NEELY SCORED FOR RELEASING BONE FROM JAIL

United States Commissioner Loses Faith Following Attempt of Youth to Release Federal Prisoners.

United States Commissioner R. D. Neely was under fire at the federal building yesterday for permitting the release from jail last Thursday of W. H. Bone, who confessed Saturday night to being the man who smuggled into the county jail revolvers, cartridges and saws with which 12 federal prisoners planned to accomplish a general jail delivery.

Bone in his confession stated he passed the jail delivery materials to prisoners at the jail last Friday afternoon, the day after his release was made possible through a "sob" plea presented to Commissioner Neely by Mrs. Birdie Wharton, 4312 Seward street, with whom Bone had been boarding for two months.

Following Mrs. Wharton's plea, Bone was released on his own recognizance and on a temporary bond signed by Mrs. Wharton, who later failed to qualify as a property holder for the $1,000 bond required.

Assistant United States District Attorney Frank A. Peterson said the Bone case should result in more care in accepting bonds for prisoners held to the federal grand jury and declared releases in all cases should not be ordered until after investigation of questionable bondsmen. Postoffice Inspector Coble and deputies in United States Marshal Flynn's office also criticized action in relasing prisoners on inadequate bonds.

Commissioner Neely said Federal Judge Woodrough approved the Bone release.

"Maybe it was a 'bone' play," he admitted, but everything looked all right."

He has lost faith in women's pleas for prisoners, he said.

Commissioner Neely canceled as inadequate Bone's former bond of $1,000 yesterday and set $2,000 as the new figure. Bone was unable to furnish the amount.

Central High School Cadet Company "C" Leads Regiment

Cadet Company C at Central High school is leading the regiment in pep and spirit since the winning of first place in the "Purple and White Week" pageant Friday. A jazz orchestra is being formed which will play at mass meetings and at a company banquet to be given later this month. Company C is the only company so far that is awarding medals to its men for individual drill. Richard Wagner is captain. The following are lieutenants, Rasgorshek, Ortman, Parker and Eldredge. George Benolken is first sergeant.

Concord Club to Entertain Wm. H. Taft at Dinner April 3

William Howard Taft will be the guest of the Concord club at dinner Saturday, April 3, to which the Rotary club and Kiwanis club are invited. Mr. Taft comes to Omaha that day under the auspicies of the Northwest Warriors' association to speak on "Americanism."

FOUR INJURED IN TWO AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS HERE

Victims Suffer Cuts and Bruises —None Fatal—No Arrests Made.

Four persons were injured in two automobile accidents that occurred almost simultaneously at 9:30 yesterday morning at Tenth and Jackson streets and Forty-second and Dodge streets.

George Gans of Grand Island, Neb., injured at Tenth and Jackson streets, was rushed to St. Josephs hospital. His injuries are internal, but he will recover, physicians say.

The accident was a collision of a northbound Tenth street car and an automobile driven by George Armburst of Gretna, Neb.

Mrs. T. H. Tracy, 1712 North Twenty-fifth street, occupant of an automobile which her husband was driving, fortunately escaped serious injury or possible death when she crouched in the front tonneau of the car an instant before it was struck broadside by an automobile driven by George Thrain, employe of the Nebraska Paige Automobile company.

Mrs. Tracy suffered bruises about the body. Her husband was injured internally. He was unconscious for a half hour. Both were taken to their home.

George Thrain was slightly injured about the legs and arms.

No arrest was made.

Ministers Defer Action On Publicity for Church

A report of the committee on publicity of the Ministerial union submitted at the monthly meeting of the body at the Y. M. C. A. Monday morning, was carried over until the next morning for further consideration

According to members of the union, the matter of the proper kind and amount of publicity for churches is a big problem today. Additional discussion of the report will be had at the April meeting. Representatives of the press may be invited to attend that sesison to explain and suggest courses that might be followed.

