Police Kept On Jump Answering Robbery Calls During Night, But Make No Captures.

Robbers spent a busy and profit-able night in Omaha Monday night, the most daring outbreak of lawlessness being four burglaries in the same apartment houses.

Officers from central police station were kept on the jump answer-ing calls, but they failed to capture any of the robbers.

Two unmasked robbers entered the home of Mrs. Ella Johnson, 1907 North Twenty-fourth street, about 1:30 a. m. and at the point of a gun

robbed her of \$26. Mrs. Johnson was asleep in bed and awakened to find the bandits standing over her with a revolver. They compelled her to tell them where she kept her pocketbook. Then they took the money and escaped through a window, by which

Enter Apartments. Four burglaries were staged in Lawyer Reprimanded one apartment house, Drake Court, Twenty-second and Jones streets. The prowlers used "jimmies" in each instance, prying open a window or door to obtain entrance.

E. Yousen, Apartment 137, reported the loss of an overcoat, a suit of clothes and \$128. The thieves forced a window. Jewelry and women's wearing apparel were taken from Apartment 114, occupied by A. M. Sorenson. The burglars "jimmied" the front door of Mrs. Louise Christenson's apartment and stole a

J. R. Morris, 649 South Nineteenth avenue, told police that burglars broke a latch on a rear window at his home and ransacked the house. Men's clothing and \$55 were taken. Thieves gained entrance through a rear window at the Basket Store,

2407 Cuming street, and rifled the cash register. They obtained 50 pennies and a check for \$5. Reuben's Grocery Again.

For the fifth time within three months burglars entered the gro-cery store of H. Reuben, Sherman avenue and Lake street, Monday night and made their get-away with loot worth \$300, according to Mr. Reuben.

through a transom over the front door. Insurance papers that had been left in an open safe in the store were also taken by burglars, Mr. Reuben said.

The loot consisted of cam goods and tobaccos.

Sciple Retains State Balk-Line Billiard Title Against Cahn

At the Symes parlors last night

Mayor Urges Patronage of

energy from early in the morning until late at night, during all kinds ers. until late at night, during all kinds of weather, to aid in every patriotic and charitable campaign. They made their appeals from the stage, from the sidewalk, from the street, from trucks from the stock yard chutes—

In putting on this camp Omaha is taking the lead among cities of the United States in furnishing training schools tor boy leaders.

In putting on this camp Omaha is shares among his son, Harry Martin, of Omaha, and his daughters.

Mrs. Fannie Cohn and Mrs. Anna trucks, from the stock yard chutesfrom every place where they could be heard. Though their efforts, millions were raised in the name of the Hold Christmas Programme of the Hold Christmas Progr charity and patriotism.

"An effort is now being made to raise a fund to care for the aged and infirm in that profession. Donations are not asked, but on Friday afternoon, December 26, an exceedingly high class entertainment will be given at the Boyd theater, and the money received from the sale of "An effort is now being made to given at the Boyd theater, and the money received from the sale of tickets will go into this fund. I urge the people of Omaha to buy liberally of these tickets and attend this performance. You will not only spend a delightful afternoon but you will show your gratitude to these people. They have no solicitors at work but want this response to be voluntary on the part of the people. Let us fill the Boyd opera house to its capacity."

Boycott of Chicago Women

Forces Down Prices of Eggs Chicago, Dec. 23.—Reorganization of Illinois women to combat the high cost of living today was given credit by the state fair price com-mission for driving down in two days the retail selling price of fresh eggs from 77 cents to 65 cents a dozen. "Watch them tumble some more, and butter, potatoes, high priced coffee and the other high flyers with them," said Major A. A. Sprague, chairman of the commis-

he added. "No housewife will buy a fresh egg all this week. Seventy thousand women have joined the fight against high prices."

Two Airmen Killed.

"No one will eat fresh eggs now,"

Riverside, Cal., Dec. 23.—Second Lieutenant Herbert Tuchborne of Mt. Vernon, N. Y., and Private Alister Lima of San Luis Obispo, Cal., were killed at March Field, the army aviation field near here, when their airplane fell 2,000 feet.

