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**CUT HIGH HEDGES**

Bill in Senate to Reduce Grade Crossing Accidents.  
Senator Nixon Would Protect Auto Joy Riders.

**RAILWAY LINES ARE WILLING**

Companies Would Cut Hedges If Owners Are Induced.  
Five-Foot Limit at Distance of Eight Rods.

"An act for the protection of joy-riders" would be the proper title to a bill introduced in the senate today by Senator Nixon of Sumner county. The bill, as a matter of fact, has a good deal of merit. It provides that at all railway crossings in Kansas where a hedge fence approaches the crossing the fence must be kept cut down to not more than five feet high for a distance of eight rods from the highway.

There have been a considerable number of grade crossing accidents in Kansas in the last few years, due chiefly to the fact that the drivers of horses and of motor cars and in a few cases of pedestrians being unable to see an approaching train because of high hedge fences. Keeping the hedge fences trimmed down it would be possible to see several hundred yards up and down a railroad track from a highway, sufficient to give a driver of any vehicle a chance to stop before reaching the tracks.

Until a short time ago the railroads themselves made no effort to keep the hedges trimmed along their rights of way or to keep the weeds down. In recent years the railroads have tried to dodge as many damage suits as possible and avoid injuring and killing and killing people and some of the roads now see to it that the hedges are trimmed. If the railroads had the authority to force it they are willing, in many instances to do the work of keeping the hedges trimmed if the land owners would let them. But some owners of hedge fences will not permit the fence to be trimmed, the railroads can't force it and the hedges stand as a menace to every passerby.

The Nixon bill simply provides that all hedges must be kept trimmed back eight rods from the highway or the right of way of the company. The hedge may be only five feet high. It does not delegate to any one the authority to do it but requires that the trimming must be done. The railroads will welcome the bill and most of the roads will see to it that the law is obeyed as they will do the trimming or force the land owners to obey the law and do the work themselves.

**JUSTICE, NOT CHARITY**

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selves. Nearly all are willing to work for adequate reward. We have a number of cripples in our employ and they are making good. We have a great many who have been in prison and who are castoffs from society. Every one of them is making a good showing and is gaining in self respect and strength of character."

**Profit Sharing Plan.**  
Ford explained at length the profit sharing plan. His firm pays wages fifteen per cent above those paid by other plants, he said, and in addition, employees eligible—and the majority of them are—participate in the profit sharing plan. The working day is eight hours instead of nine as formerly, and no one receives less than 45 cents a day for his labor. Careful records are kept of every employee and his work is carefully watched.

"Our first purpose in establishing this plan," Ford said, "was to give justice to our co-workers, without whom we could have accomplished nothing. We had had great success and in fact we desired no greater success from the financial point of view. So we put this plan into effect. We do not regard it as in any sense a gift or a charity but only due reward for service. No man is influenced to change his way of living, or his habits in order to qualify under the profit sharing plan."

"Yet, whereas, at the start 60 per cent of the men participated in the plan, today nearly every man past 22 years of age employed by us is benefited by it. The increased efficiency of the men is from 15 to 20 per cent with reference to work produced. This, too, in the face of a reduction of the working day by one hour. Daily absences from work have decreased from 10 per cent of the working force to three-tenths of one per cent."

**Hearts Treated Free.**  
Dr. Franklin Miles, the Great Specialist, Sends a New and Remarkable Treatment, Free, as a Trial.  
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**WHAT THE STRAPHANGER HEARD.**

It was about 8 o'clock Thursday evening—during the rush hour—a crowded North Topeka car, equipped with the customary flat wheel, weathered its way toward Garfield park. At Fourth street a middle aged woman with numerous bundles in her arms crowded her way into the car. Eyer's seat was taken. A young man, mid states of a parent wonder from occupants of the car, gave the woman his seat. "That man," confided a passenger to his seatmate, "is evidently a stranger in the city."

**FIGHT IN THE MUD**

**Germans Make Fierce Night Attack on the Allies.**  
Three Desperate Assaults Repulsed by the British.  
London, Jan. 22.—A fierce night attack in the region of Visny, in which the Germans repeatedly stormed the allied trenches but were finally beaten back and forced to give ground for 900 yards, is reported in dispatches from Amsterdam today.

Leaping out of their trenches, the Germans advanced over ground that had been converted into a quagmire by rain and snow, and succeeded in reaching the wire entanglements before the allied trenches. British infantrymen met the attack and repulsed three desperate assaults by the Germans. Then an advance was ordered and at daybreak the British, fighting their way through the mud and frequently resorting to the bayonet, captured rows of German trenches for more than half a mile. The Germans lost 260 in killed and wounded and 117 were taken prisoners, the dispatches stated. The English losses are reported to have been comparatively light.

The Amsterdam dispatches coupled with unofficial reports from Paris, Berlin and Berne, indicate that the Germans are endeavoring to resume the offensive operation all along the battle line except in the vicinity of Rheims. Amsterdam also reports that violent German attacks are being made near Lens and Arras, but that in the last 24 hours they have been repulsed, though losses on both sides are heavy.

