THE BEE: OMAHA, THURSDAY, MARCH 30, 1916.

PAINTERS ASK FOR

Local Union Men Want Wages

**Baised Fifty Cents on Eight-**

Hour Day.

Union painters and paper hang-

ers of Omaha are asking for a raise

in their wage scale of 614 cents per

hour, which will bring their pay up

from \$4 to \$4.50 for the eight-hour

Employers have not as yet ex-

ressed a willingness to grant the

additional pay requested, but are

holding daily meetings with the em-

ployes' committee, and express a

men, and will go about half way in

John Hanson is the local business

igent of the painters' union. There ar

is or more painters in the city. Frank

Lesley, an organizer from Kansas City

has been in the city for some weeks

working among the painters to get a

arger percentage of them organized

The painters have had no strike in

maha since 1904. Between the years

\$96 and 100 several painters' strikes were

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INCREASE IN PAY

**BOSTON OPERA IS** MISSOURI PACIFIC TO RAISE TRACKS POPULAR ON COAST Superintendent Russ Announces Advance Agent of Pavlowa Ballet Plans to Do Away with Danger-Russe Arrives to Prepare for ous Crossings. Three Performances Here.

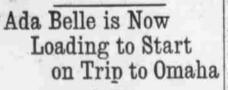
The Missouri Pacific has agreed upon a plan to eliminate the hazard in connection with the Dodge street crossing of the Belt Line, This is the assertion of Superintendent Ross of the Nebraska division of the Missouri Pacific, who spent a portion coast has been remarkable. In San of the day in Omaha. Discussing it. Superintendent Russ said:

"Our chief engineer is pretty well along with the plans that will not only dispose of the Dodge street crossing, but snese Butterfly," says Mrs. Bachelder, the Douglas and Farnam street crossings of the Belt line. His plans will be ready for presentation within a short Instead of providing for a viaduct delicate sneers when they were told that at Dodge street, the plans contemplate Tamaki Miura was not a sort of 'freak raising the main line track from a point couth of Farnam to a point north of lyric soprano voice, trained in approved Dodge street. This will permit of street crossings to be kept at, or about, the present grades, with the railroad tracks overhead. "We hope that the plans that we have

agreed upon and which are being worked Grand Opera company and Pavlowa Balout will be satisfactory to the city. We consider that the grade crossings will be far more desirable than vinducts and much less expensive to maintain.

"While I am not at liberty to make promises, or guarantee their being carried out, I feel protty certain that work on the elevation of the track from south of Farnam to north of Dodge street will be commenced and finished this year." The Missouri Pacific, says Superintendent Russ, has started relaying its track between Falls City and Atchison, putting down new and heavier steel at the rate of about a mile per day. When this gap is completed, it will give the company a new track all the way from Omaha to Kansas City, the line between Omaha tically finished in every sense of the and Falls City having been relaid last year.

On the Nebraska branches, according to Superintendent Russ, about 100 miles of new ralls will be laid this year, replacing lighter ones.



Lying III in his bed at Decatur, John Elliott of the Farmers State bank, has given orders for the Ada Belle to begin it operations up and down the Missouri river.

The Ada Bells has lain in dock at Decatur all winter. Now that the loe is thoroughly appreciative of an artist as gone Decatur business men and farmers the one at the Auditorium last night. I are anxious that she start plying between saw but three people whisper during Mr. Omaha and Decatur to carry cargoes of grain as she did last summer. John been a symphony audience in Cincinnati Elliott is the head of the Decatur company that handles this traffic.

"For heaven's sake get the boat started," Commissioner Manley of the Omaha Commercial club called to Elliott over the long distance telephone. Elliott flat on his back in bed, talked to Manley over the long distance, and promised he would get the captain into action with league to see if it would be possible to the boat.

The barges are even now being loaded, and Mr. Elliott has promised that the 15 but they stated that arrangements had o will reach Omaha before the licen made

SYNOPSIS. ELEVATE INSTEAD OF VIADUCT JAP SOFRANO PROVES WORTH Mirs, E. A. Bachelder of New York

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merits.

Mary Page, actress, is accused of the mixider of David Pollock and is defended by her lover. Phillip Langdon, Pollock was intoxicated. At Mary's trial she ad-mits she had the revolver. Her maid testifies that Mary Uhrestened Pollock with it previously, and Mary's testing man implicates Langdon. How Mary dis-sphered from the scene of the crime is a print be saw on Mary's shoulder. Further vidence shows that horror of drink pro-duces temporary insanity in Mary. The defense is 'repressed psychosis. Wit-nesses describe Mary's flight from her in toxicated father and her father's builder. Nurse Walton describes the kidnapine of Mary by Pollock and Amy Barton tells of Mary's struggles to become an actress and Pollock's pursuit of her. There is evidence that Daniels, Mary 5 manager, intestened Pollock. Mary faints on the stand and again goes insane when a po-liceman offers her whisky Daniels (emi-fies that Pollock threatened to kill Mary and Langdon and actually attempted to kill the latter. representing the Boston Grand Opera company and Pavlowa Ballet Ausse, has arrived in Omaha, enroute from the Patific coast, where the combined organization has been playing to enthusiastic audiences and crowded houses. She declares the success of the company on the Francisco last week not only were the houses sold out before the season com-The entire coast, more than eastern opera goers, were sceptical of the Jap-