DINNER AND GIFT TREE ENJOYED AT C. OF C. MEETING

Membership and Good Fellowship Committees Receive Annual Presents.

Santa Claus made his appearance at the Chamber of Commerce lasnight to the enjoyment of nearly 100 members of the membership and goodfellowship committees. A large Christmas tree was placed in the center of the dinning room, scintillating with tinsel and bright

Hundreds of gifts, including automobile tires, automobile oil, a ton of coal, electric appliances, and several bags of sugar were distributed by Santa Claus, after a real turkey dinner, with cranberry sauce n'everythine.

singing led by Charlie Gardner, with "Eddie" Kahn at the piano, fairly lifted the roof of the 18th floor of the Woodmen of the World building. Everything from jazz numbers to classics were sung and

"East Meets West," the Omaha picture which is sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce, was given its first showing during the even-

By Judge Redick for His Conduct of Case

Thomas Brady, Omaha attorney was publicly reprimanded by District Judge Redick in court, October 4 for "deceitful, oppressive, unethical, unjust and unprofessional conduct." conduct.'

The reprimand was not so public, however, that news of it came outside the court room until yester-

The case grew out of the trial of Albert R. Butters, North Twenty-fourth street photographer, tried and found guilty and sentenced to six months in the county jail for aiding in the delinquency of chil-

Butters complained to Judge Redick that Brady had refused to re-turn \$600 in Liberty bonds and war savings stamps which he had turned over to him while he was his at-

torney and surety.

Judge Redick immediately ap pointed Charles A. Goss, Raymond M. Grossman and W. C. Fraser as a committee to investigate the charges made by Butters. The committee made a scathing report, denouncing as "oppression and extor-tion" the actions of Mr. Brady in his dealings with Butters.

Following the report the commit-tee to Judge Redick, Mr. Brady made voluntary restitution to But-ters, according to the records.

Boy Scouts Will Hold Winter Camp of Three

E. A. Sciple was successful in defending the state balkline billiard title against Albert Cahn by the acore of 300 to 206.

Both players started very slowly, using the first 15 innings for totals of less than 40 points each, but the city has been asked to recomplications. Boy Scout officials have announced a winter entertainment at Camp ditions in general in Hungary, had committed suicide at the Garden Almasy estate, near Budapest.

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of less than 40 points each, but the remainder of the play was much faster, except that Cahn found very difficult opening shots throughout the game, resulting in the 94 lead for Sciple.

Sciple lead an average of 5.26 with high runs of 31, 26 and 21, and Cahn averaged 3.68 with runs of 22, 16 and 15. Harry Swmes will play Sciple Tuesday evening, Janplay Sciple Tuesday evening eve sist the scoutmasters in raising the standard of work.

The camp mess hall has been lined afternoon. The mayor's statement to the public follows:

"During the world war, no class of citizens was more generous in its response to appeals for assistance in every patriotic work than were actors and actresses. They stopped their work and gave their time and energy from early in the morning to the public follows:

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United States Trust company, named executor in the will under date of December 4.

The value of the estate is named as upward of \$100,000.

Mr. Martin bequeaths \$300 to Mr. M

to Hold Christmas Program solo, G. W. Campbell. Recitation, Robert Day; song, be-

ginner's department; recitation, seven primary department children; recitation, Shirley Harden; duet, Helen McCarger and Mary Louise Layten; recitation, Florence Sorenson; recitation, James Layten.

Recitation, three girls from Mrs.
Campbell's class; duet, Dorothy
Gordon and Vera Hathaway; recitation, Ruth Vest, Grace Woodruff,
Marjorie Yoder and Louise McCarger; duet, Margaret Woodruff and Mary Day, and the lates of the same and the

OF HARRY NEW IS NOT A POSE

Testimony Introduced at Murder Case Shows Prisoner's Attitude One of Long Standing.

