

## NEW FACES AT CITY HALL

### DEMPSEY MAKES BIG CLEANING OF RESORTS

Starts Raging Squad After Vags and Take Many Wild Women

### GENERAL CLEANUP IS PREDICTED

Many Places Running Under Name of Hotels Are Victims of Raiders.—Old Ruser's Park Mentioned As Again Wide Open Joint.

"Clean them up."

That's the word passed out by Superintendent Dunn, new head of the police department of the city of Omaha, and his word quickly went into effect. When his men got on the job they found plenty to do. Dunn found something left over from his predecessor, Dean Ringer, and there was plenty left to do. The raids began with action at Twenty-fourth and Franklin, where a score of alleged violators were picked up and landed in the city bastille.

It was claimed by the followers of Mr. Ringer and those who were interested in his campaign that this was a place that formerly worked under protection from certain elements considered of considerable consequence in political affairs in Omaha. The place was quickly put out of business. Mike Dempsey, new chief of police, was on the job in true fashion, and quickly got busy when he was put in charge of the police department.

From all appearances, new police heads were not long in learning something about places that have apparently been working under what has been called "police protection." That system is to be done away with in short order, it is stated.

For many months petty larceny violators of all classes have been getting away with everything except murder, and some of them have been getting away with murder. That was the condition Superintendent Dunn found when he started on his new job. One of his first official acts was to take action that would put a stop to this sort of work.

From inside sources it is stated that there is to be a general cleanup. While the federal officials are charged with the task of handling the bootleg proposition, it is stated that from this time on the local police will have an active part in cleaning up the bootleggers, so far as the

city of Omaha is concerned.

Perhaps the most distressing part of the task has been the women, and the town was found full of bad women. They have been coming in in droves the last six months and it has been found that something like a dozen down town assignation houses, running under the name of "hotel," have been full of them. Thus far the old Millard, so long the home of prostitution and other things of that sort, has not thus far been molested, but it is stated by those who know that the clean-up will take in about everything in the way of hotels that has been getting away with this sort of stuff in recent months.

Some of the hotels that have been getting away with this stuff are the Rex, North Sixteenth; Havens, North Fifteenth street; and even the notorious bachelor resort on Thirteenth, between Douglas and Dodge streets.

Intense interest was taken in the report that Mace Amick had been taken from the Chatham, because those who read the story did not know whether Mace was a bachelor, a widow or just some ordinary sporting woman who was trying to make a livelihood in her own particular way.

At any rate, it is said, a lot of dummy artists who thought to drop into Omaha and get away with something under the new administration have come to a sad disappointment.

One of these particular places is located on West Center street. At one time it was known as Ruser's park and later was operated under the firm name Hans Voss beer joint. It has recently been taken over by a fellow named Peterson, who hails from Kansas City. This old landmark once boasted of being one of Omaha's chief amusement parks, where beer and everything that went with it were served in "any style." The park, which adjoins the place

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### FAILURE OF PROHIBITION IS THE ADMISSION ITS OLD ADVOCATES

Rev. Goshen Says More Drunkards Than Before Country Went Dry.—Drug Addicts Increase 300 Per cent.—Thousand Bootleggers Succeed 350 Saloons In Omaha.

The failure of prohibition in this country becomes more evident every day, and the fact is given emphasis by prohibitionists themselves who have investigated conditions, as they pertain to results of the Volstead act.

One of the strongest declarations on the subject has come from a Congregational minister, Rev. Elmer I. Goshen, who, in an address in Salt Lake City, declared: "Prohibition has failed to prohibit. It has filled our jails with drunkards of a worse type than were found in the wet days. It has inspired a wholesale contempt for law and increased drug addicts 300 per cent."

Rev. Goshen says the only good thing prohibition has done has been to abolish the saloon, "but it has brought about evils that are worse than the saloon which may undermine the very foundations of our country."

Of course, Rev. Goshen's conception of conditions may somewhat sidestep the real truth, but as a general proposition he is considered to be in the right by many personages who have given the matter due consideration.

