"Radium Glasses" Salesman Pleads **Guilty of Fraud**

Omaha Man Given Suspended Sentence When He Returns Money and Promises to Reform.

Fremont, Neb., April 6 .- (Special Telegram.)-Philip Monheit alias Paul E. Martell, pleaded guilty district court to the charge that he had defrauded Mrs. Pauline Schwab, 72, of Hooper, in a fake eyeglass deal last fall. Sentence was suspended after Mrs. Schwab was repaid every cent and the court costs and expenses of the officials were paid by the defendant.

The decision brings to an end one of the most sensational cases of fraud to appear in Dodge county for many years. Claiming that he was an oculist from Fremont, and dis-playing checks for \$1,000 each from John Sonin and A. Zlotky of this city, Monheit won the confidence of the aged Hooper woman and proceeded to bilk her of what money she had, according to charges in the complaint. He presented himself as a relative of Governor McKelvic and told a weird story as to his posses-sion of a pair of "diamond crystal glasses containing radium." The and were brought here from Ger-many by Chicago brokers. He package of saws and other jail-claimed that he had been forced to breaking implements.

Friday—

A Sale of Frocks

100 Clever New

Sample Frocks

Values so decidedly pronounced that we consider it

a real business pleasure to be able to offer these Frocks to Omaha women at this low price:

Women who in the past have attended a Haas Brothers Dress Sale will be here Friday morning to share in this event:

Sizes 16 to 40 only

We believe this is to be the

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All New High Shades

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Alterations will be complet-

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great saving in price.

Every new and desired silk

fabric is included in this wonderful lot of Frocks.

BOOND FLOOR-BROWN BLOCK

pay a huge sum for the rental of the Fusion Effort Schwab, who was suffering from

Testimony was offered to prove that he is now a practicing oculist at Omaha, where he has made his home. Promises to go straight in the future, with a complete restitution to his victim and the county, resulted in a suspended sentence. Friends and relatives raised the \$3.000 with which to satisfy Mrs.

Schwah, who was at first determined that Monheit be made to pay the legal penalty

Suspect in Fremont Robbery Is Captured

Fremont, Neb., April 6.—(Special Telegram.)—After 10 days of sleuthing. Sheriff Condit has run down and captured Leslie McLaughlin, 20, alleged accomplice to Fred Pennington, Fremont, charged with stealing \$500 in merchandise in this city, being the first progressive party, is circulating petitions in behalf of Dale \$500 in merchandise in this city, and the characterized as an evident as 55 your left arm."

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Secretary of Progressive Congressional Committee Assails Report of Petition Circulating.

Roy M. Harrop, secretary of the nes progressive party congressional committee in the Second district yesterday expressed displeasure with vinced of his discovery, "and I'll bet

man of the progressive party, is cir-culating petitions in behalf of Dale King is a Stough of Grand Island, candidate prison in A culating petitions in behalf of Dale Stough of Grand Island, candidate for state railway commissioner, who already is on the democratic ticket, I understand. I have other evidence along this line.

Opposed to Fusion. "We went to Grand Island last December to organize a new party and the members here in the Second congressional district intend to maintain the organization as a new party without any fusing. I have been told, but cannot sustantiate it, that an tempted jail break of the famous effort is being made to run Floyd L. "Duke" Craig Chesterfield, alleged Bollen of Lincoln for state treasurer forger, now in the penitentiary. At as a democratic and also as progressive.

Roy M. Harrop'is a rival candi-date for railway commissioner on the progressive ticket. Chairman Edmisten issued the folowing statement:

"Referring to interview by Roy M. Harrop of Omaha in The Omaha

dates to enter the contest for the various state offices on the progres- these inquiries generally come from sive ticket and we further state the states wherein the prices of land have state committee is not, neither has it reached such heights that opportuni-been, attempting to secure candidates uses for men of small capital to acquire who will not conform to the princi-ples advocated by the progressive these states, Illinois ranks first, with

"There is a Floyd L. Bollen, who land. is a candidate for attorney general, but is not a candidate for state treasurer, as stated by Mr. Harrop "I am trying to treat everybody on the square."