Los Angeles, Dec. 23.-Harry New's strange court room manner his almost motionless attitude and his staring straight ahead of him continually—is not a pose but a practice of long standing, according to testimony introduced today in the trial on a charge of having mur-dered his sweetheart, Freda L. Les-

This testimony came from E. M. McCumber, formerly a prisoner with New in the county jail. Mc-Cumber said New frequently sat at the window of his cell and gazed into space for hours at a time, moionless and never uttering a word. McCumber's testimony was the outstanding feature of the defense efforts today to show New was unound mentally.

"Not Right"-Mentally. McCumber said he had noticed ther things about New which caused him to believe the accused was "not right" mentally.

For instance, he said, New frequently rolled up his trousers legs, one at a time, and studied them with

much seeming concern. New made a pet of one of the jail cats, according to the witness. But one day when he was playing with the cat McCumber told him his pet was likely to scratch him, McCumber testified, on which New flew into a rage and threw the animal out of his cell some yards down

The defense is laying much stress on the alleged effect on the mind of the accused by his brooding over what counsel termed the "sad cir-cumstance of his birth."

Doubt American Wife Of Former Turkish Official Here Slain

New York, Dec. 23.-The State department has been asked to verify he report that Djelai Munif Bey, former Turkish consul general in New York, and his wife, have been murdered by revolutionists in Budapest, Herbert J. Lyall, attorney for Djelai Munif's interests in the United States, announces. He said he doubted the truth of the report, as he had received a letter from the consul general last Monday stating that his wife, formerly Mildred Des-

mond of Colorado Springs, Colo., had committed suicide while visiting at an estate near Budapest.

The letter from Djelai Munif was dated "August, 1919, Budapest," but the postmark indicated it had been Days This Week End the postmark indicated it had been mailed in November. It stated that Madame Dielai "depressed and suffering from nervousness" lrought Boy Scout officials have announc- about by the lack of foed and concommitted suicide at the Garden Al- Officers Buy Christmas

Djelai Munif announcing his wife's

By Will of Father; Charities Remembered

Harry Martin, 1911 South Thirtyfourth street, a tailor in the Pax-ton block, is bequeathed \$35,000 by Actors' Benefit Performance with roofing paper and two large with roofing paper and two large with roofing paper and two large the will of his father, Abraham Marwood stoves have been installed. In addition the sleeping accommodations have also been improved. Several hours each day have been set united. States Trust company, afternoon. The mayor's statement to the public follows:

each to four granddaughters who

Herzka of Chicago.

These three children are to receive the income from the property The Walnut Hill M. E. Sunday then are to receive the principal.

Husband Back Once; Now Wants Divorce

Josephine Sallee married Jesse Sallee July 16, 1919, sued him for divorce the first time October 28, 1919, took him back for another trial November 10, 1919, and sued him for divorce again in district court yes-

Alice Day; reading, Mary Day.
Orchestra selections while Santa
Claus lights the Christmas tree and
Claus lights to the children.

der of court restraining him from molesting her. She also wants her maiden name, Hoefler restored to her.

The FLATIRON Cafe

Will serve an old-fashioned Christmas dinner in delightful new-fashioned way from 12:30 to 3 on Christmas Day.

Roast Turkey for \$1.50 a plate, Duck at \$1.25, and Chicken for \$1.00 with all kinds of accompanying home-made goodies.



Cash Bonuses to Employes CALL MEETING TO From Many Big Omaha Firms

Omaha Concerns Reward Faithful Service With Sub- President Alexander Howat, stantial Christmas Remembrances, Many Taking Form of Salary Percentage—Turkeys and Candy Also Figure Among Yuletide Gifts.

Christmas will be a merry one for also be well remembered. At the thousands of people employed by Athletic club, where a no-tipping large industrial concerns of Omaha, rule is rigidly enforced, a printed from employers to employes have form has been sent out to all memor Christmas bonuses and presents never been more generous.

