

BOWSER STRIKES IT.

Huckleberry Wine to Make Him a Millionaire.

There was a beaming, balmy smile on Mr. Bowser's face as he came home from the office the other evening, and as Mrs. Bowser met him at the door he put his arm around her and called her "old girl" and said he had been thinking of her all the afternoon.

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"But he didn't come over from France especially to see you, did he?" asked Mrs. Bowser.

"Certainly. He came straight to the office from the steamer. He came to see Bowser first of all. He would have waited all day for me to come in."

"Over three hundred million dollars, my dear. Two-thirds of them are made of grapes, but the other one-third of something else. The profit on them is enormous. There is no earthly reason why French wines can't be made right here in our own city."

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WANTS AND MISCELLANEOUS ADVERTISEMENTS

WANTED—SITUATIONS. AN up to date traveling salesman desires light work temporarily at small salary. Address T. N. care Journal.

WANTED—Position by a hustler for outside work, where the services of a good rig will be thrown in for a reasonable consideration. Address 191, care Journal.

WANTED—For U. S. army, able bodied unmarried men between ages of 21 and 35; citizens of U. S.; of good character; temperate habits; who speak, read and write English. For information apply to recruiting officer, 523 Kansas ave., Topeka, Kan., or 723 Main st., Kansas City, Mo.

Petro & Woodford, prescription druggists. W. S. Massey was in town today from Grantville. Dick Hastings of Grantville was in town today. W. E. Scotton spent today at his farm in Menoken.

E. Hutchinson was in town today from Silver Lake. George Stephens of Emmett was a North Topeka visitor today. Fouch's hardware store, is crowded with customers because prices are low.

Mr. Hobson and family have moved to 1202 Monroe street, the property lately vacated by Mr. Brammell and family. There will be union services at three o'clock Sunday afternoon at the Keefer hall, Quinton Heights. All are welcome.

Mr. George B. Camp and son, Bert, of 1014 Van Buren street, will leave Monday for Council Bluffs, Iowa, and Omaha, Neb., to visit relatives. All members of Amity 231, K. of P., are requested to meet with Topeka lodge at 1202 Monroe street, the property lately vacated by Mr. Brammell and family.

Miss Grace Herring will leave Monday for Cheyenne, Wyo., where she will be the guest of Mrs. Claude Doane. From there she will go to Denver to be the guest of relatives.

Mrs. H. C. Bowen of 1619 Quincy street who has been very ill with sciatica is much improved and Wednesday was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Frank Perry, at her home west of town. Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Pratt drove to Rossville today to be the guests over Sunday of Mr. Pratt's brother, Dr. Pratt and family. During their absence Mrs. Pratt's mother, Mrs. Ekkel, will stay with the Pratt children.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Banker of Los Angeles, Cal., who have been visiting friends in North Topeka and Menoken left today for their home. They will stop en route at Oakley, Kansas, and Colorado Springs and Denver, Colo. Mr. Mont Palmer, who has been the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Palmer, of 1312 Topeka avenue, will be in Topeka this week. Next week Mr. Palmer will go to Atchison where his marriage to Miss Sulu Levitt will be celebrated on Wednesday, July 24. The wedding trip will include a visit to New York and other eastern points.

Miss Pansy Antrim, Miss Beatrice Antrim, Miss Janet Churchman, Miss Caroline Churchman, Miss Jetty Mussen, Miss Minnie Furrow, Miss W. W. Withers and Miss Miriam Withers composed a party who took their supper at Garfield park last evening and later attended the lecture by Richmond P. Hobson.

A dispatch from Clay Center under date of July 19 says: "The Rev. Stanton Olinger of Great Bend, Kansas, has been called to the pastorate of the Presbyterian church of this city, succeeding Dr. Jarvis. Rev. Mr. Olinger is one of the most promising young ministers of Kansas."

Rev. Mr. Olinger in question is a brother of E. E. Olinger of North Topeka and a son of Mrs. Olinger of block 400 Buchanan street south.

A few of the members of Mrs. Ira Williams' Sunday school class of the Baptist church gave her a very pleasant surprise at her home Friday afternoon. After playing games, singing and speaking, light refreshments were served. The girls were assisted by Miss Albright. Those present were Misses Grace Frantz, Lillian Bean, Josephine Hitchcock, Daisy Thillinghast, Helen Chipman, Lola Williams, Bernice York, Hazel Palmer, May Rodgers and Elma Olson. A very enjoyable time was had by all.

Harriman Buys a House. New York, July 20.—Edward H. Harriman has bought the home of the late Heber H. Bishop, at 881 Fifth avenue, paying for it about \$700,000. After certain alterations have been completed the financier is expected to occupy the house. Mr. Harriman's latest purchase is one of the largest houses in the Fifth avenue section.

