BROWN FRAMEUP, SAYS J. R. LONES

Charges Conspiracy to Discredit Women Who Might Be Called as Witnesses Against Roy Kelly.

A. Williams. Miss Reed was comwas away Miss Reed retired. Williams walked into the room with the medicine and hardly had time to take his seat when the detectives

Accuses Kelly and Ray Woman. There had been complaints made against the house in which they were living, Miss Kubat declared, because of the numerous fights between Kelly and Ellen Ray. There had never been a semblance of disorder about the house except that created by Keliy and the woman who passed as his wife. The trouble is alleged to have started when a former sweetheart of the Ray woman returned from the army, and the girl showed a preferance for the soldier. Kelly is said to have beaten the girl repeatedly and threatened kill her, and because of these disturbances, neighbors are said to have registered complaints against the house. "I have heard Kelly brag many

times how he had fixed policemen in connection with his bootlegging business," continued Miss Kubat. "He told of making trips to St. Joseph in his automobile and bringing back whisky. He said he paid the guards on the Douglas street bridge \$50 for each load he brought to Omaha. He said he paid the money in advance and signaled to the guards on the bridge with a sign which was known to them and he was allowed to pass."

An automobile belonging to Kelly recently was seized by the police when it was discovered to contain a consignment of whisky. Chief of Detectives Dunn declared the car would be sold at public auction. Chief Dunn said he was at a loss

to understand why Detectives Herdzina and Armstrong allowed Kelly to escape after he had been placed vestigate the matter and immediately issue orders to his men to arrest Kelly on sight.

Will Demand Investigation.

Commissioners Zimman, Butler and Ure have gone on record with unqualified statements of condemnation of the arrest of Mrs. Brown, and Commissioner Zimman is particularly emphatic in insisting that the girls are being held at the Detention home wrongfully under Dean Ringer's and Dr. Findley's new ordinance. Mr. Zimman promises a lively time at Monday's session of the city council. Mrs. Brown's condition was reported as slightly improved at the

hospital last night. The family physician is in constant attendance. One of the numerous insults which were offered Mrs. Brown while she was held at the police station was huried at her as she was crowded into her cell, according to Thomas Brown, her son. Police Captain Heitfeldt, as well as Detec-Police tives Herdzina and Armstrong, was rough and discourteous to Mrs. Brown, After refusing to accept any amount of bonds for her release, giving as his excuse that he had been instructed by Dean Ringer to hold all women without bond for instructions from Dr. Findley. Cap-tain Heitfeldt threatened that "he would attend to the reputation of Mrs. Brown," according to the statement of her son yesterday.

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ARREST OF MRS. Mr. Ringer Attempts To Justify Arrest and Brutal Treatment of Mrs. Brown

In Signed Statement, in Which He Admits He Never Questioned Injured Party or Her Son, He Says He Will Not File Charges Against Accused Detectives -Statement Substantiates Conspiracy Charge.

Against Roy Kelly.

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the conversation plainly.

"Kelly was telling the detective that I should not be arrested when the officer called him into one of the rooms. They still were talking about the case when I heard Kelly laughing. When we reached the porch Kelly just jumped over the railing and walked away. The officers who so rudely took this railing and walked away. The officers who so rudely took this elderly woman from her home at 2 a. m. Thursday and threw her in jail, denying her bond.

Miss Kubat declared that Miss Applegate and Mrs. Baldwin were seated in one room across the hall.

The police Commissioner Ringer and Chief of Police Eberstein yesterday afternoon stated that from information they had obtained in connection with the arrest of Mrs. Thomas Brown, 508 North Twenty-first street, they are unable to see why charges should be filed against Detectives Herdzina and Armstrong, the officers who so rudely took this elderly woman from her home at 2 a. m. Thursday and threw her in jail, denying her bond.

In fact, these police officials substantially give the detectives a clean bill.