Dr. D. E. Jenkins read a paper on "What is the Effect of Some Current Views on the Virgin Birth of Christ?" Dr. Jenkins opposed any of the views that question this.

Defer Action On Proposal To Reduce Electric Rates

The city council committee of the whole deferred action for two weeks Monday on an ordinance prepared by Corporation Counsel Lambert and offered by Commissioner Butler, for the proposed reduction of electric light and power rates. It is proposed to fix the maximum rate at 5 cents per kilowatt hour and to permit the company to fix a graduate schedule below the maximum, subject to approval of the city council.

"This plan would save the small consumers $140,000," announced Commissioner Butler.

Campaign for $500,000 to Start for Bellevue College

Bellevue college will be reopened as soon as a fund of $500,000, planned by the board of trustees at a meeting in the University club, can be raised, it was announced Monday.

Financial difficulties closed the school, but the sale of 215 acres of land adjacent to the buildings has alleviated the burden.

The institution will continue as before, and will be co-educational.

Is Badly Bruised In Fall In Open Elevator Shaft

Samuel Wininger, 5002 Pine street, an employe of the Otis Elevator company, was badly bruised when he fell from the first floor to the basement through an open elevator shaft in the Peters' Trust Co. building at noon yesterday.

Funeral of Mrs. Nelson

The funeral of Mrs. Clara Nelson, 61 years old, who died March 9, will be held at 2 this afternoon from N. P. Swanson's chapel, Seventeenth and Cuming streets. Burial will be in West Lawn cemetery. She is survived by six brothers and three sisters.

South Side

Nab 24 Negroes in Big Game of "African Golf"

Harry Norman, proprietor of a pool hall, 4717 South Twenty-seventh street, was fined $50 and costs in the South Side court Monday after conviction on a charge of conducting a disorderly place. Twenty-three negroes, arrested as inmates, were discharged. Sergeant Mike McCarthy and Detectives Baughman and Herdzina raided the pool hall Sunday night. They say gambling was going on and that cards and "African golf" were the games played. Cards, a set of dice and a small amount of money found on a table were seized by the officers.

Division in Church Scored By Evangelist Whiston

The sin of division in the church was handled without gloves Sunday by Dr. R. F. Whiston, who is conducting a meeting in the South Side Christian church.

"The strength we ought to use unitedly in building up a mutual kingdom to God is often wasted in fighting each other," he said. "We have altogether too much churchianity and too little Christianity."

It was announced that the evangelist would give his famous base ball sermon on "Heroes" Wednesday night.

"Poverty Party" Planned

A "poverty party" will be given in Wheeler Memorial Presbyterian church next Thursday evening to which everybody is invited. Oldest clothes are to be worn by everybody. Margaret Bliss is in charge of the entertainment.

South Side Brevities

Wanted to buy modern house of 5 or 6 rooms in north part of South Omaha. Phone South 2203.

For sale, by owner, 5-room, partly modern house, 4 lots, with fruit trees and cement cave. 6020 P street.

The funeral of Joseph Bil will be held Tuesday from Larkin Brothers' chapel to St. Francis church Tuesday morning at 9. Burial will be in St. Mary Magdalene cemetery.

FOR SALE BY OWNER
Two five-room houses, 2508 and 2510 K St. Price and terms reasonable. Doug. 7550, Wal. 4219.

Mr. Z Kiratich, merchant tailor, has located at 4925 South Twenty-fourth street. He has just arrived from the east with the latest fashions in all sorts of goods. Call South 1325.

J. M. Sullivan of Platte Center, who was a visitor at the stock yards Monday with a mixed shipment of live stock, said stock raisers of his section would commence shipping to the local market this week.

Peter Pesarek, 4932 South Twenty-fifth street, was arrested Sunday night and charged with intoxication and illegal possession of liquor. A pint bottle of alleged raisin whisky was found in Pesarek's possession.

After conviction on a charge of carrying concealed weapons and abusing his wife, Frank Rachvik, 4311 South Forty-first street, was sentenced to 45 days in jail by Police Judge Foster in the South Side police court Monday.

