

five and then eight. Sharkey was having a fit about this time.

"Who are all of these you're lettin' in, Tim, I want to know?" broke in Tom.

"Oh, just seconds," Tim said.

"Seconds, huh?" said Tom. "Who's goin' to fight here tonight, the North and South?"

RELIEF FOR "STRAP HANGERS" AS BUSES START

"Straphangers" of the North Side will sigh with relief when the Chicago Motor Bus Co. starts bus service from Sheridan road and Devon av. to loop on ten-minute schedules from 6 a. m. until 1:30 a. m.

Plans of the new concern contemplate a dedication of the service at noon with former Gov. Edward F. Dunne, Mayor Thompson and Lincoln Park and South Park commissioners participating, at offices of Lincoln Park commissioners, Clark and Center.

Buses will operate on Sheridan road from Devon av. to Diversey blvd., through Lincoln park to the Lake Shore drive to North av., over Lake Shore drive to Lincoln parkway, west on Ontario to Rush, south on Rush to Michigan and Randolph, west on Randolph to LaSalle, south to Adams, east on Adams to State, north to Randolph and back north over same route.

It had been expected 50 buses would be put in operation when the service started, but the freight terminal congestion delayed delivery of machines. They will be put into operation as they are received.

SOME EXPENSIVE SUIT!

Until Wm. Deneau pays for his latest suit of clothes he won't have to pay any alimony. The suit will cost him \$550.

The reason is, Deneau told Judge Thomson, that he is a diver and he can't make any money until he gets a new diving suit. He owes his wife \$200 alimony.

PLANS FOR SUNDAY BARN ARE WITHDRAWN FOR PRESENT

Plans for the big wooden tabernacle in the Cubs' park, where Billy Sunday was scheduled to save souls with the danger of a fire and panic hanging over the heads of his listeners, were withdrawn yesterday from the city council building committee by the association of church folk who first presented them to the council.

Ald. Pretzel, chairman of the committee, said that the scheme was withdrawn until plans for a structure more nearly fireproof can be drawn. This is believed to be the last attempt the Billy Sunday enthusiasts will make to get thousands of Chicagoans in an inflammable building of the type erected in other cities for the revival.

The council was asked to pass an order directing the building commissioner to allow the erection of the building after he had refused a permit on the grounds that it was unsafe to crowd thousands of people into a building which might so easily catch fire.

The order, disguised so completely that only a few aldermen recognized it, was stopped, however, before passage and was sent to the building committee for a hearing. Rather than try this, the church people decided to improve their plans and conform to the fire laws in their attempt to save the souls of Chicago's poor workmen.

POLICE SEEK HOTEL ROBBER

A hotel burglar who hid in a closet in the room of Mrs. Harry Powell in the Arlington hotel, 839 N. Dearborn, last night, beat her, tied her up and threw her under the bed. Then he set out to ransack the room when Mr. Powell knocked on the door. He escaped by way of the fire escape, which the police think he used to enter the room.

When Mr. Powell and hotel employes broke down the door they found Mrs. Powell unconscious.