

OMAHA PIONEER ON FIRST VISIT HERE IN 25 YEARS

Mrs. Myer Hellman Recalls Indians, Only Street Car and Farnam Street—Praises Modern Omaha.

"Rip Van Winkle has nothing on me," gasped Mrs. Myer Hellman, pioneer settler here, as she emerged from the Union station and viewed Omaha for the first time in 25 years. After spending several hours viewing the city Mrs. Hellman is more than ever convinced the surprise of Rip at changes which took place during his 20-year sleep were mild compared with her surprise at the growth of Omaha.

"When I left Omaha 25 years ago I knew everybody and everybody's horse and team. Now I would be lost if I tried to go any place."

Mrs. Hellman came to Omaha in 1871, the 17-year-old bride of Myer Hellman, the first clothing dealer in Omaha. Her husband brought her across the Missouri river in a flatboat, as no bridge had been built at that time.

One Tiny Street Car.
"There were three blocks of brick paving on Farnam street," related Mrs. Hellman, "and one tiny street car, pulled by a mule, was the only means of conveyance."

"My husband had his store at Thirteenth and Farnam streets. He had come to Omaha in 1856. Shortly after we arrived he built a little frame cottage at Fourteenth and Jackson. There were only a few shanties there then. We then began entertaining, and although I was afraid of being lonesome at first, I found there were many lovely people here."

"Yes, mother was known as the most beautiful bride that had ever come to Nebraska," chimed in Mrs. Blanch Hellman Sachs, who, with her husband, Henry B. Sachs, of Cincinnati and their daughter, Eugenie, accompanied Mrs. Hellman on her visit here.

Many Military Balls.
"You mustn't talk about that, daughter," warned Mrs. Hellman, blushing slightly. "There weren't many women in Omaha then, but most of them were very beautiful."

"There were many lovely entertainments in those days. The military balls at Fort Omaha were wonderful, for such officers as Gen. Wilson Miles were stationed there then."

"My husband built one of the first brick houses in the city at Twenty-fourth and St. Marys avenue. There were no houses in that vicinity then. It was just like being on a farm. The house was one of the show places, but I used to be afraid to stay there, for the Indians kept coming around."

First Double Wedding.
"They weren't warlike, though. They only wanted to shake hands but they frightened me."

"All of my children were born here and when my daughters Blanch and Mabel were married at the same time it was known as the first double wedding in Nebraska."

Mrs. Hellman, who resides in Baltimore, is en route to Portland, Ore., to visit her daughter, Mrs. Louis Lang. She is stopping at Hotel Fontenelle.

Two Girls Injured When Three Autos Crash at Crossing

Two unidentified girls were slightly injured at noon Friday when three automobiles, one belonging to G. M. Hoffman, 2106 South Fortieth street, collided at Twentieth and Howard streets.

The injured were taken to the home of Mrs. John Myers, 505 South Twentieth street, and given first aid. They were able to go to their homes.

Police received no report of the accident. Witnesses say the collision occurred when one car, going south, attempted to pass another as a third machine was coasting east down Howard street.

The license of one of the cars was Neb. 24890, a witness to the accident declared. The number belongs to an out-of-town car, county records show.

Tucson in Darkness When Engineers Go on Strike

Tucson, Ariz., June 26.—Tucson was in darkness last night and its water supply threatened as a result of the walkout of engineers of the Tucson Electric Light and Power company in sympathy with electrical workers and linemen who struck several days ago.

Street car service is paralyzed and industrial concerns depending on electric power tied up. Water plant superintendents declare that the water supply will not last more than a day with its electric motors shut down.

Crops also are threatened through the shutting down of irrigation plants. Controversy over the open shop caused the strike.

The Bee's Fund for Free Milk and Ice

When POOR BABIES and VERY HOT WEATHER meet, something VERY UNPLEASANT is apt to happen UNLESS the machinery is all set to supply those poor babies with PURE MILK and FRESH.

This is what The Bee's fund prepares to do. The Visiting Nurses, in their rounds among the city's poor, find these little waifs and draw on the fund when the family can't pay for milk.

MOTHER PLEADS TO SEE CHILD SHE ABANDONED

Mrs. Moylan Says Trouble Result of Misunderstanding With Her Sister.