Paul Novacich, 35 years old, died Sunday at the Omaha hospital. The funeral will be held from the home of his brother, John, 6302 South Thirty-third street, to St. Peter and Pauls church this morning at 9. Burial will be in St. Marys cemetery.

Agnes Thomson, 5 years old, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thomson of Sarpy Mills, died Saturday night of scarlet fever. Besides her parents she is survived by two sisters, Irene and Margaret. The funeral will be held Monday afternoon at 2 from the residence to St. Mary Magdalene cemetery.

Brief City News

Omaha Girl in Pageant—Miss Lois Hoel, 5002 Capitol avenue, will represent Diana in a Greek pageant at Cornell college, Mount Vernon, Ia.

Open First Mission—Holy Neme church, Forty-fifth and Maple streets, will open its first mission today following several weeks of preparation.

Wed by Rev. Savidge—Miss Elvina Herbel of Columbus, Neb., and Fred A. Zabel of Fulton, Mo., were married by Rev. Charles W. Savidge Saturday evening.

Tells of Jerusalem—Rev. Titus Lowe spoke on "Section Hands, Ancient and Modern," at First Presbyterian church Sunday, referring to the building of the walls of Jerusalem.

Honors for Omaha Girl—Miss Eleanor Stallard, 1010 Georgia avenue, senior at Cornell college, Mount Vernon, Ia., won second prize in a humorous page contest conducted by the college annual.

Miller Park Meeting—Miller Park Mothers' circle will meet Wednesday at 3 p. m. in Miller Park school. Dr. J. F. Edwards, city health commissioner, will speak. A musical program has been arranged.

See Telephone Exchange—Sixty boys from the boys' division of the Y. M. C. A. were the guests of the Nebraska Telephone company on a trip through the Douglas and Tyler exchanges and the long distance and telephone and telegraph exchange Saturday. The boys were taken in small groups.

First Confirmation Class—Bishop Shaylor confirmed the first class in Omaha Sunday at All Saints church. He administered the apostolic rite of confirmation to a class of nine girls. He also preached the sermon.

Music for Carter Lake—At a meeting to be held in the studio of Walter B. Graham in the Weed block Wednesday the entertainment committee of the Carter Lake club will conclude plans for music during the coming season.

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Run Down by Truck—Bruce Higgins, 1817 Paul street, was run down Sunday by a truck driven by C. M. Michael, 1506 North Eighteenth street. The former is a truck driver for the Loose-Wiles Biscuit company, and the latter is employed by Reeder's bakery.

Mecca Court Dance—Mecca Court No. 13, Tribe of Ben Hur, will give a dancing party at an open meeting Friday evening in the Lyric building.

Truck Driver Hurt—William Alexander, truck driver, 1214 South Third street, was slightly injured in a collision between the motorcycle he was riding and an automobile driven by F. Daniel, Nebraska Power company, at Sixteenth and Cuming street, Sunday evening.

Stole Ford is Charge—Leo Murphy, 3008 Vinton street; John Johnson, 2816 Harney street; John O'Donnell, 1115 South Twenty-eighth street; Earl Fay, 2721 Jackson street, and Phil Holt, 1019 South Twenty-second street, were arrested for investigation Sunday. Police believe they were joy-riding in an automobile said to have been stolen from the Ford livery Saturday.

Insurance Men Meet—Underwriters of the Aetna Life Insurance company from all sections of the state attended a banquet at the Athletic club last night. The banquet concluded a one-day convention of all representatives of the company in Nebraska which was held yesterday at the Omaha office.

Seek Sick Man's Brothers—Friends of Joe Kuwitcky, who lies ill in a hospital at Roy, Utah, are seeking his brothers, Dick and William Kuwitcky, reported to be in Omaha. Joe has not heard from his brothers for some time.

Dr. Secor, Dentist—1st Nat. Bk. Bldg.—Adv.