Grand Island Men Denied

Lincoln, April 6.—Application for a bank charter at Aurora, sought by Clarence J. Miles, F. W. Ashion, C. E. Grundy and Otte L. Matke, alt of Grand Island, was rejected by J. E. Hart, secretary of the department of trade and commerce, because, he said the majority of the stock was not to be owned by people living in or around Aurora. The applica-tion was filed June 20, last, and \$35. 000 stock had been paid in, accord-

ing to Mr. Hart.

The bank building of the new defunct American State Bank of Aurora, formerly directed by C. W. Wentz, had been purchased by the men, with a view of establishing an-other bank, it is said-

Prominent Lumberman

of the Northwest Dies Sioux Falls, S. D., April 6 .- John W. Tuthill, 75, widely-known north west lumberman died today.



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'3.50 to '9.50

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Fremont Shipper Nabs Escaped Iowa Convict

Fremont, Neb., April 6.—(Special Telegram.)—Wandering into the police station, Sheriff William Condit recognized James King, allas James Keller, alias James Knox, an over-night border, as an escaped convict from the state penitentiary at Anamosa, Ia. Tattoo marks of his initials, "J. L. K.," on the left forearm led to his final identification.

Vice was realled out of the com-King was called out of the com-partment and presented with his like

"Don't know him," was his sullen response to the officials.

what he characterized as an evident \$50 you've got your initials tattooed

Many Exservice Men Desire to Return to Farm

Over 100,000 Applications for Employment in Developing Land Received by Department of Interior.

Want Primary Candidates.

The progressive state committee has sought to induce candidates for all of state offices to run as candidates for the primary nomination and in the case of Mr. Stough, he came to our headquarters and wanted to run as a progressive on the ticket for the nomination of state railway commissioner.

"We again repeat that our efforts shall be to continue to get candidates to enter the proposition to legalize Sunday baseball and 366 against it, giving a majority of 22. Forty-three of the voters did not express themselves.

The attorney general has ruled that the Sunday baseball issue has carried by 22, it not being necessary to get a majority of all votes. In consequence, baseball will be played in Tecumseh on Sunday this season.

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Cambridge, Neb.—A. to go back to the farm is constantly reaching the Interior department, Secretary Fall announced yesterday, adding that more than 100,000 and 366 against it, giving a secretary fall announced yesterday, and 366 against it. Washington, April 6.—Evidence of the desire of former service men

"It is significant that the bulk of 18,600 inquiries, and applications for

Farm land prices in this state average among the highest in the union. Conditions are much the same in Indiana, Ohio, Iowa, Missouri, Kansas and Nebraska, where land hunger on the part of the war veterans is shown by 45,620 inquiries received. Of these 26,900 made application for Bank Charter for Aurora work in order to secure a home.

Blanton Denounced as "A Liar" in House

(Continued From Page One.) whisky flask and then ask the super-intendent to get him one from Philadelphia that he might parade it in Texas as an evidence of what congressmen get.

Children on Payroll. "This same creature," Garner went | ette on, "will charge you with nepotism that he might parade his own virtues in Texas and then at the same time have two of his children on the

government payroll. "I speak what is in the minds of all of us from Texas when I say that the members of the Texas delegation hang our heads in shame when Thomas Blanton is referred to as our colleague. And I speak what is in the minds of the entire democratic party. I believe it is the sentiment of every man here that we look upon him as a liability.

Disgrace to House.

"I regret that I cannot speak what is in my mind, but if I could forget the rules of this house I would say that Thomas L. Blanton is a disgrace to the house and ought to be liked out." o be kicked out."

Declaring his speech in Texas was merly had said in the house and was saying today, Blanton in his speech mentioned a number of articles, including whisky flasks and poker chips which, he said, members could get from the stationery room and charge them up against stationery. He dwelt at some length on mileage and listed the amounts paid to the members from Texas, and was proceding, when his time expired, with a statement that the wife of one member had attempted to obtain coal from the room and the wife of another had tried to get a pair of shoes repaired.