"In that section of the country all Japanese are looked upon with little favor, and there were preliminary amiles and

> (Continued from Yesterday.) CHAPTER XL. Were you watchman for that build-

western methods. Mlura San has caping ?" No. sor. They had their own man tured the critics and people of the Pato keep an eye out for the bulls, but it cific coast just as she did conservative was that very night they were pulled. London last year, and earlier this sea-Tim, the policeman at the corner, had son in every city in which the Boston wised me up to it only an hour before. men jorks 'em down and turns to another

raid Barker's.' sez he, 'and Til bet we "This great organization is coming into pull a few big bugs, or my name is rand." Omaha purely on its own responsibility. backed by its own capital, not asking any local committee to guarantee a large in the alley. First off, I sez, he's a plain sum of money. It is coming in on its own clothes man. Then I looks at his feet and The reputation that has been

says nix, he's a gumshoe crook, and created by the remarkable praise from hen the girl comes down the fire escape." the press and the people has preceded When the girl had disappeared into them over the country in a sufficient Barker's, what did you do?" degree, so that Omaha itself, has responded by the largest advance sale in 'it's goin' to be a big night, and that girl has jumped out of the fryin'-pan into "One of the secrets of the success of the fire." And, begorra, sor, I'd no more than said it than I heard the signal blow our organization," she continued. "is the and saw the bluecoats marchin' up the

alloy and across the street at the end word. It has been the surprise and desurroundin' the place. 'Good night to light of critics and lovers of art to find Barker's,' says I; and we watched 'em that every minor character of the cast batter in the door and march up stairs. in each opera is as well sung and acted It was then that I felt the other man accordingly as that of the star who occuuggin' at me arm.

"The other man?" It was more an ex-"Whether our tour has had anything clamation than a question and Dennis nodded.

This season more citizens have organized their own symphony orchestras than ever before has been done in a single year west are in excellent condition for spring "It was a source of much gratification

to me to see an audience in Omaha so hours. W. E. Lewis of Denver made the run to Omaha in a leisurely manner in three Kreisler's performance. It might have

Kansas City, and in order to spend a few days in the Nebraska metropolis. Charles Meyer of Chicago came by way of Omaha. The run from the windy city

are unable to obtain the Auditorium for was made in four days. e fourth performance. I called on Mr. High and Mr. Thomas of the Anti-Saloon

their meeting at the Auditorium on April S. D. am Jennings Bryan

The Strange Mary Page By Frederick Lewis, Author of :: Pictures by "What Happened to Mary" :: Essanay

"Sure, the feller that had been standin'

some place in the shadows. 'Wot are the perlice after?' he says, all hoarse like. 'Who are they lookin' fer-the girl" 'Not on your life.' says I, 'they're raidin' Bar r maid ker's. 'Barker's?' says he, as if he'd Pollock never heard of the place. 'I-I-thought the trouble was in the hotel. 1-1-heard a ahot." "Then,' says I, 'you've get one on me, fer with all these auttymobils hangin' about, the man that kin tell bullet from a tire has some cars." 'You're right,' says he, 'It was probably a tire, And he inughs; then he shink away, at if he didn't like the perlice even if the weren't doin' anything but raid a gam bith joint. "Can you describe that man"

"No. He was kind of fattish, and short bellef that the wage matter will be He looked like the sort of a feller that settled without a strike. The indihits 'em up considerable, but I didn't take cations at present are that the con-"Did you and M'ss O'Nelli remain in tractors will compromise with the

the alley after he had gone?' "Yes, for the police had run up the

shades and we could see right into Barker's place. Then I seen the girl again. "Do you mean Miss Page?"

"Yes, sor: leastwise I suppose it was her. She was standin' with her hands over her face, and one of the police "Stick around, Denny," says he, "there one and says, says he. 'Is this the girl? | will be big doin's soon. They're goin' to could hear plain even down in the street but the other bull seemed puzzled. 'It looks like it might be,' he says, 'espe "So I was kind of hangin' around cially the glad rags, but she ain't go waitin' when I see this other fellow posted Maggie's ear marks.' Then he grabs the girl by the arm and says. 'Wo'ts your name" But she didn't answer, just moans, and at that he laughs and says. 'Playin' dumb, ch? Same old game. Now I'm dead sure you are Maggie Hale that hums around the restaurants and hooks "I joined Katie and says to her, said the suckers. Well, if you won't talk to us, you can tell it to the judge." And with that he marches her away where we

couldn't see her." "Just a minute, Mr. Gallagher." interrupted Langdon. "Let's return to that fattish man in the alley. Did he come up the street with the police?

