

CRUSADE AGAINST WALKING ON TRACKS

Burlington Working in Conjunction With Local Factory Managers.

PRESERVE LIFE AND LIMB

Lives and limbs of indispensable Omaha factory workers will no longer be exposed to ever-present dangers on railway tracks and crossings if a campaign, inaugurated by the Burlington railway in conjunction with heads of local industries wins its point.

Local Freight Agent Harrington, co-operating with captains of industry of Greater Omaha, has posted warning notices in large factories, calling attention to dangers of trespassing on the tracks. The fact that out of every six persons killed on railway tracks, four are trespassing non-employees, is emphasized. The practice of walking to and from work on the tracks is condemned.

Apparently deliberate attempts at self destruction on the tracks are few, according to the railway bulletin, the majority of deaths caused being the fault of thoughtless trespassers who insist on using railway property as thoroughfare.

"We have men working for us who have devoted years to the perfecting of their professions and they are indispensable to our factory," said a local factory manager. "We have educated these men to perform certain duties and they are cogs in the big wheel. Yet these same men endanger their lives, limbs and the welfare of their employers daily by walking to and from their daily duties on the railway tracks. Some poor chap is killed daily simply for the sake of taking a short cut. We can not afford to lose these trained workers."

Jewelers to Take Special Coach to National Meeting

A special car of jewelers may run from Omaha to Minneapolis for the National Retail Jewelers' convention, to be held there August 29 to September 1.

Ed B. Franske, jeweler of Pierce, Neb., secretary of the Nebraska Jewelers' organization, is trying to arrange for a special car out of Omaha.

A lot of Omaha jewelers will attend the convention, and Secretary Franske is writing to all the jewelers in the state, asking them to let him know how many will go, so that he can arrange for the special.

He points out that the fare, round trip, from Omaha, will be \$16.25. And these tickets are to be good until Oct. 31. Immediately after the convention there is to be a special tour of the Yellowstone park by the delegates.

T. L. Combs of Omaha, one of the directors of the national body and former president, has gone to Chicago, where he is to meet the secretary of the national association to go over arrangements for the convention with especial reference to the selling of booth space for the big jewelry exhibit that is to be held in connection with the convention.

Goes to Sioux Falls to Give Typhoid Prophylaxis

P. I. Osiek, the first-class hospital apprentice attached to the staff of the navy recruiting office, has just returned from Sioux Falls, S. D., where he administered the typhoid prophylaxis to Navy Recruiting Officer Schaeffer.

The treatment has to be given three times at intervals of ten days and Mr. Osiek will make three trips up to the northern city to make Mr. Schaeffer immune to typhoid. Mr. Osiek has taken the full rigorous government training in all kinds of treatment of contagious diseases and is considered one of the "top-notchers" in the service.

Centurion Club Will Picnic at Valley Sunday

One hundred and ninety-two reservations have been made to date, for passage on the special train to the Centurion picnic, at Valley Sunday. This train will leave over the Union Pacific from the South Side station at 11 a. m. and will carry only those who have made arrangements through members of the club for transportation.

The South Side champions, under the leadership of Frank Barrett, will play an exhibition game with the celebrated Centurian ball team. Swimming will be the principal sport in the afternoon, while in the evening one of the club members will address the picnickers.

Hotels Will Distribute Omaha Publicity Booklets

Hotels all over the country are to give Omaha publicity by keeping on hand a lot of booklets and literature on Omaha for free distribution in their places of business. Manager Parrish of the bureau of publicity has written a number of hotel men with whom he became acquainted during their convention in Omaha recently and has asked them what they could do toward distributing booklets he might furnish them. Many of the proprietors of the hotels have already replied favorably and are greatly pleased to get these booklets. The replies come from several states.

Rosicrucian Colony Seeks Land in the Middle West

William H. Hiles of Philadelphia passed through Omaha Thursday enroute to the western part of the state and Wyoming in search of a suitable locality for placing a colony of 200 families of the Rosicrucian faith who want to move from Pennsylvania to the newer country of the middle west. Mr. Hiles made the trip by automobile and says that with the exception of mud which he encountered in Iowa and Illinois, the roads of the east and middle west were a joy to the automobile.

No Sort of Weather Makes Any Impression On One J. A. C. Kennedy

In these warm—beg pardon, we mean hot—days, it is refreshing to contemplate one of our distinguished fellow citizens upon whom the heat seems to have no effect.

"There ain't no such animal" you say, and we come right back by pointing to the eminent attorney, J. A. C. Kennedy.

Others may puff and pant and complain and fidget and mop their brows and pull off their coats and fan themselves and roll up their sleeves and even take off their collars.

