

# MORPHINISTS TO BE TRIED BY INSANITY BOARD

Plan to Treat Drug Addicts At County Hospital and At the Lincoln Asylum.

Fourteen of the 40 men and women charged with being drug addicts and arrested yesterday by police, under direction of Russell Eberstein of the federal internal revenue office, were turned over to the county authorities yesterday and will have hearings before the county insanity board within a few days.

Robert Smith, clerk of the district court and member of the insanity board, had a conference yesterday with Sophus Nebel, president of the county board of commissioners and chairman of the county hospital committee. Mr. Nebel said steps will be taken to enlarge the ward in the hospital to accommodate about 40 of these persons who will be given treatment. Treatments require from 30 to 90 days.

Others will be sent to the state hospital for the insane at Lincoln for treatment.

The following men and women, charged with being morphinists, were turned over to the county authorities and removed to the county jail yesterday:

Grace Lindsay, 1014 Davenport street; Edward Smith, 902 1/2 Capitol avenue; Noah Blackburn, 1017 Capitol avenue; Hazel Kelly, 1017 Capitol avenue; William G. Harris, Eleventh street and Capitol avenue; Mattie Brown, Normandy apartments; Violet Williams, Eleventh street and Capitol avenue; Mamie Skinner, 1059 Cuming street; Pearl Snyder, 317 North Seventeenth street; Emma Lee, Louis S. Shearls, Ethel Brown, A. L. Trotter, Thirteenth and Chicago streets; Edna Burns.

Disclosed by Bee.

"This is only the beginning of a general effort to clean up the traffic in prohibited drugs," said Russell Eberstein. "There are about 500 'dope' eaters in Omaha. They drift between here and Sioux City principally. We want to try to cure them. Many of them want to take treatments."

Officers say they don't know where the drugs are smuggled in. Prices are about \$4 or \$5 per grain for the forbidden drugs.

Startling disclosures of the extent of this traffic were made by The Bee last spring.

## Here's an American Who Really Wants to Be a Soldier in Siberia

San Francisco, Nov. 29.—"I don't care, if it takes me 15 years, as long as there's any troops over there, I'm going to soldier in Siberia," was the determined remark made by 16-year-old Jack Smith, after his first unsuccessful attempt to cross the Pacific as a stowaway on board the transport Sheridan.

"They caught me when I tried to get to France, and sent me back and they spoiled my trip this time, but I ain't never discouraged."

Still in the military uniform he had acquired on his adventures, Smith, upon his arrival here, was issued the military orders to remain in quarantine limits at the Presidio. After being seen as a principal in a game of fever dice he disappeared from the post. It is thought that the boy has gone in hiding on Angel Island waiting for the next transport for Siberia.

The youngster has his heart set on foreign service stripes. Clad in a light khaki uniform and looking nearer 12 than 16, he was found on board the Sheridan trying to pass off as a regularly enlisted man.

His discovery followed an epidemic of thefts, in which suspicion was cast on the younger soldiers. An investigation into his service record proved that he was not as described by some two feet altitude and nearly a hundred pounds in weight.

Cleared of theft charges he was put off at Honolulu and carried back on the transport Logan as a passenger. His fare was paid by Lieutenant Colonel Northrup.

He met the same way when attempting to soldier in France.

"He's the toughest nut we had on the transport," said his mates, "and we had some five-minute eggs, too. The first day he was on board he went up to one of the crowd with a pack of cigarettes and said: 'Gimme a dime for 'em. I wanna get in this game of bones.'"

## Chauffeur Arranges Robbery of Employer And Receives \$8,000

New York, Nov. 29.—Four holdup men backed George Alexander, wealthy Washington Market merchant, into the hallway of his fashionable West End Avenue home early this morning and robbed him of \$40,000. This afternoon the police announced the arrest of two men in connection with the crime, recovering \$8,000 and an alleged confession of the robbery.

Alexander's chauffeur to a share in a plot to rob him. Rockfort was arrested on a charge of complicity in grand larceny.

## Derby Man Loses \$2,690

At Old Swindle Game Derby, Conn., Nov. 29.—Steven Stelick, a local liquor dealer, has reported to the police that he was robbed of \$2,690 a few days ago by two men who were said to have sold him a machine contained in a case about the size of suitcase which they demonstrated and which Stelick says turned out new \$20 bills from blank paper. Stelick tried the machine it is said, after the men had left and found it worthless.