In Omaha, before Nebraska went dry, there were 350 saloons in business. Since they were closed up it is estimated that nearly a thousand individuals and small business con-

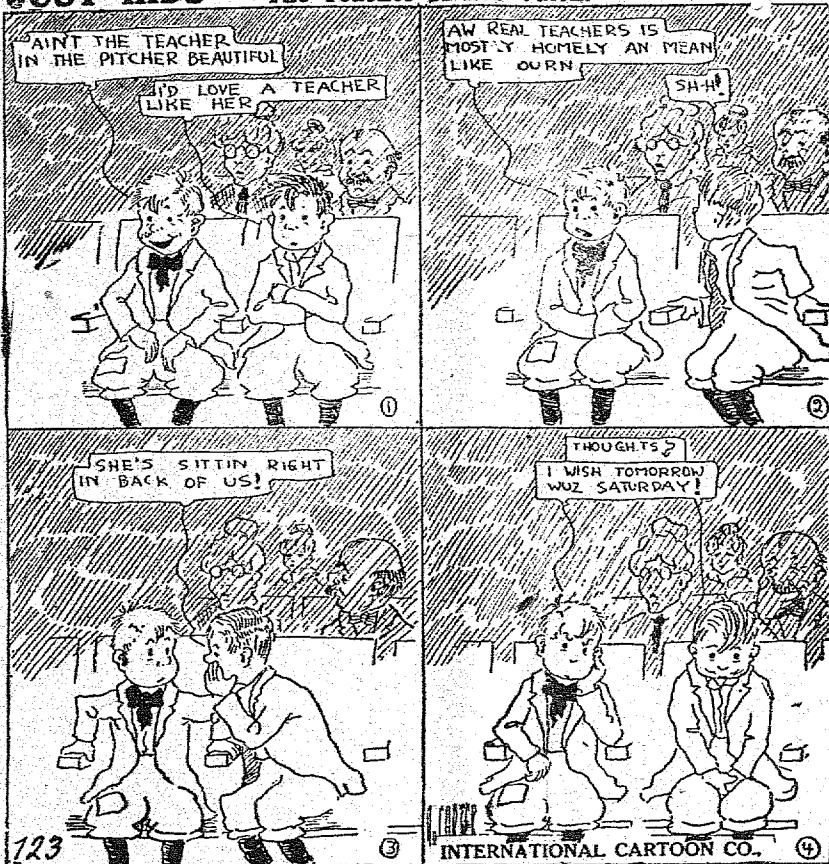
cerns have begun the sale of intoxicating liquors. These persons are protected, not by our police department and government officials, but by the thousands who are patrons. In several different parts of town as high as a dozen dealers in intoxicating liquor may be found within a single block, and they go undisturbed principally because there is a demand for their goods, and because patrons are willing to furnish the dealers protection in court or any place else.

Court rulings have relieved conditions to an extent that will make possible the sale of beer for medicinal purposes, which really lays down the bars, not for saloons, but for the manufacture and sale of beer and light wines.

There can be no doubt as to the medicinal values of alcoholic liquids under certain conditions, and the courts have taken cognizance of this condition, which means that these liquids will soon be on the market again. That fact may relieve some of the present distress. But it has been pretty conclusively proved that prohibition as a national institution, is an abject failure, despite the fact that the abandonment of the old-fashioned saloon may have the approval of a lot of our best people.

Time has conclusively proved that this great country can never be "bone dry."

### JUST KIDS—The Teacher of Red Gulch.



### Doings In Omaha Fifty Years Ago

Several soreheads, who were victims of an election, were either looking for new jobs or preparing a vacation. Some of them decided to go to Honolulu.

R. C. Hughes was a caller at The Mediator office. Hughes was all wrought up because nobody would take his money, but he found somebody to take it, just the same.

Harry Wymore slipped one across on Chris Lauritsen. Chris fell for a lot of things in his lifetime. Wymore was sporting a new hat.

Emil Larson denied the rumor that he would visit France this summer. He admitted, however, that his interest in base ball was all that kept him at home.

MEDIATOR TWO ..... Dan Brady, one of our great prohibition leaders, was taking a brief vacation. Everybody said Dan needed the rest.

"Cash or credit," said W. N. Naken. Most of the boys said Naken was the real goods.

"Doc" McArdle moved. Those who knew him best said the landlady insisted on him paying his rent.

"Shorty" Morrison continued to put out that old line but did not get far with it.

Dan Butler was the recipient of various assortments of bouquets. One friend admitted the absence of corn cobs in his donated assortment.

Jack Welch, once known as father of nine children and expert on canned meat, said he was ready to go to work again.

