

Building Trades Hardest Hit by Business Slump

Investigation Shows Large Majority of Craftsmen in Chicago Out of Work—East Most Affected.

By ARTHUR M. EVANS. Chicago Tribune-Omaha Bee Leased Wire. Chicago, Dec. 26.—Here's an observation or two on unemployment...

Sifting It



Iowa Legislature Confronted by Many Problems

Code Revision, Constitutional Convention Call and Other Perplexing Questions Face Thirty-Ninth Legislature.

Des Moines, Dec. 26.—The thirty-ninth general assembly of the state of Iowa, when it convenes in this city on January 10, 1921, will be faced by a greater number of perplexing questions than any general assembly with recent years...

Win \$100? Here's Your Chance!

Guess the identity of the moving picture stars, parts of whose pictures are being shown daily in The Bee. Sixty pictures will be shown. The individual who guesses the largest number correctly wins \$100.

- Second.....\$50 Fifth.....\$10
Third.....\$25 Twenty-five next.....\$5 each
Fourth.....\$15 Forty.....\$1 each

The rules are simple. Fill out the attached blank. Be sure to sign your name and address. Mail it to The Bee 'Movie Contest Editor' within three days of publication.

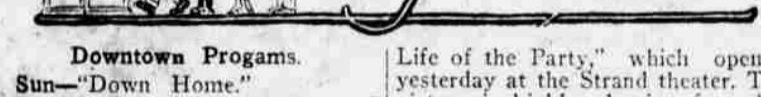


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Fill in this entry blank and mail to 'Movie Contest Editor, Omaha Bee.' Write YOUR NAME and the numbers of THESE PICTURES on outside of envelope. Two pictures will be published each day for 30 days.

TWO MORE PICTURES IN TOMORROW'S BEE.



Young Bandits Caught While Entering Store.

Four youthful bandits were detected in the act of breaking into the store of the front door. The proprietor's young daughter, Mary Twelfth street, Saturday night by the proprietor's young daughter, Mary Kyle.

Damage Suit Of Injured Man Set for Trial

The suit of Andrew Bjorkman, federal grain inspector for the middle-west grain elevators, against the Trans-Mississippi grain elevator, Council Bluffs, is assigned for trial at the January term of the district court.

Small Girl Discovers Attempted Burglary—Officer Locks Two Inside and Gives Chase to Second Pair.

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Grain Inspector Asks \$25,000 Following Remarkable Recovery From Hurts Received in Fall.

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Building Hard Hit

The building trades in Chicago are hardest hit. Next come the clothing workers. Leading builders say activities are now at a standstill.

Locks Pair Inside

Patrolman D. J. Phillips, who was on the beat in the vicinity, appeared on the scene before the squad of police arrived from the station.

Other Two Captured

A half hour later, Patrolmen A. W. Ingersoll and Gus S. Wright returned to the station with the two boys who made their escape.

Will Ask Promotion For Every Officer Who Kills Burglar

Chicago, Dec. 26.—Announcement that he would introduce a plan at Wednesday's city council meeting to make immediate promotion the reward for every patrolman or sergeant who kills a burglar or holdup man in the act of committing a crime, was made by Alderman J. O. Kostner.

Clay Products Firm Wins \$5,000 Damage Suit From Promoter

Audubon, Ia., Dec. 26.—(Special.)—Judgment for \$5,000 has been awarded the Audubon Clay Products company against A. G. Brenneck, who promoted the concern.

Condition of Ex-Empress Disturbs Celebration

Doorn, Holland, Dec. 26.—The Christmas celebration at the home of Doorn last night, was interrupted by the serious condition of the former German empress, who suffered a new attack, and the emperor had to excuse himself to go to her bedside.

Star of 'The Poor Little Rich Girl' Weds Baltimore Man

New York, Dec. 26.—Slipping into the marriage license bureau on Chicago street, Eleanor Griffith, star of 'The Poor Little Rich Girl,' and Edgar Dudley James of Baltimore and New York, were married in the municipal chapel.

Employees of Columbus Newspapers Get Bonus

Columbus, Dec. 26.—Salary bonuses amounting to more than \$100,000 were given as Christmas presents to employees of the Columbus Dispatch and the Ohio State Journal and other employers of Robert F. and Harry P. Wolfe, of this city.

Massachusetts Town Called 'Dance Crazy'

Grafton, Mass., Dec. 26.—This town is 'dance crazy.' Rev. Joseph A. Jacques, rector of St. Philip church, and Rev. Philip King, pastor of the West Evangelical Congregational church, unite in the statement.

Quarantine On Fruit Imposed by Japan

Tokio, Dec. 26.—A regulation published recently by the imperial plant quarantine station prohibits the importation into Japan from America, Canada, New Zealand, Africa, and Peru of apples, pears, quinces, peaches, plums, apricots and walnuts.

Falling Off Shown in Mail Previous to Christmas

Chicago, Dec. 26.—More than 11,000 tons of letters and packages passed through the Chicago post office during the 11 days preceding Christmas.

Real Rickenbacher Is Mistaken for Man Wanted as Embezzler

Columbus, O., Dec. 26.—Eddie Rickenbacher, premier American ace, came 'within an ace' of spending Christmas in a Chicago jail, instead of with his mother in this city, he told friends here.

Dachshund Back Again

London, Dec. 26.—The war is over and the dachshund, who discreetly retired into private life during that period, is now returning into public favor again.

Atlantic Youth Killed By Auto While Coasting

Atlantic Ia., Dec. 26.—(Special.)—Robert Jacobs, 10, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Jacobs, was instantly killed when run over by an automobile while coasting on one of the streets here.

Farm Home Wrecked When Frozen Water Tank Bursts

Lewis, Ia., Dec. 26.—(Special.)—Fire started in a cook stove caused a frozen heating tank to explode at the farm home of Jake Kissler near here, badly damaging the house and wrecking the stove and heating plant.

Midland College

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Only One Library Out of 99 Fails

Carnegie Institutions in Iowa Surpass Records of Those in Other States.

Des Moines, Dec. 26.—Only one of 99 Carnegie free libraries in Iowa has failed during the past year—and this one the smallest library building in the state and in a town of less than 1,000 population.

'Old Man Bonus' Brings Gladness To Chicagoans

Add Compensation System Helps Hundreds of Employees to Meet Christmas Buying Problems.

Chicago, Dec. 26.—'Old Man Bonus,' who has been taking on much additional girth in the last three years, outdid all his previous performances this year in Chicago.

Alderman Gets Stuck Attempting to Prove Santa Claus Is Real

New York, Dec. 26.—Santa Claus in this particular instance weighing 340 pounds, got stuck here while 'proving' to three children that he is no myth and really comes down the chimney.

Control of Oil Stations Urged

Des Moines, Dec. 26.—The regulation of the gasoline filling stations is coming more and more to demand the attention of fire prevention officers, according to J. A. Tracy, state fire marshal.

Cotner College

Perhaps the greatest achievement of the creation of the college high school, out of the Cotner academy, is that the high school will be under a separate and distinct faculty.

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Final Closing-Out Sale

Discount 25 to 50 Per cent. M. D. FRANKS JEWELER 201 So. 15th St. Room Vacated January 1st.

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