The two men are believed to be members of a gang who have been touring New York state with a similar swindling device.

# New Officers of the First National all Exceptionally Experienced Bank Experts



A. H. Chisholm.

Cashier Droste Began as Messenger Boy—Assistant Cashier Chisholm Came from Scotland.

Fred W. Thomas was elected vice president of the First National bank at a meeting of the board of directors last week. He has been cashier of the First National for the past two years.

E. L. Droste, formerly assistant cashier, was elected cashier and A. H. Chisholm was named assistant cashier.

Mr. Thomas began his banking career in 1898 with the Union National bank as a messenger, later going to the Hayden Brothers bank where he served in various capacities, until the organization of the Corn Exchange National bank in 1909.

Nebraska Uni Man.

From the Corn Exchange National bank he went to the Live Stock National bank as cashier, where he remained for eight years. He went to the First National bank of Omaha as cashier, November 1, 1917.

Mr. Thomas, who is a graduate of Omaha high school and the University of Nebraska, has specialized in out-of-town banking business and is especially familiar with cattle and grain conditions in Montana, Wyoming and Idaho. In addition to his executive duties as vice president, he will continue to specialize on out-of-town bank business.

Mr. Droste began his career with the First National April, 1898, just after he graduated from high school, beginning as messenger boy and working up through various departments until he was made receiving teller. He served as paying teller for nine years, when he was made assistant cashier.

In addition to his other duties Mr. Droste will continue in charge



F. W. Thomas.



E. L. Droste.

of the new business department of the bank.

A. H. Chisholm, newly appointed assistant cashier, came from Scotland direct to Omaha in 1908, and began work immediately with the First National as mail boy. He worked through various departments as statement clerk, assistant collection teller, manager of the remittance department, manager of the collection department and auditor.

He will continue as employment manager of the bank, and in addition will be head of the service department.



## Selecting Your Dentist

A Comparison of Service Rendered by Advertising and Non-Advertising Dentists.

(Article Four)

When you go to a dentist you probably consider the amount of TIME it will take to complete your work, the amount of MONEY it will require to pay for same and the amount of physical discomfort you must endure.

If you are fortunate enough to pick out QUALIFIED dentists (both advertising and non-advertising) the difference in service is just this.

The private dentist can do only what one pair of hands can do; either he must send the mechanical work (making crowns, bridges, plates, etc.) out to a commercial laboratory, or he must wait until after his office hours and do it himself.

In either event you lose considerable time, and must expect to pay for the extra time and extra labor, and in many instances the finished work is not satisfactory.

The Modern Advertising Dental Office, employing a dozen or more people has not only a staff of Dental Operators who are specialists but also a staff of mechanical dentists who do nothing but mechanical work and are experts in their line.

This enables the operator and mechanic to "work together," insures a "made to order" job, and saves days of time and ALL THE NEEDLESS EXPENSE.

It stands to reason also that in such an office where this class of work is performed by specialists, over and over, hour after hour and day after day for many years, a technique and skill is developed which minimizes or entirely eliminates the annoying "slips," "cuts," "careless drilling" and "accidents" which must come where inexperienced hands guide sharp instruments.

Telling you we can give you superior service for less money is not nearly so convincing, however, as an actual demonstration in your own case.

Bear this in mind, next time you require dental work.

## Painless Withers Dental Co.

423-428 Securities Bldg.—16th and Farnam Sts. OMAHA, NEB.

Office Hours—8:30 A. M. to 6 P. M. Sundays, 9 to 1.

## Found Guilty of Assault With Intent to Murder Wife

William A. Philbrick was found guilty of assault with intent to commit murder by a jury in district court yesterday after two hours' deliberation.

Philbrick was charged with stabbing his wife 13 times with an ice pick in the elevator of the First

National bank building on June 24, later attempting to take his own life.

## Welfare Board Obtains Insurance for Widow

T. H. Weirich, superintendent of the Board of Public Welfare, has succeeded in obtaining the payment of \$1,000 life insurance money in favor of Mrs. Anna Redin, widow of J. A. Redin, who was drowned in a

cistern at his home, 1516 Canton street, July 8.

