

BEE QUARTERS TO BE IMPROVED BY REMODELING

Main Floor Offices Will Allow Direct Contact With Advertisers and Subscribers On Street.

Passersby of The Bee building now have ocular evidence of the remodeling that is going on which will transform it to accord with present-day building requirements. While The Bee and other occupants of the building are necessarily for the time subjected to more or less inconvenience, the plans promise decided improvements of which all will benefit and arrangements for quarters for The Bee will afford better facilities for the paper in relation to the public than at present. The principal change in the building centers about the main entrance heretofore taking up a third of the Farnam street frontage and the ground floor of the court which was solely an ornamental feature.

By new plan two additional store rooms will be created on Farnam street, one on each side of the entrance and The Bee will occupy for its business office two ground floor rooms fronting on Farnam street. This will give The Bee a Farnam street entrance window space of nearly 40 feet and give direct street contact with advertisers and subscribers without use of stairs or elevator.

The other departments of The Bee, including the editorial department, advertising force and circulation accounting will remain as at present on the floor above, but with relocation for more efficient accommodation.

The mechanical production of the paper will be where it now is in the bridge-connected annex on the north side of the alley. At the same time a new press room is to be provided in the basement at a lower level than the present basement floor. This will necessitate the removal of The Bee's big presses, to do which without interfering with the continuous publication of the paper is a most difficult and delicate task, but has been completely provided for.

As already announced, the Peters Trust company, which has taken over the lease-hold interest of the Keystone Investment company, in the building, is to have the magnificent banking room that will be constructed out of the court and adjoining space reached through the main Farnam street entrance. The Seventeenth and Farnam streets corner has been reserved for an up-town office of the Western Union Telegraph company and another store will be occupied by the Wirthshafter cigar establishment, whose present space will be part of The Bee office. A number of applicants are after the other store rooms but it has not yet been disclosed which has the preference.

The work of remodeling the entrance and Farnam street stores is expected to take about 90 days, the remainder of the remodeling several months more.

Three Men Bound Over To the District Court On Larceny Charge

Henry Wegworth, alias "Frisco Pete," giving his address as the Sanford hotel; J. Pearson, King hotel, and Steve Weiman, Flomora hotel, were arraigned in police court yesterday on a charge of grand larceny. They pleaded not guilty and were bound over to the district court under bonds of \$750 each.

It is alleged by police that the three men were implicated in the robbery of the Charles Storz home, 1901 Wirt street, last Saturday, when more than \$1,000 worth of liquor was stolen while the family was attending the funeral of Mrs. Storz.

It is also alleged by police that these men, using the same tactics as at the Storz home, posing as police officers entered the home of T. C. Brown, 3520 South Twentieth street.

Wegworth was also charged with unlawful possession of intoxicating liquor. At the time of his arrest police say he had a sack of whiskey. The liquor, according to the police, came from the Storz home.

Federal Manager of the U. P. Makes Correction On Report

The net income of the Union Pacific Railroad company for the fiscal year ending July 1 was \$29,426,775, instead of \$77,747,940, as indicated by a report that came from the office of the Nebraska State Railway commission, according to Federal Manager E. E. Calvin.

During the period covered by the report the sum of \$13,731,649 was put into physical improvements, instead of \$872,000, as reported, Mrs. Calvin says.

Thousands of "Palm Beach" Suits are being cleaned here, but our capacity is unlimited. It costs only \$1.25 to clean and press a man's 2-piece Palm Beach Suit.

DRESHER BROTHERS

Dyers, Cleaners, Hatters, Furriers, Tailors, Rug Cleaners, Shoe Repairers.

Main Office and Plant, 2211-13-17 Farnam St.

Branch Office: Dresher, The Tailor, 1515 Farnam St.; Pomperai, Room 11 Brandeis Stores, West End of Main Floor of Burgess-Nease Building.

PHONE TYLER 345.

Royal D. Miller Will Join Organization of Peters Trust Co.



ROYAL D. MILLER.

Royal D. Miller, manager of the Consolidated Railway Ticket office, since its opening last October, announced yesterday his resignation to become associated with the Peters Trust Co. Mr. Miller is to take charge of the organization of a new business department as another step in the development of the company's plans preparatory to moving to their new location. Mr. Miller will also have supervision of the steamship ticket department of the company. Mr. Miller was associated with the Northwestern railroad for 20 years, moving to the position general agent of the road in Omaha. Mr. Miller will take his new position early in August.