Man Sick Three Days in

Box Car in Norflok Yards Norfolk, Neb., April 6.—(Special Felegram.) — Joseph Adlum, 31, Osceola, Mo., on his way to Oklahoma from Casper, Wyo., was found sick in an isolated boxcar here by police. He said he had been in the car for three days and was brought food and water by tramps. Adlum, who is suffering from rheumatism, had to be carried to the police sta-

He was sent on to Omaha under county expense. He says his widowed mother lives at Osce-

Small Challenge to Jury Panel List Withdrawn

Waukegan, Ill., April 6.—Gover-nor Small today withdrew his chal-lenge to the jury panel called to sit in his trial and then accepted proposal by Judge Edwards that a com-mittee of three select a new jury list.

King Alexander Ill.

Belgrade, April 6.—King Alexander has been confined to his room since pesterday (Wednesday). The nature of his illness has not been giv-

Kearney Votes Bond Issues by **Small Majority**

Vote Is Light.

Kearney, Neb., April 6.—(Special.)—A startling reversal of form in supporting public improvements was noted in tabulating results of the special election held here. Citizens of the First and Second

wards gave bond issues for storm sewer and intersectional street paving a sufficient majority to carry them. Neither ward has any pav-ing. The Third ward, with miles of paved streets gave the bonds only a

slight majority, while Fourth ward voters opposed their issuance. Fifty thousand dollars in paving bonds were made available, while \$20,000 for storm sewer extension was voted, the former by 140 votes and the latter by 33 exceeding the three-fifths majority required. Less than 1.000 ballots were cast.

Sunday Baseball Wins. Tecumsels, Neb.—First decision given out following the counting of election ballots was that Sunday baseball in Tecumsels had been de-

feated by 10 votes. Later, friends of the measure claimed victory by 22 majority. Seven hundred and fifty-four votes were cast for the baseball proposition, but the total vote on the city ticket was 797.

The claim was first made that the proposition had to have a majority

Board Members Named Table Rock, Neb .- At the village lection here the following ticket was elected: Members of the village board for three years, A. R. Wopata, C. I. Norris and Dr. L. D. Harmon.

Peterson to Holdredge
One hundred and ninety votes were cast. The two members elected to the school board for three years are Ralph C. Cotton and Elmer D
Wood.

Mara, who was elected by such a large majority at the previous election, was badly defeated at this election.

Snyder Farmer Tops Cattle

Women on Election Board. Bloomfield, Neb .- Only 55 votes were polled in the city election here. Then entire citizens' ticket was elected without opposition: Mayor. H. F. Cunningham; clerk, W. H. Weber; treasurer, H. C. Dierks. J. W. Dart and J. J. McCourt were elected to the school board. Four women and he said he had another load simserved on the election board, Mrs. ilar to those brought in that he ex-

Sunday Movies Banned. Wolbach, Neb .- Paul Paulsen and C. D. McIntyre, both running by petition, defeated Mrs. A. J. Larsen and F. B. Thompson for village trustees. Sunday picture shows were

voted out by a majority of 22, while other places of amusement were, voted out by 55 majority. Women Not Interested. Fairbury, Neb .- Women of Fairoury were not interested in city pol-

ities this year. Only three attended the caucus primary and compara-tively few went to the polls to vote. Less than 500 votes were cast and less than one-third of them were by Election at Wymere.

Wymore, Neb .- B. O. Youll was re-elected mayor of Wymore by a large majority. D. K. Windle was elected clerk and Gordon O. Jones, treasurer. Ed Schwentker was elected councilman in the First ward and

One thousand and four votes were by State Starts Drive

Conservatives Win.