Sobbing that she wanted to see her baby which has been placed in the Child Saving institute by the

humane society, Mrs. Joseph Moylan appeared in the office of T. H. Weirich, head of the public welfare board, yesterday to ask for permission to visit her child.

Mr. Weirich gave her an order which will admit her to the institute once each day for eight days.

"I want to see my baby! Please, don't keep him away from me! I've just got to see him," the mother sobbed as she pleaded with Mr. Weirich that she never intended to abandon her child.

Baby Left With Aunt.
Little Joseph Moylan, jr., two months old, was left with his aunt, Mrs. May Belle Lamont, 634 South

Twenty-eighth street, last Tuesday. When Mrs. Lamont, bride of a week, went to her work in the credit department of Burgess Nash company, she left the baby in the care of Mrs. Myrtle Reynolds at the same address.

The landlord of the apartment house called police, who probed the case and arrested Mrs. Moylan Thursday, later turning the case over to the humane society and welfare board.

Sent to Grandmother.
The mother told the welfare board she had asked her sister, Mrs. Lamont, to take the child to its grandmother in Council Bluffs and

that all the trouble about the child was only through a misunderstanding.

Her husband, she said, is in Lincoln seeking work. The mother told the welfare board today she had secured employment for herself in Omaha and was promised by Mr. Weirich that the baby would be returned to her as soon as she and her husband had established a new home and can satisfy him they intend to care for the child properly.

A California inventor has combined a trunk carrier for automobiles with a rear bumper.

SCHOOL CHUMS TO ACCOMPANY BODY OF TRUCK VICTIM

Minister for Whom He Served As Altar Boy to Officiate.

Six flower girls and six boys, members of the Tenth B class at Commerce High school, will accompany the body of their former class

mate, Paul Raziske, 14 years old, 2765 Arbor street, from the home to the Immaculate Conception church for funeral services Monday at 9 a. m.

Paul died Friday afternoon from injuries received that morning when he was run over by a three-ton Orchard & Wilhelm truck at Twenty-seventh and Leavenworth streets.

Father Cheoble Kalamaja, pastor of Immaculate Conception church and for whom Paul served as an altar boy at mass for several years, will officiate at the services.

Paul changed jobs from a newsboy to a Western Union messenger only a week ago. His anxiety to

deliver a message hastily probably cost him his life, his bicycle skidding from under him a moment before the huge truck struck him.

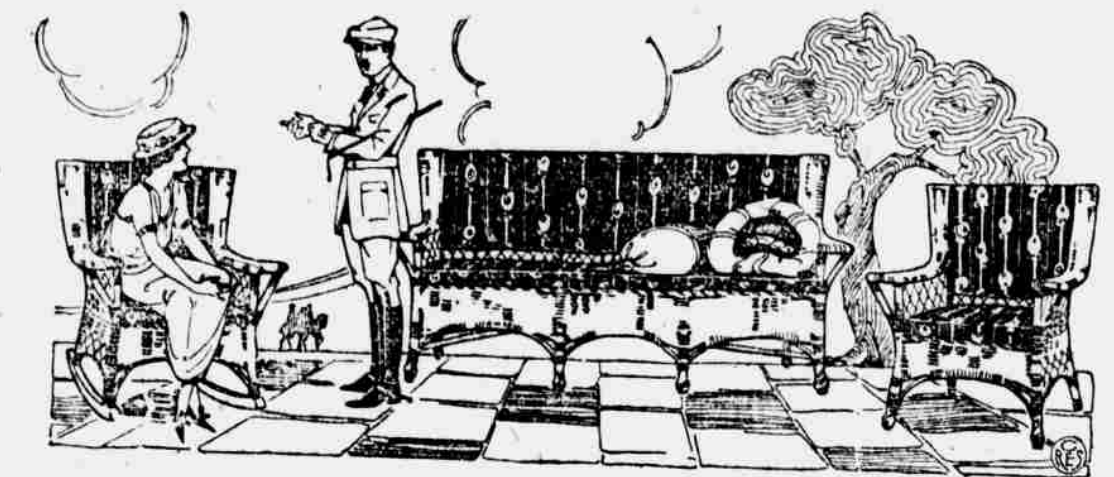
There will be no inquest, county authorities declaring the accident was unavoidable. C. Raoducki, 5079 Marimba street, driver of the truck, was ordered released from custody.