But J. A. C. Kennedy goes his calm, cool, cumbersome way and seems unaware of the heat.

Observe him in the federal court these days. Ten good men and true sit around a big table there, threshing out the Missouri Pacific's rate case before Referee Frank H. Gaines. Eight of these g. m. and t. have their coats off. But focus your lamps on Mr. Kennedy. He looks as cool as a polar bear on an ice floe. He not only has his coat on but he wears a high starched collar with one of those new style bunched bow ties and starched cuffs.

Frank Gaines is in his shirt sleeves and wears a soft collar. Railway Commissioners Clarke and Hall have

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their coats off, and Mr. Clarke wears a soft collar.

E. C. Hurd, rate expert, has his coat off, exhibiting his suspenders unblushingly to the world. Rate expert U. G. Powell has his coat off. C. D. Perdue, chief engineer of the "M. P." has his coat off and his sleeves rolled up. Stenographer C. W. Pearsall has his coat off and his sleeves rolled up.

These coatless men mop their brows, they fan, they go to the window hoping for a breath of fresh air, they consume ice water.

But J. A. C. K. in his coat and high collar and starched cuffs, seems cool as a cucumber.

His imperviousness to the equatorial torridity of August is no more astonishing than his imperviousness to the hyperborean frigidity of February. (Six good, round, ringing words in that sentence, g. reader, eh?)

For in February Mr. Kennedy may be seen swinging along the street without an overcoat and wearing low shoes.

Talk about Ajax defying the lightning! J. A. C. Kennedy has his lashed to the mast and shouting for help.

JOHN GRANT PEGG IS VICTIM OF THE HEAT

Died Two Weeks After He Is Overcome by Heat—Immediate Cause Paralysis.

CITY WEIGHT INSPECTOR

John Grant Pegg, city inspector of weights and measures and one of the familiar figures about town for many years, died at his home, 4308 Patrick avenue, Thursday afternoon following a stroke of paralysis. He was 48 years old.

Mr. Pegg's death was indirectly caused by a heat prostration, which he suffered two weeks ago last Tuesday, collapsing in front of the city hall. His condition was serious at the time, but he recovered somewhat and was believed to have been out of danger.

The inspector of weights and measures, though a negro, was one of the best liked men on the city payroll.

He came from Chicago seventeen years ago and had been inspector of weights and measures for ten years.

He was born in Richmond, Va.

He is survived by his widow, five children, four brothers, James of New York City, Henry of Chicago, Charles of Oakland, Cal., and Bayliss of Omaha, and a sister, Ida Prayther of Oklahoma City.

Tie Rope Around Neck of Horse to Help to Pull Load

Fred Peuler, Eighteenth and Miami streets, was attempting to force his horse to pull a load that was too heavy for the animal, and after using the whip liberally he persuaded John Schwartz, Eleventh and Howard streets, to help him.

A rope was tied around the Peuler equine's neck with the other end fixed to the rear axle of Schwartz's wagon.

It was up to the horse to move or choke to death, but at this juncture a number of market employees who had noticed the peddler's action leaped upon the men and gave them a convincing impression as to the error of their ways.

Peuler was fined \$2.50 and costs when arraigned in police court and Schwartz was given a like amount, with suspended sentence.

Sue W. L. Huffman for Forty-Three Motor Cars

The Agricultural Credit company of Richmond, Va., filed suit in federal court against the W. L. Huffman Automobile company to secure possession of forty-three Chalmers automobiles valued at \$32,250.

The petition states that the defendant's notes were endorsed and assigned to the plaintiff by the Chalmers Motor company of Detroit, Mich., and have not been paid. Return of the cars or payment of the notes is asked, together with \$3,500 damages.

Dry Campaigners Set Out On Their Second Day's Trip

W. R. Patrick, Dr. J. R. Beard, E. Cleveland, Frank A. Harrison and W. H. Borcherding set out Friday for the second day of active campaigning on the part of the dry federation.

Two auto loads made a seventy-five-mile trip Thursday, visiting and holding meetings at Elkhorn, Waterloo, Valley, Arlington, Washington, Irvington, B-nson and in Omaha.

Says Hubby Wanted to Move Around too Much

Grace S. Wightman filed suit for divorce from Dr. Hugo W. Wightman. She says he made her move fifteen times in eleven years and that he wouldn't let her go home to visit her parents, and that he failed to support her and their daughter, Roberta. She asks alimony and custody of the child.