Preacher Said to Have Used Undue Influence In Making of Will

Undue influence is alleged to have been exercised over a dying man by Rev. J. Costello, superintendent of the Pleasant Green Baptist mission, in a protest filed in county court yesterday against the probating of the will of the late Lee Roy Singleton, 1422 North Twenty-second street.

Singleton died suddenly on June 1, 1919, and left a peculiar will, leaving his entire estate to Rev. Mr. Costello.

The will was written May 31, 1919, with a lead pencil on a small sheet, torn from a note book and reads as follows:

"If a die I want Rev. J. Costello to see about putting me away and what time. My money I have left I will it to him, this is done by own request, Lee Roy Singleton."

The will was witnessed by Mrs. Lizzie Lavent, Mrs. Mamie Lillie and Miss Josie Lillie.

The protest alleges that the witnesses also exercised undue influence over the dying man and also that he was of unsound mind at the time he signed the will, which was only a few hours before his death.

The protest is made on behalf of Mrs. Rose Duncan of Natchez, Miss., grandmother of the deceased, who is said to be his sole heir-at-law. The estate amounts to \$1,250.

Elaborate Chop Suey Cafe Is Planned by Omaha-Firm

The H. A. Wolf Co. announces that the upper two floors of the building at 315 South Sixteenth street, formerly known as the Hanson cafe, have been leased to the King Fong Co., which is planning to remodel the building at a cost of \$50,000 and to open one of the largest chop suey cafes in the west. A representative of the new lessee has gone to China to buy oriental decorations. The King Fong Co. is a partnership composed of the present owners of the Mandarin and King Joy restaurants.

PLAN TO DEVELOP PLATTE RIVER POWER FOR CITY

Real Estate Men Say Project Would Lessen Cost of Electric Power in Omaha.

D. C. Patterson, on behalf of the Real Estate exchange, is circulating petitions to request the city council to submit a bond proposition of \$5,000,000 for water power projects on the Platte or Loup rivers.

This proposition has been in the hands of a special committee appointed by the Real Estate exchange and has been approved by the exchange.

The object is to obtain electric power for Omaha at a rate that will attract new industries, Mr. Patterson said.

"It is not necessary for us to obtain petitions, but we are doing so, that in the event the city council should not pass the necessary ordinance, calling for an election, we may submit such an ordinance to an initiative election," Mr. Patterson added.

He further explained that the bonds would not be a tax on the people in the same sense that the county road bonds will be, but that the principal, interest and cost of operation would be paid by the consumers of power.

The special committee of the Real Estate exchange has reports from the state engineer showing the feasibility of various proposed plans of developing the power of the Loup or Platte rivers.

The first paragraph of the petitions being circulated, reads: "The state engineer reports that water power can be developed from the Loup and Platte rivers in units of 60,000 12-hour-power at a cost of less than \$5,000,000, and delivered into Omaha at a net cost, per kilowatt hour, at less than one-third that of power produced from steam."

Mr. Patterson stated that his committee hopes to submit the bond proposition at the time of the primary election, September 9.

Election Warrants Ready

Warrants for the judges, inspectors and clerks who worked in the special election of June 24 are now ready in the office of County Clerk Dewey and those entitled to them are asked to call and get them. There are 1,300 and the county clerk says those who can't call in person should send some member of the family for the warrants.

Two Men Missing

The home service section of the Red Cross is anxious to locate A. M. Luckey and Frank Hesse. Anyone having information please telephone Tyler 2721 or call at Red Cross headquarters in the court house.

POSLAM VITAL TO SUFFERERS FROM ECZEMA

If you have eczema, your prompt use of Poslam may mean all the difference between immediate comfort and a long period of itching distress. Take the easy, pleasant way to quick relief. Apply Poslam right on the raw places that burn and itch. Feel a burden lifted as the skin is soothed and pacified. You will know then to what a high state of efficiency this reliable remedy has been brought. Poslam is concentrated. Short treatment suffices for most minor troubles.

Sold everywhere. For free sample write to Emergency Laboratories, 245 West 47th St., New York City.

Poslam Soap, medicated with Poslam should be used if skin is tender and sensitive.—Adv.

Counsel for Those Who Seek Counsel

Many business men make a practice of consulting with us before undertaking new business ventures.

Being in touch with sources of information not always available to individuals, we are often able to offer suggestions which materially alter decisions.