The police Commissioner Ringer and Chief of Police Eberstein yesterday afternoon stated that from information they following:

Complaints came from neighbors that from about 10 or 10 oclock at night until and other cars carrying men and women were constantly visiting the flat at 2106 Cass street. An officer was stationed close by for observation and on the night of the commission of the men were constantly visiting the flat at 2106 Cass street. An officer was stationed close by for observation and on the night of the commission of the case why and the mortheagt beginning and going continually from and to the officers, from 10 o'clock at night until and other cars carrying men a

Applegate and Mrs. Baldwin were The police commissioner and the seated in one room across the hall chief of police admitted that their from her with the door open. Miss investigations have been limited to Reed, she said, just had returned the reports of the officers concerned from the theater with a man named with the arrests of the party of men plaining of a headache and Wil- also at the Brown residence, and a liams went to the drug store to get one-sided questioning of the three some medicine for her. While he women who are being held at the

followed and placed them all under Mrs. Brown, her son or their attor-

"I am sorry for Mrs. Brown," added the chief, "but we have evidence to show that she knew what was going on at the Cass street address. All of the telephones of this place are in the name of Mrs. Thomas Brown.

"What about the refusal of bond for Mrs. Brown at the police station?" was asked of the chief. "We have evidence that Mrs. Brown did not want a bond," he re-

"Don't you know that Attorney Lloyd Magney offered \$5,000 in Lib-erty bonds for the release of Mrs. Brown?"

"We don't know that."
"In your investigations of the case haven't you interviewed Mrs. Brown or her son?"

"We have not." Will Not File Charges.

Commissioner Ringer was asked if he inended to file charges against about whom the neighbors com-Herdzina or Armstrong, and he re- plained. olied that he did not intend to. The police commissioner and chief expressed satisfaction with the work of the officers who went to the home of Mrs. Brown at 2 o'clock in the morning and summoned the elderly churchwoman from her bed to go to the police station, and then placed her in an apartment of the jail with

that it was necessary to send her to hospital. Mr. Ringer's Statement.

of Superintendent Ringer, based on about it. the statements of the two accused detectives:

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ing in the United States or directed to any point within this country. Railway telegraphers also would refuse to handle commercial business it was declared, as a result of passage of a resolution at the recent

New York, June 7 .- The nationwide strike of telegraph and tele-phone operators ordered by S. J. Konenkamp, international president of the C. T. U., "will amount to nothing" according to a statement tonight by Newcomb Carlton, head of the Western Union Telegraph Company. "The Western Union would like to assure the public that

Telegraphers to, Meet

Council No. 10, Commercial Tel-egraphers' Union of America, comegraphers' Union of America, com-prising the city of Omaha and surrounding smaller cities and towns in Nebraska, will meet this after-noon in Labor Temple to consider

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The police commissioner and the chief of police admitted that their investigations have been limited to the reports of the officers concerned with the arrests of the party of men and women at 2105 Cass street and also at the Brown residence, and a one-sided questioning of the three women who are being held at the City Detention home.

Both Mr. Ringer and Mr. Ebertstein admitted that they have not endeavored to obtain information from Mrs. Brown, her son or their attorneys.

Will Not Show Reports.

The police commissioner, who holds the reports from the officers, and and was accompanied to the station and the officers was the one in charge of the apartment and when she opened the door, they told her they were officers and asked her if she was the one in charge of the apartment and when she opened the door, they told her to go to the station. She called a taxi and was accompanied to the station and he is corroborated in this by Officer Armstrong.

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The police commissioner, who holds the reports from the officers, doelined to allow newspaper men to see those reports.

"Are you going to file charges against Herdzina or Armstrong?" was asked of Chief Eberstein.

"Not from the information that I have at the present time," the chief replied.

"What about the arrest of Mrs. Brown go to the matrons department and the officers away from where he was standing.

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Mr. Ringer, who was present, said:
"The officers asked Mrs. Brown if she was in charge of the Cass street place and she said she was and I believe the officers were doing what was right, although there may be some technical point involved in that matter."

"I am sorry for Mrs. Brown;"

courteous attention by Dr. Edstrom, city physician.
In Police Court Friday morning, Williams and Wilma Reed were each fined \$50 and costs, Esther Applegate and Helen Bridwin were each fined \$50 and costs and Elsie Kubat was dismissed. Kelly, who escaped at that time, has since been arrented and will be prosecuted.

A party living in the immediate neighborhood of Twenty-first and Cass, says that a man and woman inmate of this place staged a fight in the street last Wednesday afternoon, the man knocking the women down several times, lafter which he entered at 2106 Cass. He also says that it is not an unusual thing to see Yellow and Brown taxicabs unload at this flat. All six telephones in the Brown Apart-ments, including that at 2105 Cass are in the name of Mrs. Thomas Brown.