W. R. Miles is Not Held for Shooting of James Wilson

An article in Thursday's Bee stated that W. R. Miles, 1147 North Twentieth street, was held on a charge of shooting James Wilson. The report was an error, Ernest Ellis, 959 North Twenty-seventh avenue, being the man who is held. Mr. Miles was not connected with the case.

Placed Under Bond to Fulfill Support of Wife

George M. Nelson, Twenty-fourth and Emmet streets, self-declared owner of 640 acres of land, city property and other acre producing institutions, was arraigned in police court charged with nonsupport. He agreed to provide comfortably for his wife and was released on \$300 bonds pending the fulfillment of his promise.

Roach Makes Plans for U. P. Safety First Train

F. J. Roach, in charge of the advertising department of the Union Pacific, returned Thursday from Denver, where he had been making preparations for the "Safety First train," operated by the government and the

Union Pacific, which will be on exhibition in Omaha, August 26.

W. H. Basinger, who returned from a trip through Kansas, says that at Lawrence, Kas., a crowd of 5,000 persons went through the train and viewed the moving pictures. This train is handled by the Union Pacific without expense to the government.

as a part of the "Safety First" campaign which the road is conducting in an effort to reduce the number of railroad accidents.

Indisputable evidence of great results to Bee Want Ad users: 25,748 more paid Want Ads first six months of 1916 over same period 1915. No other Omaha paper can boast of anything near such figures.

Dan Whitney and Two Others Lose Their Autos

Dan Whitney, 4329 Franklin street; L. V. Nichols, 5210 Burt street, and Asmus Thomsen of Walnut, La., inform the police that their autos were stolen from downtown parking districts.

Store Closes at 6 P. M. on Saturdays during the month of August. Please shop early.

TELEPHONE 1614 DOUGLAS

Brandeis Stores

Women's Wash Dresses at Clearance Prices

WE HAVE ASSEMBLED TWO BIG GROUPS of charming Wash Dresses that up to this time were selling in many instances for as much as \$10.00—

Three hundred in this lot, now—

At \$1.98 and \$3.50

There are pretty Voiles in plain and fancy stripes, Lawns in dainty patterns and sheer wool fabrics.

VERY SPECIAL—For quick clearance, we will have these displayed on racks on the Main Floor, center aisle, and will sell them from this location. THIS IS AN INNOVATION THEY WON'T LAST LONG—COME EARLY.

Then on the Second Floor We Offer—

Girls' Colored Wash Dresses, 89c | Girls' White Dresses, \$1.89 and \$2.89

Hundreds of garments in the lot; values running up as high as \$2.50—all at one price, Saturday.....

89c

Dainty models, embroidery and lace trimmed; values up to \$5.00 each.

Boys' Long Pants Suits

In a Big Cleanup

For the boys of high school age. All new, stylish models in those smart new weaves and mixtures. Summer suits that sold for \$10.00, \$12.50 and \$15.00, at.....

\$7.00

Blue Serge, Worsted in plain colors and fancies. Tweeds, Cassimeres and Homespuns in splendid mixture effects.

Some Have Two Pairs of Pants

Shop early Saturday and get the pick of these wonderful bargains. Ages 14 to 19 years.

Third Floor.

Parasols, Unrestricted Choice \$1.95 Value \$3.00 to \$12.00, at....

THREE HUNDRED AND FIFTEEN

of these dainty parasols, as pretty and fine as they can be. Experience with previous sales of parasols in this store makes every woman who has ever attended, know that the values she will receive, more than measure up to the figures we quote.

Not more than two parasols will be sold to a customer. All \$1.00 and \$1.50 parasols, at 69c.

Main Floor.



BLouses--Fine Styles--Clearance at \$1.19 and \$1.95

Slightly soiled Blouses in white; also some with blue and rose organdie collars; on sale, Saturday, at.....

\$1.19

Second Floor.

Some have sold for as much as \$3.98; on sale, Saturday, at.....

\$1.95

Second Floor.

DRUGS

And Toilet Articles.

We have now one of the finest daylight drug departments in the State of Nebraska. With the addition of many hundreds of square feet of space and newer and better methods of display, we offer the best service and sell the very best drugs, toilet preparations, etc., at most modest prices.

Sampey Govine, regular 50c size, for.....

29c

Lyon's Tooth Powder, 25c size box for.....

14c

Packer's Tar Soap, 25c size cake, for.....

14c

Java Rice Powder, all shades, per box.....

25c

Cuticura Soap, 25c size cake.....

16c

Sanitol Tooth Powder, 25c size for.....

14c

Froesman's Face Powder, 25c size for.....

16c

El Perfume Rouge, 50c size box for.....

29c

Juvenile Soap, 10c cake.....

6c

Kirk's Shandon Bells Soap