Those who seek advice based on experience and who want facts without bias or prejudice, appreciate this service.

The Omaha National Bank

Farnam at 17th Street.

Capital and Surplus, \$2,000,000.

Associated Serum Companies of U. S. In Convention Here

Delegates of the Associated Serum companies of America are holding their semi-annual convention in Omaha, meeting at the Hotel Rome, some 70 being in attendance. The serum manufacturers' convention is presided over by C. H. Goebel, president, Kansas City. E. M. Boddington of the same place, is secretary. The morning session

of the convention of serum manufacturers was taken up with registration, after which the "Problems of Serum Industry" were taken up and discussed.

Yesterday afternoon H. E. Griffin talked on "Sales Management;" H. R. Shedd, Kansas City, on "Method of Handling Serum Credits;" R. G. Tinkham, Omaha, on "Cash Credit Basis;" J. F. Hoaglin, Kansas City, on "Value of the Confidential Credit Sheet;" and S. F. Cusack, Sioux City, on "Adjusting Serum Losses in the Field." The convention will close this morning.

Omaha Man Fined In Bluffs Court for Reckless Driving

C. J. Lyon of Omaha, was fined \$100 and costs by Police Judge Capell in Council Bluffs yesterday on a charge of reckless driving. He was charged with running over 7-year-old Phyllis White last Tuesday afternoon at Pearl and Broadway. It was believed at first that the little girl would die, but now indications are that she will recover. She lives at 246 Harrison street, Council Bluffs.

When troubled with pains in the stomach or diarrhoea give Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy a trial. It is excellent.

BRANDIS STORES BASEMENT

Unusual Friday Bargains

These offerings are of timely interest, for at this time of the summer, usually one's wardrobe becomes depleted. The bargains here presented are of a distinct advantage with this fact in view. For finishing out of the summer—one or so of these splendid summery dresses plays an important part—a pair of shoes or oxfords. Hosiery you will note is offered in abundance. And neither have we forgotten the men and little ones. In a few words here is merchandise of a very desirable nature at prices that mean economy in the highest degree.

Women's, Misses' and Junior's Fancy Summer Dresses

For Street Porch and House Wear--5 Lots All Very Specially Priced

Over 2,000 Dresses in these lots, of good styles and materials, and prices so remarkably low that you should make a special effort to obtain a few of the bargains.

1.25 to 1.69 Dresses —at 99c	\$2 to 3.50 Dresses —at 1.69	\$4 to \$6 Dresses —at 2.85	\$5.95 to \$10 Dresses —at 4.95	10.95 to 15.95 Dresses —at 9.85
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Dozens of styles, many different kinds of wash materials, such as Chambray, Gingham, Percales, etc.

Large plaid Gingsams, fancy and checked Gingham, fine Percales, novelty wash materials, etc., sizes 16 to 46.

A remarkable lot of fancy Dresses, good values and styles, hundreds to choose from; special Friday at this unusually low price.

Fancy Cottons, as well as a few Satins, Silk Poplin and fancy Silks. A good assortment to choose from.

Beaded Georgette Dresses, fancy Silk and Satin Dresses, etc. A big rack full from which to select. Special Friday.

Lace Curtains

The Nottingham kind, 2 1/2 yards long; specially reduced for Friday's selling, at, pair, **98c**

Fancy Voiles

Some plain, 2,000 yards, an excellent quality, 36 and 40 in. wide, yd., **19c**

Odd Lace Curtains

Some can be matched, 2 1/2 and 3 yards long; special, each, **49c**

Lace Curtains

Filet and Nottingham, 750 pairs, 2 1/2 yards long; special at, pair, **1.75**

3 Lots of Tub Skirts

At 1/3 to 1/2 Regular Price.

Over 1,500 splendid skirts at very unusual bargain prices; all good up-to-date styles and materials; sizes for stout women as well as regular.

Lot 1— Consists of neat, attractive skirts; comes in white and colors. —at 89c	Lot 2— These Skirts are all good styles; each one shows a marked degree of good workmanship. Special Friday. —at 1.69	Lot 3— These are all good values. Good material and best of styles. —at 1.95
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Window Shades

50 dozen in the lot, 36 inches wide, 6 feet long in all colors; complete with fixtures, at, each, **49c**

White Voile

40 inches wide. Soft chiffon finish, sheer and clingy for waists and dresses, at, yard, **35c**

Shirting Madras

36 inches wide, in a big assortment of new patterns and colorings, at, yd., **39c**

36-inch Percale

Wide dress, wrapper and shirting styles, light and dark colors, spec., yd., **35c**

NOW ON-- Our Greatest Basement Sale of Hosiery

The Most Successful Sale in Our History Now in Progress.