Dean Ringer stopped a copper on the street to tell him he had double-crossed Ringer. The ex-police commissioner declared Jim Ford was authority for the report.

Tom Dennison's home was for sale. None of his old 5000 Committee friends admitted being on the market for the property.

Doc McArdle, who was a great admirer of nature beauty, was displaying a photo of himself and a friend in their favorite pose. (Second notice.)

Bert Meuth, well known political orator, was resting up after a strenuous campaign. A lot of the boys were calling on Bert.

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### DAHLMAN LEADS THE FINE COMBINATION

City Hall Resumes Normal Condition After Three Years Outlawry

### RISING WELCOME GIVEN U. SEVEN

Biggest Event of Kind In Thirty Years.—Business Men of Omaha Feel City Is In Good Hands Again.—Big Crowd Welcomes Commissioners.

Omaha's city hall resumed a normal condition last week, after three years of outlawry, and from all indications the people of this city were mighty glad of it. They flocked to the council chamber to offer their felicitations to the new commissioners and they offered them in no uncertain manner.

For thirty years the writer has been present on occasion of these changes, but at none of them in all that time has he witnessed a demonstration similar to that seen when the United Seven were inducted into office. The affair gave indication that the people were more than satisfied to see Omaha again in the hands of men who really know something about running a metropolitan city.

James C. Dahlgren, the new mayor, who has been on vacation for three years, is again in the mayor's office, and it really looks natural to see him there. When he appeared in the council chamber to receive confirmation of his selection for mayor by his associates there was an outburst of applause that is seldom witnessed on such occasions. Every seat on the main floor and in the gallery had been filled long before the time for opening the session. When Dahlgren appeared it was a signal for an outburst of enthusiasm. Everybody cheered and everybody rose to her or his feet to make the occasion more demonstrative.

Following the new mayor's arrival other members of the new commission took seats at desks assigned to them. These desks had already been labeled with the names of the men to whom they had been assigned and the first meeting of the new body, almost informal, quickly took on "regular" form and it all seemed quite natural. The manner in which the seven men answered roll call made it look like they had been on the job half of their

lives. There was a mountain of flowers to greet the new commissioners. Every one of them was the recipient of big floral offerings, individually and otherwise. The main piece, bearing a big streamer with the words "United Seven were inducted into office," that really made the big campaign that sponsored this slate. The old council chamber was a bower of beauty, and unprejudiced witnesses of the opening session declared the beauty of the whole affair was enhanced by the faces of the new commissioners who took office on Tuesday.

Without respect to individual opinions, it may be honestly said that the new commission is satisfactory to the great rank and file of Omaha people, without respect to party affiliation. It is a combination of men working in entire harmony. Unlike the combination of men which went into office three years ago, the United Seven is composed of commissioners who may be depended upon to work in harmony every minute.

To make everything better, the new commissioners are men who really know their business. Taking men like Dahlgren, Hummel, Butler, Zimman and Dunn for instance, there are not five men in the country with the experience of these men, so far as municipal affairs are concerned. Joe Koutsky has been a live wire business man of Omaha for a decade. He says he shall run his part of the city's affairs just like he has run his own business. That in itself means he will be an absolute success. Hopkins is a youngster, with an old head. He can be depended upon to do the right thing at the right time. "I have got a lot of things to learn, but am fortunate in having some good men as teachers," he said. If anybody thinks Hopkins will

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### STILLMAN'S ATTRACTION TO ROOF GARDEN CHICKEN CAUSES TROUBLE

Wealthy Broadway Banker Falls for Chorus Girl and May Cost Him Cold Million Bucks.—Angry Wife Comes of Fighting Blod and Ready for Business.

Jim Stillman, New York millionaire, is having his own domestic troubles, and from all indications he has been putting on some high old times in New York and trying to lay the blame on his wife who is slipping it back to him fifty-fifty.

The Stillman bank, of which Stillman was president until recently, has long been considered one of New York City's biggest financial institutions. Stillman himself has been considered about the biggest thing in the financial world and is quoted as being immensely wealthy.

According to all reports this old owl tired of things at home and picked up a grass widow on Broadway, of whom he became enamored. From all reports he slept at the home of Mrs. Leeds more than he slept at his own home and did many other things quite out of keeping with polite wife worship. Meantime, Mrs. Stillman tired of it all and started trouble. The husband tried to bluff it out and went so far as to declare a boy known as a son of the Stillmans, was really the son of his wife and an Indian guide who was a servant on the Stillman country estate.