**PONTEE WINS SHOOT.**  
Rifle Club Members Hold an Elimination Contest Thursday Night.  
The Topeka Rifle club held an elimination shoot at the regular range practice Thursday night. Pontee won by eliminating Trimmer in the third set. Scores were as follows:

First Set.	
Mason	218 vs. Harris
Pontee	266 vs. Bell
Springstead	228 vs. Rogers
Trimmer	228 vs. Howard
Second Set.	
Pontee	226 vs. Mason
Trimmer	228 vs. Springstead
Third Set.	
Pontee	215 vs. Trimmer

**LEADER IN THE NAVY CIRCLE AT CAPITAL**



Mrs. George Barnett, wife of the commandant of the U. S. marine corps, is one of the leading hostesses in the navy circle at Washington this winter. Her dinners, dances and luncheons are among the most brilliant social affairs of the capital.

**FEAR OF DISEASE**

Foot and Mouth Trouble Reported in Topeka Home.  
Albert Burel, 328 Lake St., Said To Be Under Suspicion.

**TEAM DIED OF DREAD PLAGUE**

City Officers Have No Record of Dead Horses, 'Tis Said.  
Something Has Been Overlooked in Sanitary Condition.

Albert Burel, a teamster living at 328 Lake street, is suspected of having foot and mouth disease. Aaron Green, a sanitary policeman, reported the matter to the sanitary department today. In his report the sanitary officer said that a team belonging to the man had recently died and that the neighbors believed the animals were victims of the foot and mouth plague. Burel's face is badly swollen, his mouth is sore and one jaw is enlarged. The neighbors fear that the man has contracted the dread disease from his team. The case was also reported to Dr. J. C. McGill, by a woman who had started to enter the Burel house, but had been warned away. Dr. McGill made an investigation. He said: "I do not believe it is foot and mouth disease because I do not believe it is possible for human beings to have that disease. I found the man's mouth in bad condition, about the worst I ever saw—but I believe he has an infection from bad teeth. I was called to see him three weeks ago. Frankly, I was not able to make up my mind then just what was wrong with him, but believed then and still believe that his trouble is due to bad teeth and the condition in which he and the family are living."

Although he had heard about the two horses dying, the city physician made no investigation as to what caused their deaths. All the veterinarians in the city, who are listed in the telephone directory, were asked whether they had been called to care for any horses belonging to Burel. None was located who knew anything about them. The Burton Hill Deseccating company, which gathered up animals dying in the city, have records showing that two horses were taken from Burel. But there is nothing to indicate what caused their deaths.

"I do not remember whether the animals were dead when our men went after them, or whether our men killed them and I know of no way of finding out what was the matter with them," said Burton Hill. Dr. Leslie Rowles, city milk inspector, says he is quite sure there is no foot and mouth disease in the state of Kansas, but he did not let his opinion prevent his making an investigation. If there is foot and mouth disease in Topeka, he intends to know it. Dr. McGill turned the case over to Dr. C. G. Lull, county health officer, holding that as Burel's disease is not contagious, but that the family is in destitute circumstances, it is a matter for the county to care for. He took the precaution, however, of notifying the state board of health that the case has been reported as foot and mouth disease.

Human beings sometimes contract foot and mouth disease, according to reports published by the United States government, but with adults it is not of a serious nature, and so trivial that a physician is rarely necessary. It is more severe, however, with children.

**BAN ON WITNESSES.**

Representative Clark Would Try Civil and Criminal Cases Without Them.  
Witnesses in civil and criminal cases will be separated during the trial of a case if a bill in C. e. house today by Representative Clark should become a law. The bill provides for the exclusion of witnesses from the courtroom during trial of a case. Except on order of the trial judge, witnesses in a case are now permitted to listen to the testimony of other persons summoned to testify in a legal proceeding. Clark would abandon the old practice by excluding witnesses from the courtroom while not on the witness stand.

**NEW ROTARY FEATURE**

Topeka Rotarians at Midwinter Luncheon Thursday.  
The Topeka Rotary club will indulge in a Midwinter luncheon next Thursday noon at the big C. T. Hotel on East Eighth avenue. The Rumford Baking Powder representative will furnish a cook and there will be many good things to eat provided by the establishment that are making a specialty of the Midwinter exposition in the Auditorium.

The local delegates to the division Rotary meeting at Wichita, January 12 and 13, W. C. Carswell and J. M. Brunt, will report. There will be a Rotary talk by one of the members yet to be named. The meeting will be more or less of a business nature.

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Count fifty! Your cold in head or catarrh disappears. Your clogged nostrils will open, the air passages of your head will clear and you can breathe freely. No more snuffling, hawking, mucous discharge, dryness or headache; no struggling for breath at night.  
Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist and apply a little of U. S. fragrant antiseptic cream in your nostrils. It penetrates through every air passage of the head, soothing and healing the swollen or inflamed mucous membrane, giving you instant relief. Head colds and catarrh yield like magic. Don't stay stuffed-up and miserable. Relief is sure—Adv.



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- Fancy Solid Cabbage, lb. . . . . 15c
- 4 lbs. New Evaporated Peaches, 25c
- Fancy Blue Grass Seed, lb. . . . . 12c
- Fancy Minnesota Barabank Potatoes, lb. . . . . 75c
- Large Fine Navel Oranges, 100 lbs., doz. . . . . 18c
- 4 pkgs. 10c Macaroni or Spaghetti . . . . . 27c
- Jonathan's Eating Apples, small but fine, pk. . . . . 25c
- Gar Pine Brand, 3 for 10c—40 and 60
- 20c Can Ripe Olives . . . . . 15c
- New Pecan Nuts, one lb. . . . . 50c
- English Walnut Meats, lb. . . . . 50c
- Finest Kraut Made, 3 lbs. . . . . 10c
- New Keg Sausage, extra fine, 30c
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