The enthusiasm shown Thursday in this, our greatest Hosiery Sale, proves to us that this will be the biggest hosiery event we or likely anyone else has held. It is certainly wise economy to look to your hosiery needs now, for another opportunity of this kind is not likely for many months. Plan to buy a plentiful supply.

Women's Lisle Hose, 65c seconds, pair 39c	Women's fine Thread Silk Hose, special, pr., 75c
Women's Fiber Silk Hose, 59c seconds, pair 25c	Children's Stockings, 50c seconds, pair at 29c
Women's Lisle Hose, 50c seconds, pair 21c	Infants' Hose, extra special, pair at 29c
Women's fine Thread Silk Hose, pair, at 39c	Half Socks for Infants, special at 19c
Cotton Socks for Men, 25c qualities, pair, 13 1/2c	Men's Hosiery, extra special at, pair 25c
Men's Hosiery, mercerized lisle, special, pr., 18c	

Dress Gingham

Renfrew; beautiful plaids, checks, etc.; special at, yard, **35c**

Bleached Muslin

Mill remnants, 36 inches wide, splendid quality for making sheets and slips, at, yard, **19c**

Dress Voile

Fancy printed, in a variety of new printings on white and tinted grounds, long mill lengths, at, yard, **12 1/2c**

Linen Finish Suiting

In a good assortment of plain shades for wash suits, skirts, etc., 36 inches wide, at, yard, **29c**

Dress Swiss

Embroidered, in a splendid assortment of new shades, 36 inches wide, very popular for wash dresses, waists, etc.; special at, yard, **45c**

Splendid Offerings for Men and Boys in the Men's Department

Here are presented some splendid offerings in Men's and Boys' Apparel at unusual, worthwhile savings.

Men's Union Suits

An offering of Men's Summer Athletic Union Suits. These Suits are remarkably well made and offered at a price for Friday that should mean the attendance of a crowd of enthusiastic men. Priced at only—
Drawers for Men, specially priced at, only 50c.

—at **1.95**

Khaki Trousers

These Trousers are offered so unusually low, that surely men will be eager to take advantage of the savings possible. They have cuffs, buttons and belt loops; sizes 28 to 42; special Friday, pair—
—at **69c**

Boys' Blouses

The offering consists of Blouses of Percale and Madras, collars attached and sport collar styles, in all sizes and offered at a price that assures a good saving.

—at **69c**

Dress Voile

Fancy printed, in a big variety of new pretty printings on white and colored grounds, 40 inches wide; special at, yard, **59c**

Dress Batiste

Fancy printed, in a variety of neat floral effects, also plain shades; special at, yard, **29c**

Plisse Crepe

Genuine Windsor, in a variety of neat patterns on white and tinted grounds, also plain white, at, yard, **39c**

White Pajama Checks

36 inches wide, in assorted patterns for underwear, pajamas, etc.; special at, yard, **25c**

White Voile

40 inches wide, in a big assortment of woven and embroidered designs, long mill lengths; at, yard, **45c**

Shoes and Oxfords

Excellent Offerings for Misses, Women and Children In the Basement Shoe Section

Here are mentioned five unusual bargains, and a careful reading will reveal the unusual savings possibilities.

Outing Shoes For Women. White canvas and Nile cloth, either leather or rubber soles, high Louis or walking heels. Sizes are 2 1/2 to 6. Slightly soiled; —at \$1	Play Shoes For Children. Brown duck with leather trimmings, lace styles, double soles; great values; sizes 5 to 7 1/2. —at \$1	Play Sandals For Children. White duck, either elk or rubber soles, with and without heels. Made over roomy lasts, sizes 2 to 2 1/2; pair —at \$1	Play Scufflers For Children. Scout styles, with or without heels; slightly imperfect; sizes are 6 to 2. This is a splendid opportunity, indeed. —at 75c	Barefoot Sandals For Misses and Children. Tan leather uppers, either plain oak soles or soles with the Kelly Roach process, which means double life to the soles; sizes are 6 to 2. —at 98c
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You'll find cool footwear here, and a variety for you to choose from the like of which is indeed quite uncommon.