Besides his parents, Paul is survived by four sisters, Mary, Anna, Helen and Veronica, and four brothers, John, Edward, Stanley and Joseph.

In normal times the Transvaal mines are the largest consumers of explosives in the world.

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---Because We Realize the Importance in Choosing the Proper Furniture, Rugs and Draperies



Fibre and Cretonne Set with Full Length Settee

Choice of Frosted Brown or Ivory

You will find this set just as comfortable as it is pictured. The three pieces are well shaped, have very broad, restful arms, nicely padded back and removable seat cushions. The back and the cushions are covered in attractive cretonnes. The fibre is of the best, carefully hand woven and finished to stand any extremes of weather. We have other sets with smaller settees if you prefer them.

Value-Giving Price of Complete Set \$77.50

FIBRE TEA WAGON IN IVORY—Fitted with glass tray, military wheels and lower shelf. Exceptional value at **\$19.75**

FIBRE FERN STANDS—A very well made stand, neatly finished. Value-Giving Price **\$3.85**

Others at \$9.75 and better.

HIGH BACK FIBRE ROCKER—Cushion and back neatly upholstered in fine cretonne. A rocker of great beauty and excellent quality **\$31.50**

FROSTED BROWN FIBRE ROCKER—Upholstered in choice cretonne. Serviceable rocker at **\$14.75**



A Charming Breakfast Suite of Colonial Influence

This breakfast suite is very unique with its set of chairs and table of odd design. Attractively finished in steel grey with color decorations in orange and black.

A set that you will find very interesting—consist of table and four chairs and moderately priced at **\$89.50**

Satisfactory Furniture Pays

Unsatisfactory, makeshift pieces only add to the expenses of furnishing. Never giving pleasure in the beginning, they have to be discarded in the end. This does not mean that you have to pay expensive prices.



Attractive Fernery in Ivory and Frosted Brown

The fernery illustrated is very similar to the original, and makes a most attractive piece for the parlor or the porch.

It is hand woven of excellent fibre, artistic and durable.

Equipped with heavy, rust-proof pan.

Your choice of two finishes.

Bowen's Value-Giving Price \$12.50

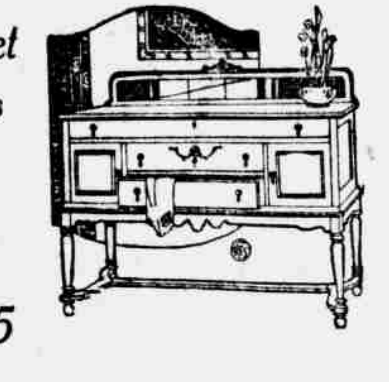
William and Mary Buffet

Like the illustration, this buffet is very graceful and handsome; the construction and finish are very satisfactory.

A 54-inch buffet with full length mirror of French plate.

Cupboard and drawer arrangement like the illustration.

Bowen's Value-Giving Price \$78.75



This Massive Oak Rocker With Genuine Leather Seat

A fumed oak Rocker of generous proportions and rigid construction.

Fitted with removable spring cushion, covered with genuine Spanish leather. Will give satisfactory service for many years.

Bowen's Value-Giving Price \$16.00

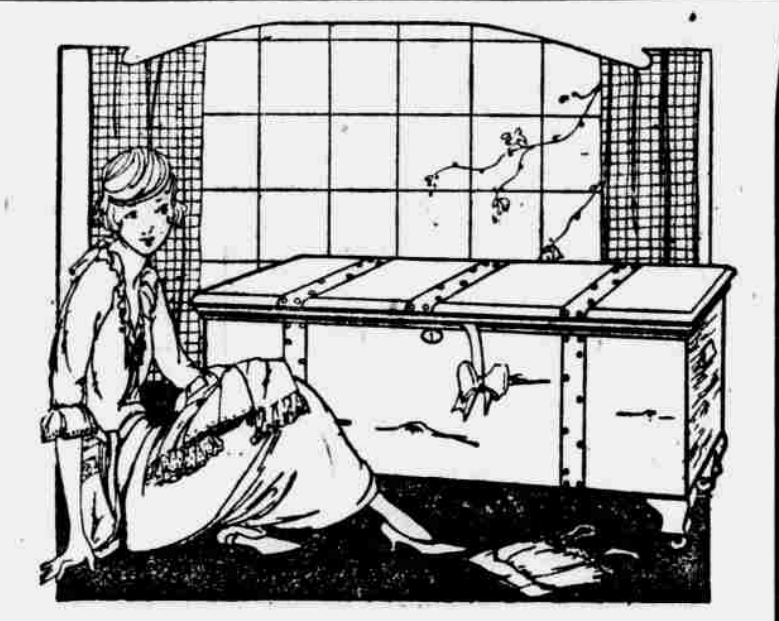


Magazine End Table

This practical table is very appropriate for library or living room.

