-two stations along the Burlington, scattered through all portions of Nebraska, fourteen reported frost, but nowhere severe enough to injure the most tender vegetation, except at Belmont, in the extreme west part of the state, where the temperature dropped to freezing.

Along the Northwestern line temperatures during the night dropped to 30 to 35 degrees above zero, but the brisk wind prevented any frost. On the southern lines temperatures during the night ranged from 40 to 50 above zero.

### Wind Heads Off Frost.

Over the entire Union Pacific system in Nebraska there was a brisk wind during the entire night, which did away with the possibility of a damaging frost.

In a number of places in the western part of the state light frost was reported, but not heavy enough to do any damage. Reports to the Missouri Pacific from the fruit growing section in the southeast corner of the state were to the effect that the mercury did not drop to the frost line during the night, around 40 to 50 above zero being the coldest recorded.

Market gardeners in towns from up and down the river reported that on some of the low lands there was a light frost

early this morning, but not enough to injure the most tender plants, except in rare instances. On the high lands, gardeners asserted there was no indication of frost.

### Den Show Rehearsed for the First Time

"The Isle of Pepp" was rehearsed for the first time Thursday night at Ak-Sar-Ben den. This is the name of the little sketch prepared for the Den road show this year. It has the pep good and plenty, and the 100 men who constitute the crew this year left the Den chattering and humming their enthusiasm over the sensational features of the show and initiation. A trip through Yellowstone park is included in the initiation. Oh, no, of course Yellowstone National park has not been moved in from Wyoming for the occasion. No, but the Union Pacific has furnished views for the scenes that do nothing if they don't make the visitor think he is actually wandering in the canyons and getting sprayed by Old Faithful geyser. The first musical rehearsal at the Den is to be next Monday night.

### Big Convention of Lutheran Society Will Be Held Here

The nineteenth bi-annual convention of the Women's Home and Foreign Missionary society of the General Synod Evangelical Lutheran church will be held in Omaha, May 8 to 13. This is the first time in twenty-two years this convention has been held in Omaha.

The day sessions of the convention will be held at the Kountze Memorial church, while the evening sessions will be distributed among the other Lutheran churches of the city. Mrs. J. F. Hartman of Philadelphia is president of the body and will preside at the convention. Several Omaha women are active in the missionary society. Mrs. O. D. Baitly, wife of the pastor of the Kountze church, is one of the department secretaries.

Read The Bee's "Business Chances"

### Peterson Finishes Mural Paintings at Fontenelle Hotel

Einar Peterson, the artist who has been making dozens of beautiful mural paintings to adorn the interior of some of Hotel Fontenelle's public rooms, has finished his big task and put the last of the paintings in place. They are so strikingly handsome that all have already been photographed for the benefit of out-of-town people who cannot come here to view them.

For many weeks Peterson has been busy on the murals. He made them in an improvised studio under the mansard roof of the big new hotel. All are purely western in subject matter and style, and show many real and imaginary scenes of the great west before the white man's civilization took the place of that of the Indian. Among the murals is one of the old mission building at Bellevue, with the Missouri river bluffs in the background.

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