No Record of Arrest.

Attorney Lones says the statement of Commissioner Ringer bears out his charges, of which Mr. Ringer apparently was not advised at the time he made it, in a number of essential points.

First, it admits that Roy Kelly he alleged bootlegger whom Attorney Lones charges conspired with the detectives for the arrest of the girls to protect himself and the woman with whom he was living, was actually on the scene at the time of the raid and allowed in

The statement also substantiates the charge of Attorney Lones that it was Kelly and the woman he says is his wife who were fighting in front of the Cass street house and

Attorney Lones last night de clared he would prove when the case went to trial that the men and women who went to the Cass street address went there at night to get whisky from Kelly and not to visit the four working girls taken in the

While the signed statement of men, and otherwise subjected her to Mr. Ringer said that Kelly had such humiliation and cruel treatment been arrested. Captain Heitfeld, who is in charge at the police station, last night at 10 o'clock declared that if Kelly had been ar-Following is the signed statement rested he did not know anything

"There is no record of his arrest here at the station," said the night My investigation relative to the arrest captain of police.

any commercial business originat-

Carlton Belittles Trouble.

The 125 members of District moon in Labor Temple to consider matters relative to the threatened strike of telegraph operators for better working conditions and the abolishment of the "sliding" and substitution of a permanent scale.

About a month ago the local union sent out blank ballots to its members. When these were returned and opened, it was found that one out of each 10 telegraphers favored the strike. It is understood that every telegraphers union in America held similar meetings.

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the members of their union in three classes, first, second and third class

The first class man, according to the telegraphers, may receive a sal-ary of about \$140 a month here and, when he leaves, for example, for Kansas City, the Western or Postal company branch there may employ him at a salary of but \$80 a month In order to prevent this "sliding" scale, the men want a uniform "set scale of a minimum wage. The average first class telegrapher, according to union officials, can handle about 450 a day, the messages averaging about 20 words each. While he thus earns a gross profit of about \$350 for the company, he receives a salary of about \$5 a day. It is understood that Monday th local union will receive the strike order from national headquarters.

Injunction Is Issued Against Toledo Strikers

Toledo, June 7 .- Declaring the ndustry had been obstructed by 'riotous and disorderly conduct and intimitation," John M. Killitts, there would be no delay in handling messages," said Mr. Carlton. "We a temporary injunction restraining will maintain a full force at all the Auto Trades Council, machin-our offices and the small number of union employes who obey the strike ers from interfering with workers call will not affect the character of or in any way hampering operation of the automobile plant of the Wylys- Overland Co.

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Omaha Machine Gun Battalion Plans to Organize Members

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Omaha men originally went into the batfalion and 200 were attached later. Nearly 1,000 Omaha men served with the 341st at some time.

Mayor Issues Proclamation

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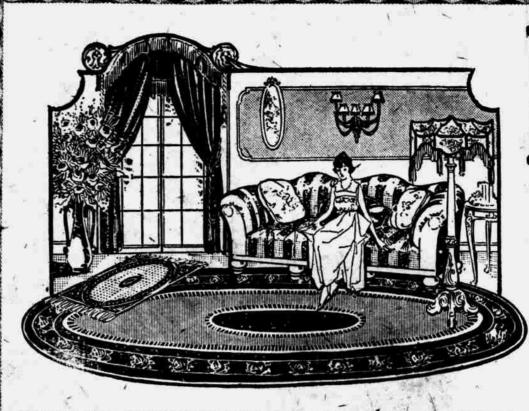
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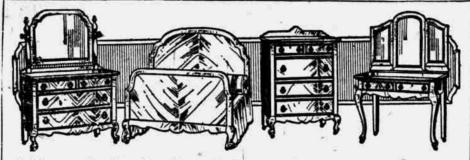
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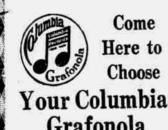
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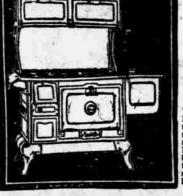
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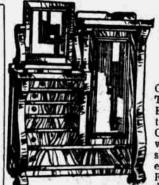
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