Massive in appearance and large in size. Built of solid oak and finished in rich fumed. As you see it pictured, and a most remarkable value.

Bowen's Value-Giving Price \$28.75



Keep the Moths From Your Clothes

Moths do not like cedar. You can have no better protection than a chest of cedar.

We have illustrated one of attractive design, COPPER TRIMMED AND 48 INCHES IN LENGTH. BOWEN'S VALUE-GIVING PRICE **\$36.75**

Other Cedar Chests at \$24.75 to \$46.50.

- Aluminum Sauce Pans 35c
- 6-Quart Aluminum Kettles \$1.45
- Cedar Mops With Bottle of Oil. 65c
- Guaranteed Carpet Sweepers \$1.95
- Guaranteed Electric Irons \$2.95

A Duofold Suite That Will Be Appreciated



Not alone for its comfort and attractiveness, but for the economy of buying a davenport and bed at the price of one piece.

The suite is made in solid oak, handsomely finished in rich golden.

The Muleskin upholstery has the lasting quality of many grades of leather.

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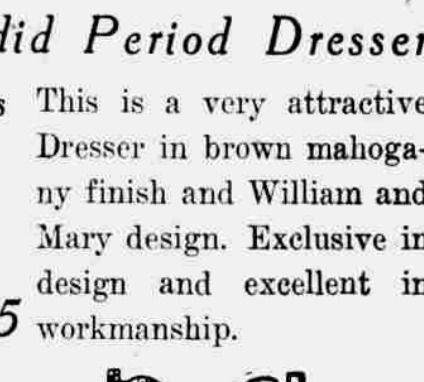
Duofold at **\$66.75** Chair and Rocker, each **\$21.50**



Splendid Period Dresser

This is a very attractive Dresser in brown mahogany finish and William and Mary design. Exclusive in design and excellent in workmanship.

Bowen's Value-Giving Price \$64.75



Mahogany or Walnut Dressing Table

Fitted with triPLICATE mirror of choice French plate. A most pleasing design, while the quality is enduring.

Choice of mahogany or walnut finish.

Bowen's Value-Giving Price \$49.50



Well Made Lawn Swings

These swings are exceptionally well made, bolted construction and neatly painted. Like the picture, there are two single seats. Buy one, while our stocks are complete. Bowen's Value-Giving Price **\$3.75**

4-Passenger Lawn Swing

Same construction as the child's size, except that the seats are large. Buy now, at **\$6.50**



This Side-Icing Type 90-lb. Ice Capacity Grand Rapids Refrigerator

White enamel lined, best construction throughout; removable shelves.

Value-Giving Price \$34.75 For Monday's selling

The Grand Rapids Sanitary Refrigerator Preserves Food Longer---Saves Money---Conserves Food

During the warm months food soon spoils if it is not kept in a refrigerator which maintains a STEADY, LOW temperature.

People often fail to realize that a GOOD Refrigerator will preserve food MANY HOURS LONGER than an ordinary one.

Buy a "Grand Rapids" at the Price of Inferior Makes



Value-Giving Opportunities for Next Week---In Our Drapery and Rug Department

WOOL FIBRE RUGS—In plain and figured centers, with pretty conventional borders.

9x12 Ft. at **\$38.50**

8 Ft. 3 In. by 10 Ft. 6 In. **\$35.50**

AXMINSTER RUGS—Extraordinary heavy rugs in several choice patterns; size 9x12 ft. BOWEN'S VALUE-GIVING PRICE **\$65.00**

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9x12 Ft. at **\$47.50**

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HEAVY SEAMLESS VELVET RUGS—Tan, mulberry and blue shades; heavy quality.

BOWEN'S VALUE-GIVING PRICE, 9x12 Ft. **\$60.00**

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Our Drapery Stocks are new and up to date in patterns and colors. New materials arriving daily.

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