

Better Business To Bring Large Crowd to Omaha

Merchants Fall Market Week Will Have Record Attendance Reports Indicate.

Indications that business conditions in the middle west are gradually returning to a normal state are shown in advance notices of an enormous attendance to the Merchants' Fall Market Week in Omaha beginning next Monday.

The Omaha Wholesalers' and Manufacturers' association is making immense preparations for a grand festival. Traveling men throughout the middle west have written W. A. Ellis, assistant commissioner of the Chamber of Commerce, that merchants are optimistic about an early resumption of good business and that Omaha will get its share of the fall and winter buying.

Dances for the visitors will be held next week in the Auditorium at the Field club and Prettiest Mile club. Following a reception at the Chamber of Commerce club rooms Monday night, visiting merchants will be taken to the Ak-Sar-Ben for entertainment. A box lunch and picnic will be held at Miller park next Wednesday.

Hungry Thief Finds \$150 Hidden in Ice Box

Bert Leique, who operates a soft drink emporium at 824 North Sixteenth street, entertains a wholesome respect for yeggmen and burglars.

So, scorning the safe, it has been his custom to conceal each day's receipts in various hiding spots about the store when locking up for the night.

Wednesday night he selected the ice box as a likely spot for \$150.

But a hungry burglar found his way to the ice box and seized upon a choice ham contained therein. And hidden behind the ham was the \$150. Police now are looking for the thief, the \$150 and the ham.

Log Rollers, M. W. A. and Royal Neighbors to Picnic

Omaha District Log Rolling association, Modern Woodmen of America, and Royal Neighbors, will stage its annual picnic at Papillion, Neb., Saturday, August 27.

A double-header base ball game and contests by the drill teams of the different camps will feature the afternoon program. In the evening there will be dancing.

A band concert and a tug of war between six men from any one camp to pull six men from another camp, are also on the program for the afternoon.

Cars will leave Omaha every hour, starting at 9 a. m., and every half hour, starting at 1 p. m., from Twenty-fourth and N streets.

Fire Alarm From City Hall Causes Chief to Dash About

"Clang! Clang! City hall on fire!"

That was the alarm at 11 a. m. yesterday that caused Fire Chief Salter to dash from his office.

The corner at Eighteenth and Farnam streets was red with fire trucks. Smoke? There wasn't any. Fire? Chief Salter couldn't find it. Some one yelled: "On the sixth floor." Another shouted: "In the alley." A few more suggested the stock room.

Finally the chief discovered a box of rubbish burning quietly and safely in the alley. What he said is withheld.

U. S. Attorney Kinsler Called To Capital by Daugherty

J. C. Kinsler, United States district attorney, has been summoned to Washington for a conference with Attorney General Daugherty.

Kinsler said he did not know what would be taken up at that time. He leaves Monday, stopping enroute at Cincinnati for a meeting of the American Bar association, but expects to be in Washington the following Monday.

Police Hunt Girl, 14, Who Disappeared From Home

Police were asked to locate Violet Capaldo, 14, Twenty-first and Avenue K, East Omaha, who disappeared from her home Wednesday morning.

The parents told police they were unable to understand why she left home.

State Pen Filled; So Is County Jail; So Is City Bastille

The penitentiary is filled. So is the county jail. And so too the city jail.

"What are we going to do?" Chief of Police Dempsey wants to know. "Don't make any arrests," suggested Chief of Detectives Van Deusen. "Get a work house," decided Dempsey.

"But we haven't any funds to build one," he added ruefully. "So still I don't know what we're going to do."

A tide is a wave of the whole ocean, which is elevated to a certain height by the attraction of the moon, and then sinks.

Dempsey Will Probe Release of Negro Held for Robbery

Investigation of the dismissal of a highway robbery charge against Smith Sines, negro, 1011 Capitol avenue, will be made, Chief of Police Dempsey stated yesterday. Police officials are wondering how Sines brought about his release.

Edward Koch, 60, 1404 Bancroft street, identified Sines as the man who held him up last December and robbed him of his watch and \$10. Following his arrest, Sines' hearing was set for August 31. Investigation by Koch disclosed that Sines was dismissed Tuesday.

"Why, he was innocent and dismissed by Assistant County Attorney Yeager," an attorney who visited Koch Wednesday night said. Yeager admitted he did not call Koch when Sines was dismissed.