Mrs. Leeds, whose first name is Florence, was a singer and high kicker on the Century roof garden, a place often visited by Stillman. She is described as the "chicken of the Century roof," an application which indicates she was out after some of

Stillman's easy money, which she succeeded in securing in her own polite manner. There was plenty of money to go around, however, and the money business caused no trouble in the Stillman family. But, from all indications, Stillman's wish to rid himself of his wife and take on the Century roof chicken was what really caused the split. Now the lawyers are reaping their harvest.

From all indications it is going to cost Stillman a cold million bucks before he gets the business settled up. Mrs. Stillman says she wants half that much for herself, and the incidentals are expected to take another half million. Of course, the money loss will be only a drop in the bucket, but a lot of stuff is getting into print about Stillman's love affair with the roof chicken with whom it is alleged Stillman has become smitten even to desperation. Latest reports are to the effect that Mrs. Stillman will not be satisfied with a money settlement, but that she will ask the courts to send her wayward husband to jail.

The whole business is getting so good that everybody, even out in Omaha, is talking about it. Mrs. Stillman is said to have come of fighting blood and is ready to make it as warm as possible for the old man who is so crazy about chicken. Mrs. Leeds is said to be enjoying the show immensely.



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## HENRY FORD BAITING THE JEWS

Henry Ford, whose name adorns millions of automobiles, manufactured in his Michigan plant and assembled in his smaller plants all over the country, at an immense profit to Henry Ford himself, has been taking over the big job of Jew baiting. With a view to make more extensive and, perhaps, more accented propaganda against the Jews, Ford purchased what he calls the Dearborn Independent, a weekly newspaper published at Dearborn, Mich., in the interest of himself and his business. He has been mailing it out to many thousands of persons free of charge, although he says the subscription price is \$1.50 per year, or ten cents per copy.

Henry Ford has a big job on his hands. If he thinks he is going to get far with his fight on the Jews, he gives every evidence of being a better automobile manufacturer than newspaper man. It is a safe bet that the Jews will meet him more than half way in this scrap and before they get through with him they will probably own both his automobile plant and his newspaper.

In his last issue Ford's writer on the Jewish proposition takes up some of the discussions put forth by Leo N. Levi, president of the Jewish organization known as the B'nai B'rith, and attempts to tear the Jews to pieces for some of the things they stand for. For a long time Ford's "literary geniuses" have been putting out this sort of stuff, which is quite uncalled for, to say the least.

It is safe to assert that the Jews will be able to take care of themselves, despite all that Ford is doing to make them trouble. Ford himself is an accident. He came to his present prominence in the financial and manufacturing world in a manner that is of no great importance or credit to himself. The fact that he is now possessed of an immense fortune and a very large business is not due to any great accomplishment of his own, but rather to an accident that made an automobile in which he is so vitally interested an important bit of mechanism which came into great demand by the people of the country.

In other words, his success has been due to the liberality of millions of people, of whom the Jews themselves form a very large part. His attacks on the Jewish race will not have the approval of any honest woman or man whether or not that particular person likes or dislikes the Jew. It is very rotten of Henry Ford, to say the least, to use his fortune to attack a race of people whose rights in the world are no less than his own.

## THE ICE MAN IS AFTER YOU

Now comes the announcement that the ice man wants more money for his product and has raised the price from sixty to seventy cents per 100 pounds. Omaha people have become so used to being trimmed by about everybody who has something to sell that they have quit kicking. The retail merchant has been holding us up for several years and is still looking for the slightest excuse to tack on another nickle or more whenever there is a flurry in wholesale prices.

Now comes the ice man and is getting in his work on the poor devils who are forced to do business with him. As a matter of fact there is really no worthy excuse for this action. The municipal ice plant has given us some lessons in what the actual cost of manufacturing and distribution of ice really is. Truth is, when the natural ice harvest failed last winter, local dealers made no attempt to meet the emergency.

It has been shown that ice may be manufactured at a price quite in keeping with lower prices and there is absolutely no excuse for the present raise in prices. Municipal ice is selling at thirty cents per hundred pounds which, in itself, is concrete evidence of what private concerns can do. The present raise comes as the result of a combination of ice companies which deliver their product at the back door, a condition that can not for the moment, be met by the municipal plant.