'No, sor. He was alongside o' me by

the street?"

the Wisconsin city to Omaha. He is en

route to Denver. All of the tourists registered at the downtown headquarters of the Omaha Automobile club at the Hotel Fontenelle.

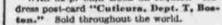
MRS. BRENNEN OF BUTTE

SEEKING WANDERING BOY The police received a telegram yesterday morning from Mrs. Margaret Brennen of Butte, Mont., asking assistance in locating her lost boy, Frank Brennen, who left home in 1912 and who, it is believed, came to Omaha to seek work. The police are looking for the boy and it is ex-

pected that he will be located in a short time

#### BUILDING INSPECTOR HAS CONDEMNED OLD HOUSES

The city building department has condemned old frame dwelling at the following addresses: 2007 South Thirty-second, 2713 Pacific and 4306 Ames avenue; also abandoned coal yard and office at



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Automobile highways in the middle

touring, judging from reports made by motorists who visited Omaha from widely scattered points in the last twenty-four

and a half days. Taking a roundabout route to get to

"We are so well satisfied with the in terest and enthusiasm already shown our organization in Omaha that I regret we

G. M. Enslow covered the distance from Glenwood, Ia., to Omaha in little less make arrangements for them to postpone than an hour. He is touring to Mitchell,

Frequent stops were made by J. B. Olaf northwest corner of Thirteenth and Web-

that time. Then he came from the other end of Dennis scratched his head. (To Be Continued Tomorrow.).

end of this week.

Dr. Fox Will Make Survey of State

Dr. J. C. Fox of the Federal Health department at Washington is gathering data here in connection with a survey he is making of the state. He is maintaining an office at the state house and expects to be in Nebraska another month.

The doctor came on the request of the governor, his mission being to go over the state situation and recommend what should be done to build up an efficient and practical state board of health.

There is no duly constituted state health officer at this time and I find that the relations between the state board of health and the four secretaries are not clearly defined." said Dr. Fox.

The national government has made surveys in ten other states and an effort is being made to standardize the administration of state health regulations, that the government work may be better applied by the various state organizations. Governor Morehead expects to bring be fore the next legislature a definite proposition for the establishment of a stable state health department.

Van Dusen Brings Crummel to Omaha

Charles VanDusen, city detective, has returned to Omaha from Joliet, Ill., with Paul Crummel, who is wanted here for breaking and entering the home of F. W. Charake, 4020 Dodge street, during February, 1915. It was while VanDusen ras conferring with Charske on this case that his partner. Tom Ring, was shot to death by Mexicans in a rooming house on North Fourteenth street.

### SURPRISE PARTY GIVEN FOR MRS. J. F. RYNES

A birthday surprise party was given in sonor of Mrs. J. F. Rynes at her home Sunday evening by the St. Ludmilla lodge, of which she is a secretary. The iostess was presented with a beautiful uquet of flowers. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Kuncl, Mr. and Mrs. Netusil, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Skomal, Mr and Mrs. T. K. Sterba, Mr. and Mrs. J Pisckao, Mr. and Mrs. M. Krajicek Mesdames Al Vajir, K. Killian, K. Drdla. K. Hynek, M. Moravec, M. Svacina, K. Chleborad; Misses Anna Vranek, Francis Piskac, Anna Rynes.

EXPECT BIG CROP OF SPUDS IN COLORADO

"While we have raised potatoes in the past, during the coming year we expect to break all former records," asserted oseph Wolff of Greeley, Colo., known the world as the potato king.

Mr. Woiff is spending the day in the city, and speaking of the outlook for potatoes in Colorado next season, said: "The acreage that will be put into potatoos this year will be greatly in excess of any former year. The ground is going to be in better condition than usual at planting time and then the high prices that have obtained is going to stimulate farmers to putting out a much larger cron than neusl.

for that date and it would be impossible o make the change. Whatever may be your need, a Bee

Want Ad will get it for you. COLORADO, WITH PLENTY OF MOISTURE, EXPECTS BIG CROP

Assistant General Freight Agent Choate of the Union Pacific, located at Denver. is spending the day at headquarters. He is enthusiastic over the crop outlook in Colorado, asserting:

with

"During the last winter the plains and foothills of Colorado had the heaviest snowfall in years. This was also true in the mountains and the result is that there is an abundance of moisture now and will be later on when it becomes neces-

sary to turn the water from the irrigation ditches onto the fields. "Colorado farmers are laying their

plans for putting out a large crop and confidently expect a bountiful harvest next fall. There are a good many new ming into the state, buying up settlers con farm lands."

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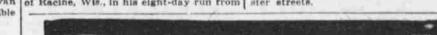
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