Mr. Weirich's interest in the case resulted in an investigation by an insurance company in which the husband was insured.

## Steamships Collide.

New York, Nov. 29.—The steamship Adriatic which sailed for Cherbourg and Southampton with a long list of distinguished passengers, col-

lided with the steamship St. Michael off the Statue of Liberty, while moving down the harbor. The St. Michael's stern was badly damaged under the waterline and the ship is leaking, but apparently in no serious danger.

## Officers Given Old Ranks

Madrid, Nov. 29.—The supreme council of the war ministry has determined that the decision of the

military tribunal of honor, which ordered 18 officers to resign because they refused to join military juntas, to be illegal. The officers wrote they meant no offense to their fellow officers by refusing to join their organization. In the Cortes today the republican motion declaring juntas illegal was rejected by a vote of 72 to 11.

Bee Want Ads produce results.

## Month-End Sales Offer Buyers Big Saving Opportunities on Seasonable Merchandise

Until Further Notice  
Store Hours 10 A. M.  
Until 5 P. M.

**HAYDEN'S**  
THE CASH STORE

Until Further Notice  
Store Hours 10 A. M.  
Until 5 P. M.

## A Remarkable Cash Purchase and Sale of Winter Coats

Another Triumph for Cash Buying Secured in This Purchase of Hundreds of Classy Winter Coats From Five of America's Leading Manufacturers—Priced in Many Instances at as Much as Half Off Actual Retail Worth—Four Big Special Lots—



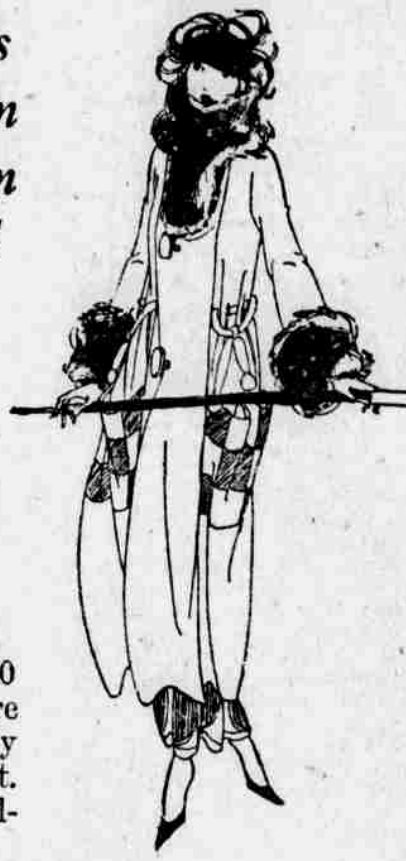
Coats  
—AT—  
\$19.75

A wonderful lot of Women's and Misses' Warm Winter Coats in Velours, Kerseys, Velvet Velours and colored Plushes, made up in the season's smartest styles, all sizes. Worth \$35.00 and \$40.00.

Coats at \$49.75

Made to sell to \$75.00. Beautiful Cloth and Plush Coats in the season's many smart styles, varied lengths. The fur collars on these coats in many cases cost more. Choice Monday—

50 Women's Suits, Sold up to \$35.00—  
Monday, Choice \$19.50



Coats  
—AT—  
\$35.00

that were made to sell up to \$55.00. Materials at this price Monday are Velours, Meltons, Plushes; many fur trimmed and lined throughout. The greatest variety of styles, colors and sizes ever shown.

Coats at \$98.00

Monday at this price your choice of the greatest values in Cloth and Baffin Seal Coats, fur trimmed with Beaver, Seal, Nutria and Raccoon. Beauties, worth \$150.00 to \$175.00.

## A Dress, Skirt or Coat Pattern of Fine Wool Goods

Would make a most practical and should be a very acceptable Christmas Gift. Put wool goods on your list and don't fail to see these splendid values Monday.