This is the condition that brings about the desire of the people for state ownership of all corporations. It is what makes an argument for the socialist. Even City Commissioner Butler has learned to his gratifying satisfaction what municipal operation of a coal business means. It will not be long before the people will demand that the city go into the ice business, just as it has gone into the coal business and water business.

It is bad business for the ice concerns to raise their prices at this time and it is a safe bet that a lot of them will be out of business entirely before another two years rolls around.

## BLAIR'S APPOINTMENT CONFIRMED

Confirmation by the United States senate of David H. Blair to be internal revenue commissioner is announced, and that fact is considered of more importance to the country than such appointments are usually considered. The internal revenue commissioner is an important personage at this time, because it devolves upon him to decide the manner in which lawful alcoholic liquors are dispensed.

Our courts have decided that beer may be dispensed for medicinal purposes, under proper regulations. These regulations must be made by the internal revenue commissioner. The question of who shall be permitted to manufacture medicinal beers is an important one, and it is believed by wise heads that the commissioner can not

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play favorites. Under such conditions most anybody may manufacture medicinal beer and do it legally.

Another important matter the commissioner may decide will be how many prescriptions for liquor a physician may issue. From all indications it will be necessary to let down the bars in these matters which are considered of grave importance to the 100,000,000 people of the country.

Sacramental wines are also under consideration and the new commissioner will find awaiting him the duty of deciding how much of these wines the Christian people of the country may consume and how much alcohol may be placed in these wines. It is a very ticklish question. The commissioner himself may be a Christian.

The very persons responsible for prohibition are among those who are now making the strongest complaint against any diabolical rulings that will in any manner restrict their own use of certain alcoholic mixtures which they consider necessary to a continuation of healthful conditions.

Truth is, the prohibition leaders have about as much right to dictate what men shall drink, as they have to dictate what particular sort of religion they shall practice. It is all coming out in the wash.

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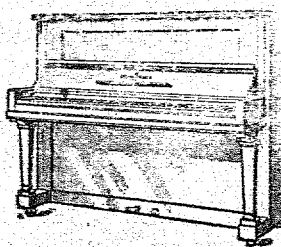
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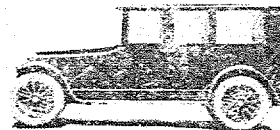
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## BUTLER AND DEAN NOYES OF DIFFERENT OPINIONS

Commissioner Dan B. Butler and Dean Noyes are divided on opinions. Dean alleges he was a supporter of the United Seven slate, while Butler intimates Noyes was doing anything else than supporting this successful seven. There has been considerable talk about the matter. The other morning Butler and Noyes met in a city hall corridor, whereupon Butler expressed himself in no uncertain manner, denying that Noyes had been a real United Seven booster.

Noyes, who has been in the city employ for a long time, was a candidate before the primaries for a place on the ticket, but did not give up his city job while campaigning for a place on the ticket. Now, it is said, he has been slated for a continuation of his city job. Butler objected and did not hesitate to tell what his objections were. At last reports it appeared doubtful whether Noyes would continue on the pay roll. His position, if continued, will be under Commissioner Koutsky.

## HUMMEL REAL JOKER OF THAT NEW BUNCH

Joe Hummel is the real "joker" of the new commission. When the new body met to organize, Hummel was the last on the list for assignment. It was a foregone conclusion that he would be park commissioner. Previous to the time his name was presented, other commissioners on roll call, had voted "pass" when their places were under consideration. Hummel, however, voted "yes" when they called the roll on the resolution to make him park commissioner.

"Seven in the affirmative, none in the negative," shouted the clerk, in announcing the result.

Joe created a handclap by casting a vote for himself. Some of the newspapers said he "forgot himself," but he did not forget himself and made a good joke out of the thing, by varying the custom of passing when his name was called on his own selection.

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not make good on everything he undertakes that person is badly mistaken.

Altogether, the new commission is composed of men who may be depended upon for good results. No radical action may be expected from them, but one thing appears very certain and that is that the work of bringing the city back to normal will not drag a minute.

Mike Dempsey will become chief of police before this is in print. Art Shields, the new secretary of that office, is already on the job. William F. Wappich is already grinding out justice in police court.