Bobbed Hair Causes Row; Father Lands in Hoosegow

New York, Aug. 25.—When Dorothy Wilson, 16, of Plainfield, N. J., bobbed her hair, she started something.

Her father, Theodore Wilson, is much opposed to bobbed hair and when he returned from his office he started to slap her. His wife came to the rescue and the father attacked her. Neighbors called the police and when Traffic Policeman Dale arrived Wilson tried to throw him downstairs. He was doing a good job of it when Patrolman Nolan arrived and the two officers subdued Wilson. He was fined \$100 with an alternative of spending 90 days in jail.

Police Drag River in Hunt For Body of Hermit Suicide

Omaha and Council Bluffs police yesterday were dragging the river with grappling hooks in an effort to recover the body of C. H. Young, 70, the "Hermit of Bethany," who threw himself off the Douglas street bridge Wednesday afternoon.

Before jumping into the river he hung his cane, inscribed with his name and address, on the bridge rail to identify him.

Family troubles are thought to have caused the suicide. Young, who once was wealthy, was in straitened circumstances. He borrowed \$2 to come to Omaha.

Exams to Be Held at Ft. Crook For Veterinary Commissions

Announcement was received Thursday at Fort Crook headquarters for the Seventh army corps area of a competitive examination November 14 to 19 for commissions and appointments in the veterinary surgeon corps.

There are 16 vacancies to be filled, the announcement says. Candidates must be between the ages of 21 and 30 and citizens of the United States.

Fined on Liquor Charge

Beatrice, Neb., Aug. 25.—(Special Telegram).—Frank Vicars pleaded guilty today in the district court to the charge of illegal possession of liquor and was fined \$100 and costs by Judge Colby.

Papillion Notes

Ernest Zeeck and Miss Alice Bell were married Saturday.

Mrs. May Platt spent the week-end with friends in Lincoln.

Louis Dupp of Kansas City spent Friday with Papillion relatives.

County Treasurer J. P. Spearman returned Friday from Wyoming and other western points.

Mrs. Frank Fish, Mrs. Fred Ross and Mrs. A. A. Price entertained the Presbyterian Aid society Wednesday.

Papillion and adjoining towns are enjoying the weekly dances given on the platform every Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hlatky and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Flug drove to North Dakota, where they will spend some time visiting relatives.

Charles Pike sold 48 residence lots in South Papillion Saturday, ranging in price from \$60 to \$125 apiece. He also auctioned a fine lot which was drawn by Adam Mohr, Jr.

The Sappy county commissioners, the new court house advisory committee and other boosters went to Clay Center, Neb., Monday to inspect the new court house recently completed there.

Dorsey Prepares Evidence for Probe of Stocks

Special Attorney General Delves Into Affairs of Alleged Fake Stock Concerns.

The work of preparing evidence to be submitted to the grand jury next month by Attorney General Clarence A. Davis, has been started by Judge W. C. Dorsey of Bloomington, who is in Omaha as special counsel for the attorney general's department.

The judge will have several assistants in going over the voluminous reports which have been prepared by the state examiners, who have been delving into the affairs of various concerns in Omaha and other Nebraska towns.

"We have a big job on our hands," said the judge. "We expect to prepare for the grand jury evidence in connection with alleged betrayal of trusts in connection with stock concerns and other institutions whose officers have been criminally negligent in their disposition of the interests of the stockholders or depositors. This office will continue along this line of work even after the grand jury shall have convened."

The judge explained that he can speak only in general terms of the work at this time, but expects to have more detailed information to offer as the work progresses.

Brief City News

Scott Leaves—Scott's caravan of motor cars and 25 families from Brooklyn left Omaha at 8 yesterday morning continuing on their route to Buhl, Idaho, where the colony will settle on irrigated land.

Soy Beans Grown Here—P. H. Stewart of the university extension department will relate experiences of farmers growing the soy bean in Nebraska at a meeting to be held Monday afternoon at the farm of Otto Pfeiffer, one mile north of Elk-horn.

Leave It to Players—Police Judge Wappich in Central police court yesterday dismissed Paul Barnard, Twenty-fourth and Burt street, with a lecture, on a charge of throwing pop bottles at the umpires at the base ball game Wednesday between the Buffaloes and Wichita.

Get a Key—So securely were two automobiles locked together in an accident yesterday at Twentieth and Pinkney streets that an auto ambulance was called to pull them apart. The cars belonged to D. C. Edwards, Hotel Fontenelle, and Fred A. Mitchell, 4413 North Thirty-first street.