Jobbing houses, many of them employing as high as 1,000 people,

judging from prices on turkeys, but C. H. Pickens, general manager, says the custom will never be discontinued. Unmarried employes are given a five-pound box of candy

Many Cash Bonuses. The Byrne & Hammer Dry Goods Co., is another wholesale house which plans to make its employes' Christmas a happy one by giving a cash present. The amount to be given depends on the length of serv-

ce of the individual employe. The First National, Omaha National and United States National banks, three of the larger downtown banks, will award employes 10 per cent of their annual salary, accord-ing to announcement of officials. The American Smelting Works

will give Christmas trees to each of its employes, and following a timehonored custom, will give employes a Christmas party, at which presents for the children will be furnished. Athletic Club Fund.

Stock Salesman From Omaha Kills Himself

Pargo hotel here four days ago from Omaha, Neb., committed suicide last light by swallowing poison. In a letter which officials said was

addressed to a married woman, at Wichita, Kan., whose name they refused to divulge, Stengton wrote that because he "could not live with her, he could not live without her,' and that everything would be over by the time she received the letter. Stengton stated in the note that he had no relatives in the United States. Officials have communicated with the Wichita woman.

The name Stengton does not appear in the Omaha city or telephone directories. Police authorities have no record of such a man in the ci

Tree for Police Station

Turnkey Charlie Plotts and Desk Sergeant Frank Rose played Santa Claus last night at the Central po-lice station. Officers Woods and Sinclair contributed with Rose and Plotts to buy a Christmas tree for the police station. Sergeant Tom Baughman rigged up the tree with colored lights. Prisoners going into the police station thought the ar-resting officers had made a mistake. Everybody got a present. Captain Henry Heitfeld gave each man on the crew a lot of work and they in turn gave the reporters abuse.

Pedestrian Run Down: **Reckless Driving Charged**

Chasler was released under \$50 bond.

Subscriptions are coming in thick and fast, according to Fred W. Rothery, resident manager of the club, and each employe is assured of

employes. It reads:

Members of the Omaha club have subscribed \$1,400 to a fund which will be divided by the house committee among the 32 employes of the Grain Men Remembered.

The Chamber of Commerce has also raised a fund for salaried em-One of the largest Christmas bonuses given by grain dealers will

be received by employes of the Up-dike Grain Co. It was stated at the Updike office that every employe of the company would receive between 15 and 20 per cent of his yearly

This is a remarkably high bonus grain men say, considering the rather poor business showing during the year, due to railroad conditions, the coal shortage and exceptionally cold Salaried employes of clubs will weather.

Henry Harder Funeral to Be Held From Home in Millard

Because of a Woman

Fargo, N. D., Dec. 23.—(Special Telegram.)—W. Stengton, stock salesman, who registered in the Fargo hotel here four days ago from Complex N. Thin self roll rollie in Millard

Funeral services for Henry Harder, 77 years old, who died at his home in Millard Monday, will be held at 2 this afternoon from the residence. Burial will be in Moore's cemetery. Mr. Harder died following a short illness. He was born in emigrated to the United States in 1886. He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Herman Koch of Millard and Mrs. W. R. Patrick of Omaha, and one son, John Harder.

Want a Fur Collar On Your Overcoat?

This fall and winter we we have made many fur collars out of old muffs or capes, by cutting out the best of the fur and piecing it together.

Hardly a home but possesses some discarded fur garment that could be used to make a fine overcoat collar.

Come in and talk to us. We do all kinds of altering and repairing, also relining.

THE PANTORIUM

So. Side, 4708 So. 24th. Phone So. 1283 GUY LIGGETT, President P. S.-We pay postage one way on al out-of-town orders. Write for price

ARMY GOODS FOR SALE

THE NEBRASKA ARMY & NAVY SUPPLY CO. 1619 HOWARD STREET 1619 HOWARD STREET OPEN TO 9 P. M. SATURDAY.