56-inch Half Wool Fancy Checks and Plaids, in a big range of light and dark colorings, at less than half price. Special, 75¢

42-inch French Serge. A fine twill and soft finish, in all colors, plenty of navy, black, Burgundy, green and brown, a \$1.50 quality serge. Special \$1.15

50-inch All Pure Wool Serge, in all the wanted colors, plenty of navy. They are selling elsewhere from \$3.00 to \$3.50. Our Cash Price \$2.50

50-inch All Pure Wool Eplingle Poplin, in all the new fall colors. Elegant heavy weight fabric for dresses and suits. Would sell regularly for \$4.00. Our Cash Price \$3.45

50-inch All Pure Wool French Serge, they are scarce everywhere else. In all colors, navy, black, purple, Burgundy, green. They would be a bargain today for \$3.95. Our Cash Price \$2.95

56-inch wide All Pure Wool Priestley's Imported English Men's Wear Serge, extra fine quality for dresses and suits (in navy only), would be a bargain at \$6.00 a yard. Special Cash Price \$4.95

Skirts made to measure by an expert man tailor, in all the new up-to-date styles. We guarantee fit or money refunded. Inquire Dress Goods Department, Main Floor, for the making. \$3.00

We carry a full line of Fur Cloth, such as Hudson Seal, Beaver, Astrakhan, Kerami. Special per yard, from \$7.95 to \$18.95

## Toy-Land

With its big stock of Christmas goods, Toy Dolls, Games, Wagons, Velocipedes, Sleds, Furniture, etc., is a veritable wonderland to the little folks—and the older ones are finding it a most profitable place in which to select the Christmas Gifts. Don't miss a visit to Toy-Land, 4th Floor.



## A Bevy of Bargains in Beautiful Silks

Never have the assortments of weaves and colorings for selection been more complete and the low cash prices make your selections here a profitable one. Why not give Silks for Christmas gifts?

40-inch Satin Majestic \$4.50  
40-inch Embroidered Crepe de Chine \$3.75  
40-inch Georgette Crepe \$2.75  
36-inch Satin Majestic \$3.98  
36-inch Foulard \$3.50  
36-inch Satin \$3.50  
36-inch Satin Messaline \$1.98  
36-inch Messaline \$1.59  
36-inch Striped and Plaid Poplin \$1.98  
36-inch Plain Foulard \$98¢  
22-inch Velveteen \$98¢  
36-inch Corduroy, all colors \$1.50  
42-inch Chiffon Velvet \$7.50  
44-inch Costume Velveteen \$4.75  
32-inch Costume Velveteen \$3.25  
50-inch Woolvel Duvelty \$3.25  
18-inch Paon Velvets \$1.75

All Colors and Black. Black Silk and Velvets.  
42-inch Chiffon Velvet \$9.50  
40-inch Chiffon Velvet \$7.90  
40-inch Satin Majestic \$4.50  
40-inch Pussy Willow Taffeta \$5.75  
36-inch Satin Majestic \$3.98  
36-inch Satin Goetz \$3.50  
36-inch Satin De Chine \$1.98, \$2.50, \$3.50  
36-inch Chiffon Taffeta \$1.98, \$2.50, \$3.50

## Housefurnishings for the Home

Electric Iron, \$6.50 value, our Cash Price \$5.50  
Full size Stand Ironing Board, Cash Price only \$1.98  
Full size Washboard, Cash Price, 35¢  
Large size Galvanized Wash Tub, Cash Price \$1.40  
50-lb. Cotton Clothes Line, Cash Price \$35¢  
Hand Power Washing Machine, Cash Price \$7.50  
Hand Vacuum Washer, Cash Price, 69¢  
Clothes Wringer, A-1, wood frame, Cash Price \$4.75  
Folding Wringer Bench, holds to tub, Cash Price \$2.75  
Folding Clothes Dryer, large size, Cash Price \$1.59  
Hayden Broom, \$1.50 value, Cash Price, at \$1.00  
Universal Lunch Kits with Thermo Bottle, Cash Price \$3.65  
RANGES, STOVES AND HEATERS.  
Universal Six-Hole Combination Coal and Gas, full nickel trimmed, Cash Price, at \$110.00  
Six-Hole Range with Warming Closet, Cash Price \$39.00  
Soft Coal Heaters, Cash Price up from \$11.00  
Hard Coal Burners, Cash Price up from \$49.00  
Electric Heaters, Cash Price \$10.00