Superior, Neb .- A landslide result placed every candidate of the conservative party in the saddle here. William Keithly headed the list with a big majority for mayor, The conervative party had a lower tax platmayor is Frank Bossemeyer, who has served in that capacity for the last two years. Polling was almost the maximum of the voting populathe maximum of the voting populastated that a majority of owners

"Dark Horse" Elected. Kearney, Neb.-When Riverdale

voters went to the polls to elect a illage board they were asked mere to endorse the three lone candidates, F. F. Cunningham, Henry Rickman and C. A. Pratt. Apparently those voters dissatisfied with any of these three men, decided that Lou Natr would better fill the bill and they wrote in his name. When the ballots were counted, Nau was found to have forged ahead of all the others. Cunningham failed to finish. Record Vote.

Polk, Neb .- By far the largest vote on record was cast in Polk at the village election. Two hundred and forty-eight ballots were cast for village trustees and 268 for members of board of education. Village trus-tees elected were: Oscar Strand, Al-bert Peterson, R. J. Allison; mem-bers of school board, H. M. McGaf-fin and J. R. Leibec.

Loup City Election.

Loup City, Neb .- The following city officers were elected here: Mayor, E. T. Beushausen; treasurer, R. F. Campbell; clerk, John Minshull; engineer, W. H. Olsen; councilmen, First ward, T. R. Lay, Oscar Bechthold; Second ward, James Johansen; school board, E. G. Taylor and D. D. Grow.

At Litchfield the voters rejected the proposition to legalize Sunday baseball.

thirty-one votes were cast and the last census showed 1.050 population. Sunday baseball was voted down by a majority of nearly 3 to 1.

Two months ago. High school pupils paraded the streets carrying banners asking for votes, which helped put over the bonds. Pool halls were opa majority of nearly 3 to 1.

These men were elected to the council: H. E. Day, D. F. Neiswanger, H. Wiedeman and C. A.

over the bonds. Pool halls were opposed by a large majority. Ogallala has been without pool halls for four years. C. L. Countryman and C. E. Perry

The following were elected to the school board: L. C. Richardson, O. A. Simon and G. C. Chadderdon.

Davison were elected on school board: S. L. Hestbeck, Fred Peters and William McBurford were elected on the city board. A large vote

was cast, Venango Elections Close. Venango, Neb., April 6.—(Special Telegram.)—Municipal elections in elected: Members of the village board for three years, A. R. Wopata, C. I. Norris and Dr. L. D. Harmon.
J. N. Phillips was elected for the cone-year term to fill the vacancy raused by the removal of Andy Peterson to Holdredge

> Market With Yearlings Joseph Niewohner brought 13 head

Beryl Tague, Miss Angeline Funk, Mrs, C. C. Reynolds and Miss Jean-ette McQuistian.

Beryl Tague, Miss Angeline Funk, pected to bring to market in June.

"A little later in the season," sai Mr. Niewohner, "quite a lot of goo "A little later in the season," said Mr. Niewohner, "quite a lot of good steers will be brought from around Snyder to the Omaha market. We are baving pretty good luck with our pigs so far this season and gen-eral conditions on the farm seem quite satisfactory.

Beatrice Legion Post Plans

Outdoor Military Funeral Beatrice, Neb., April 6.—(Special Telegram.)—The body of Art Bitting, killed in action in France, is being brought to Beatrice for burial, The American Legion has planned a military funeral in Athletic park for next Sunday afternoon. Music will be furnished by the Beatrice munici-pal band and Lengart's orchestra.

Lone, Unmasked Bandit

Holds Up Lincoln Hotel Lincoln, April 6.-A lone, un-masked bandit walked into a hotel across the street from the Rock Island depot here at 3 this morning Sherman Taylor, sr., in the Second. W. L. Jones and James Ragan were named members of the school board. register of \$30.

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Suits in the

Lincoln. April 6.—(Special Tele-ram.)—The drive of the state on hidden, intangible property to put on the tax roll and thus relieve real property from a part of its burden resulted yesterday in listing the own-

on Intangible Taxes will put stock on tax list and collect the new intangible tax, which is 25 per cent of mill rate on tangible

Many thousand more herstofore secreted from assessors will be listed. Osborne announced. The method being pursued in unearthing such tions for a list of Nebraska stock-Desultory lists have been holders. received. This is the first large one, Osborne states.

ore Omahans.

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