U. S. Marine Blankets, all wool.
Cotton Double Blankets, 72x84, in gray, brown, or plaid, brand new, while they last
U. S. Army Regulation Tents, 16x16, with a 3-ft. wall, pyramid shape, extra heavy duck canvas. These tents cost the government up to \$100. Have been used in service. Our special offer \$35.00
U. S. Army Cot Beds, all Iron, with Simmons Sagless Springs \$35.00
U. S. Army Munson Field Shoes, brand new, at a price of \$6.98
Army Munson last fleece-lined Shoes; just the thing for cold weather \$6.98
Army Munson Infantry Shoes, genuine oak soles, brand new, sale price of \$6.98
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Army Munson Infantry Shoes, moleskin \$6.78
Wool Mackinaws, plaids \$8.49
Ulster Sheep-lined Coats, moleskin \$14.69
Ulster Sheep-lined Coats, moleskin \$26.50
Cordurory Vests, leather-lined and leather sleeves, sizes 48 and 50 \$12.50
Leather Vests, moleskin leather lined, with leather sleeves \$9.49
Leather moleskin, leather-lined Vests, with glove-leather sleeves \$10.59
Overalls, brand new, union made, with bits, also jackets, at a price of \$1.98
Khaki Or brown Flannel Shirts, brand new, wool, at \$4.98
Silkiline Khaki Kerchiefs, 2 for \$2.50
Wool Union Suits, brand new, per suit

REFERENCE-State Bank of Omaha Make Money Orders or Drafts payable to

THE NEBRASKA ARMY & NAVY SUPPLY CO.

CONCLUDE STRIKE

Issues Call, Upon Release From Jail.

Indianapolis, Dec. 23.-A call for meeting Friday of the executive board of the Kansas district of the United Mine Workers, at which steps to end the strike of 1,000 employes of the Central Coal and Coke bers, giving them an opportunity to subscribe as high as \$5 to a fund for company will be taken was issued late today by Alexander Howat, president of the district, before leavthis club served you faithfully and well during the last year, and without the slightest expectation of a two weeks' pay.

More than 400 large turkeys will be given to the married employes of the Paxton & Gallagher Co. This has been the custom of the company.

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This club served you faithfully and well during the last year, and without the slightest expectation of a tip? If you now desire to express your appreciation of their efforts to please you, you can do so by subscribing to their Christmas fund.

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William Green, international secretary-treasurer of the mine workers, ordering the strikers to return to work.

Habeas Corpus Wins The Release of Foundations of the mine workers, ordering the strikers to return to work.

OF COKE MINERS Aged Omaha Woman Dies as

Result of Fall On Street Word has been received in Omaha that Mrs. Catherine Frances Bartlett Collins, 90 years old, mother of Mrs. T. H. McDearmon, 4822 Capitol avenue, died at Excelsior Springs, December 14. She had been making her home with her daughter in Omaha for the past three

Death was directly caused by a fall on the street in Excelsior Springs, November 1, according to the reports received. Besides Mrs. McDeafmon, Mrs. Collins is survived by three cons. B. H. Collins. vived by three sons, R. H. Collins, president of the Cadillac Motor Co., of Detroit, H. B. Collins of Swift

The Release of Four Alleged 'Highjackers'

Four or five men, arrested Deember 6 and charged with "high acking" the home of Mrs. Katherine Allison, 410 South Thirty-ninth street, the night of December 5, were released by District Judge Redick yesterday as the result of habeas

yesterday as the result of habeas corpus proceedings.

The judge, however, held them on charges of possessing burglar tools and fixed their bonds at \$1,000 each.

The four men released from charges of "high jacking" are Frank O'Neill, Dave Gilinsky, A. F. Pierson and Art Williams. The judge found the evidence against William Larsen sufficient to hold him for trial on the "highjacking" charge.

O'Neill was arrested Monday on a state warrant charging that he

a state warrant charging that he "usurped a public office" by repre-senting himself to be a state officer. His case was continued in Central police court yesterday until Janu-

Advance Announcement

OF ^UR GREAT

Annual Clearance Sale

Ready-to-Wear

Which begins Friday, December 26th at prices that have been radically reduced.