## Xmas Dinnerware Sale

\$14.00 42-Piece Dinner Set, rose border, service for 6 persons; special for Monday \$11.50  
\$10.50 42-Piece Gold Band Dinner Set, service for 6 persons; special for Monday \$8.50  
\$12.00 42-Piece Spray Haviland Design Imported Dinner Set, service for 6 persons; special for Monday \$9.50  
\$60.00 100-Piece China Dinner Set, rose design, service for 12 persons; Monday special \$45.00  
\$98.00 100-Piece Haviland China Dinner Set, rose border pattern, service for 12 persons; Monday special \$75.00  
100-Piece Haviland China Dinner Set, spray design, service for 12 persons; Monday special \$63.00  
1,000 Decorated China Salad Bowls, assorted patterns, 75¢ values, Monday special, each \$49¢  
White Bone Decorated China Cups and Saucers, 50¢ pair values; Monday special, per pair \$39¢

## Read the Big Special December Grocery Opening Sale for Monday We Advise Our Customers to Buy Flour Now

48-lb. sacks Best High-Grade Diamond H Flour \$2.98  
24-lb. sacks Best High-Grade Diamond H Flour \$1.50  
48-lb. sacks our Famous Health Flour \$3.15  
24-lb. sacks Eye Flour \$1.25  
The Best White or Yellow Cornmeal, lb. \$3¢  
The Best Rolled White Breakfast Oatmeal, lb. \$6¢  
No. 1 Hand-Picked Navy Beans, pound \$10¢  
The Best Domestic Macaroni, Spaghetti or Egg Noodles, pkg. \$14¢  
Fancy Japan Rice, lb. \$15¢  
Good Broken Rice, lb. \$13¢  
Wilson or Pet Milk, large can, 1lb. No. 3 cans Pork and Beans \$15¢  
No. 1 cans Pork and Beans \$15¢  
No. 2 cans Fancy Wax Beans \$15¢  
No. 2 cans Ripe Tomatoes, Sweet Sugar Corn or Early June Peas \$15¢  
Pure Cider Vinegar or Citrus Lux Washing Compound, pkg. \$15¢  
5 Bars Best 20m All or Diamond C Soap \$15¢  
Kamo Assorted Soups, can \$15¢  
Large Jars Pure Fruit Preserves \$15¢  
The Best Soda or Oyster Crackers, pound \$15¢  
Grape Nuts, pkg. \$12 1/2¢  
Oil Sardines, can \$15¢  
Tall cans Fresh Mackerel \$15¢  
Diamond H Soft-Rising Pancake Flour, pkg. \$14¢  
Yeast Foam, pkg. \$14¢  
DRIED FRUIT AND NUT SPECIALS  
Fancy California Seedless Raisins, pound \$25¢  
Fancy Santa Clara Prunes, lb. \$25¢  
Fancy Evaporated Bartlett Pears, pound \$25¢  
Whole Apples, lb. \$25¢  
Fancy Apricots Halves, lb. \$25¢  
Fancy Evaporated Apples, lb. \$25¢  
Fancy Muir Peaches, lb. \$25¢  
Fancy California Cooking Figs, lb. \$30¢  
New Almonds, per lb. \$35¢  
New Filberts, per lb. \$30¢  
New Walnuts, per lb. \$35¢  
New Brazil Nuts, per lb. \$30¢  
New Pecan Nuts, per lb. \$30¢  
Fresh Roasted Peanuts, lb. \$17 1/2¢  
M. & J. Blend, the Highest Standard of Quality, lb. \$45¢  
Diamond H. Crested Coffee, lb. \$25¢  
The Best Tea Siftings, lb. \$25¢  
Choice Sun Dried or Basket Fired Japan Tea, lb. \$45¢  
15 lb. Best No. 1 Cooking Potatoes \$50¢  
Fresh Southern Shadots, Beets, Carrots, Turnips or Radishes, bunches \$50¢  
Fresh Southern Endive, heads \$50¢  
Fancy Sweet Potatoes, lb. \$50¢  
Fancy Solid Cabbage, lb. \$50¢  
Fancy Ripe Tomatoes, lb. \$15¢  
Fancy Large Cucumbers, each \$30¢  
Large Grapefruit, each \$75¢  
Cape Cod Cranberries, quart \$12 1/2¢

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