Alleged "Peeping Tom" Pleads to Intoxication

Alliance, Neb., Aug. 25.—(Special.)—Arthur Reynolds, Burlington passenger brakeman, accused by a number of Alliance residents of "Peeping Tom" activities in the residence districts, pleaded guilty in county court to a charge of intoxication and was fined \$50. Reynolds was arrested following an escapade in which the complainants said they saw him peeping into the windows of their homes late at night.

The entire neighborhood was aroused and pajama-clad heads of households, revolvers in hand, sought to intercept the intruder as he fled from house to house, but he was captured only after a chase of several blocks by two husky young high school lads.

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Downstairs Store

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Downstairs Store

Men's Derby Hats 75c

Broken lines from our regular stock—about 300 in all. For quick clearance, 75c. All sizes. Many derbies of finest qualities are included.

Men's Shirts, 69c

An excellent quality and make, but slightly soiled. In sizes 13 to 15 only.

Men's Overalls, \$1.25

Cut full and roomy, high back, sizes 34 to 42.

Downstairs Store

Clearance of Dresses, \$5

Imported Dotted Swisses, Georgettes, Jersey Guimpes. Sizes 16 to 38. All-Wool Serge Coats—full length—navy and black. Sizes 16 to 40.

Downstairs Store

Cafeteria Special: Friday

Dried Filet of Sole with Tartar Sauce 20c

Silk Bags, \$1.45

Most exceptional value; silk more bags, attractively lined; with change purse and mirror.

Letter Paper, 50c

Pound package homespun linen paper and two packages of envelopes, in white, pink, and blue. Complete, 50c.

Downstairs Store

Box of Notions 35c

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- 1 card of good quality Buttons.
- 27 to 30 inches of Inside Skirt Belting.
- 1 fast colored Darning Cotton.
- 1 bolt of Tape.
- 1 spool of Machine Thread, No. 50 or 60.
- 1 card Dress Clips.
- 1 pkg. Hair Pins.
- 1 bolt of Colored Wash Edging.
- 1 piece of Elastic.
- 1 card of Stays.
- 1 card of Hooks and Eyes.
- 1 bolt of Lingerie Rib-bon.
- 1 pair of very strong black Shoe Laces.
- 1 bolt of Wright's Bias Tape in white.
- 1 card of Safety Pins.
- 1 paper of Pins.
- 1 Vanity Case with Powder Puff and Mirror, and several other very useful Notions.

Downstairs Store

Drugs: Soap

Sun Brite Cleanser, 2 for 15c.

Lilac Rose Talcum, large cans, 19c.

Soap Flakes, 3 for 25c.

Snap Pulverized Soap for washing machines, 3 for 25c.

Rose, Violet or Baby Talcum, 15c.

Pride Washing Powder, 2½-lb. pkg., 19c.

Naphtha Soap, 10 bars for 49c.

Downstairs Store

Remnants of Colored Wash Goods 100 Pieces of Newest Dress Voiles

1/2 Price at 29c and 49c yd.

Remnants of Muslins: Sheetings: Check and Plaid Gingham at 10c yd.

Drapery Fabrics: 1/2 Price

Quantities Limited—Downstairs Store Limit of 10 Yards to a Customer

Sanitos Sets 95c

Luncheon Sets in 5 or 13-piece sets—round and oval shaped doilies with center-pieces—attractive colors. Limit of two to a customer.

Downstairs Store

Odd Lots of Merchandise: 50c

Infants' White Cashmere Hose.

Infants' Vests.

Infants' Gertrudes.

Infants' Gowns.

Women's Futurist Underwear.

Women's Gingham Feticosats.

Children's Bloomers.

Women's Two-Piece Breakfast Sets.

Children's Aprons.

The Downstairs Store

Blanket Swatches 2c to 25c

Salesmen's blanket and comfort samples, suitable for making children's blankets, small comforts, etc.

Downstairs Store

Government Canopies: Containing Many Yards of Fine Cable Net or Marquisette 79c Each

Each of these Government Mosquito Canopies contains enough excellent quality marquisette, in ecru and white, to make (with many small pieces remaining for other purposes):

- 2 Pairs of Ruffled Curtains, as pictured at left.
- Or 3 Pairs of Hemmed Curtains, about 1½ yards in length.
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