One Omaha business man, well known all over the city, had his to say: "I was not identified with the United Seven boosters. I may say, however, in truthfulness, that I am not much disappointed at the result. Every business man in Omaha knows the men now on the job at the city hall are experienced something that could not be said of most of the retiring commissioners. We have nothing to worry about. I am sure there is plenty of confidence in the seven headed by Jim Dahlman, even among those who opposed him and his six associates. For one, I want to say that he will have my support from the start and I believe every other business man in Omaha feels the same way."

Mayor Dahlman is pretty busy these days entertaining visitors, but he already is getting down to the routine with which he is so familiar, despite his three years' vacation.

## DEMPSEY MAKES BIG CLEANING OF RESORTS

was used for many purposes different from those usually presumed. Now that Peterson has taken hold of the place, it is said, there are hopes in the minds of many persons that the place will take on its old style of amusement. In fact, some persons who have visited there say they have been accommodated with about anything edible and drinkable that they cared to indulge in.

Several miniature distilleries and some that are not so miniature have been discovered in that vicinity and some fine hand-made breweries are also soon to be open again. The retail price of the real thing in beer is placed at 75c the quart bottle, with a big market for all that can be produced.

The Ruser park district is just outside the city limits and it is said

Mike Clark's stealthy and healthy force has had their eyes on the place for some time past. At any rate, promoters of old Ruser's park are very busy trying to make what they call a business place of it, and nightly and daily loads of automobile parties are said to be flocking there with the ostensible purpose of buying chicken dinners. What goes with these dinners is not printed on the bill of fare.

Pete Nelson, business graduate from Millard, is said to also be an interested party to the big doings at the old Ruser resort.

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Perhaps the "Word of Thanks" was uncalculated for but it certainly tells a world of truth.



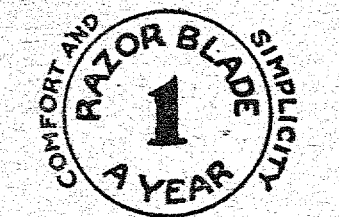
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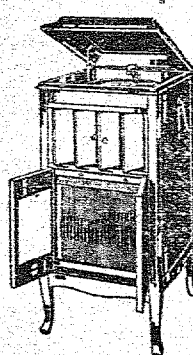
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### PSZANOWSKI MAY BECOME AUTOMOBILE LIEUTENANT

Reports have it that Jack Pszanowski may be made a police lieutenant and assigned to the work of tracing and recovering stolen automobiles. This will be an important place, if created. The business of stealing automobiles has decreased decidedly within the last few months and is expected to be still further hindered in the future, but the recovery end of this business will always continue and Pszanowski's experience with this sort of offenders makes of him a decidedly fit choice for that line of work. Before entering his present line of work he recovered a large number of stolen cars and Warden Fenton of the Nebraska penitentiary is caring for a lot of fellows who are staying with him as a result of Pszanowski's efforts, which speaks for itself. The question of creating the position referred to is still a matter of speculation, it is said.

### TOM MATTERS PROVES HE IS TRUE OLD SPORT

Thomas Matters, who for eight years fought against going to the penitentiary for wrecking a bank at Sutton Nebr., proved himself a real sport when it came to a show down and he was forced to go. Accompanied by Tate, his son, who has stood by the old man through it all, Matters went unguarded to Leavenworth and reported for duty at the federal pen. He overlooked the formality of securing his commitment papers before he left Omaha. The result was that the warden refused him admittance until the local court officials could send the papers by mail.

This has been considered a sad case. Some time ago the old man told the editor of The Mediator he was ready for the task assigned to him and that he had made all arrangements to take his medicine. Tate, the son, one of the finest boys in the country, was once a famous foot ball star, being a graduate of Nebraska university. He later became a lawyer of considerable prominence and is at present practicing in New York, where he has been very successful.

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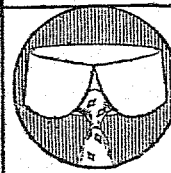
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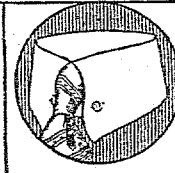
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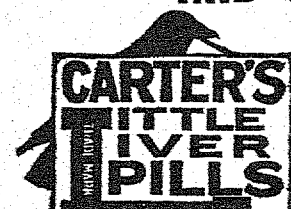
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