WANTED—MALE HELP. LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE WANTED. A large income assured to anyone who will act as our representative after learning our business thoroughly by mail. Experience unnecessary. All we require is honesty, ambition and willingness to learn a lucrative, no collision, no commission traveling. An exceptional opportunity for those who desire to better their conditions and make more money. For full particulars address either office National Sales Agency, 1215, 1216, 1217, Commercial Bldg., Chicago, or 725B, Maryland Bldg., Washington, D. C.

CAPITAL EMPLOYMENT AGENCY. Established in Topeka the past 17 years, employs men and women in all lines. R. shops, bridge carpenters, concrete men, etc. day, carpenters \$3.50 day, farm hands \$2.50 month, farm couples, hotel porter, house man, dishwashers, arm waiter, barn men, hotel help, yard man, solicitors, men cooks, pan washers, newsboys, 15 years old, man and wife cooks for New Mexico, dairy hands, iron molders, laborers. 811 Kansas ave. Phone 622.

WANTED—Bright man to travel this territory. Experience not necessary. Expenses advanced and fair salary to start. McBrady & Co., Chicago.

WANTED—Detectives, shrewd, reliable man for profitable secret service, to act under cover, no commission necessary. Write H. C. Webster, Indianapolis, Ind.

WANTED—Good colored porter for out of town, \$40 month, board and room. Capital Employment Agency, 811 Kansas ave.

WANTED—Everywhere, hustlers to tack signs, distribute circulars, samples, etc.; no canvassing. Address National Distributing Bureau, 100 Oakland Bank Building, Chicago, Illinois.

WANTED—Neat 15 year old boy for news stand; must have the best references. Cap. Employment Agency, 811 Kan. ave.

WANTED—3 men in chipping room at Topeka Foundry Co at once. Steady job.

WANTED—FEMALE HELP. WANTED—Experienced milliners & sales women. Add. Miller, care Journal.

WANTED—Lady cashier for store; must be experienced. Add. Miller, care Journal.

WANTED—Hand washer and starcher at 702 Jackson st.

WANTED—A neat girl at the Boys' Industrial school. Apply in person to the superintendent.

WANTED—A good respectable girl for general house work, easy place in suburb; reference required and given. Call Ind. phone 1331-2 rings.

WANTED—Woman bread baker at once. 121 W. 4th st.

CAPITAL EMPLOYMENT AGENCY. Established in Topeka the past 17 years, has places for women cooks, 100 waitress and lunch counter women, experienced or inexperienced, \$2 to \$4 month, 20 house girls, hotel maids, man and wife cooks, kitchen help, couple for New Mexico, 15 years old, man and wife train for eating houses, \$30 month, laundry help, \$11 Kansas ave. Phone 622.

WANTED—Dining room girl and chambermaid. Midland hotel.

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE. HOW COMFORTABLE A MODERN HOME IN WESTLAWN IS, IN ALL SORTS OF WEATHER. IN THE WINTER THE HEAVY CONSTRUCTION, THE HEATING ARRANGEMENTS AND THE DOUBLE FLOORS ENSURE WARMTH.

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FOR RENT—4 room modern house, in excellent condition. \$25 Huntton, E. Inquire Shawnee grocery.

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FOR SALE—Fresh young milk cow. T. D. Strong, 1 mile south Tecumseh. Bell phone 372-5 rings.

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE. WESTERFIELD & Co., Central National Bank Bldg. Both phones 1350.

4 room new cottage, porches, pantry, closets, cellar, cistern, near car, on paved street. \$1,350.

1 1/2 lots, shade, fruit, nice corner, 1733 Clay st. \$200.

12 lots between 14th and 15th on Fillmore st. \$75.

15 acres with orchard, 4 miles out, \$125. 12 acres best of smooth alfalfa land, 4 miles. A snap, \$800.

20 acres, good buildings, abundance water, orchard, small fruit, all in garden truck, level, rich land, 4 miles. \$2,000.

35 acres, good buildings, best of soil, 5 miles out, wood road. A bargain.

230 WEST STREET, NEW, MODERN THROUGHOUT, 8 ROOMS, DECORATED, BASEMENT WITH LAUNDRY, EVERY CONVENIENCE. PRICE, \$4,500.

924 WEST ST., ALMOST AS LARGE, JUST AS MODERN, \$4,300.

907 LINCOLN, 8 ROOMS, NOW JUST BEING COMPLETED, ABSOLUTELY MODERN, LOCATED EAST FRONT IN WESTLAWN, BEAUTIFUL DECORATIONS, GREATEST BARGAIN ON WEST SIDE, \$4,100.

123 HARRISON, NEW HOME, EIGHT ROOMS, ALL MODERN, ONE OF TOPEKA'S MOST VALUED LOCATIONS. PRICE \$3,600.

631 CLAY, GREATEST LARGE HOME BARGAIN IN TOPEKA, 9 ROOMS, LARGE GROUNDS, FURNACE, BATH, AND ALL CONVENIENCES. 3 ROOMS IN BASEMENT. WANT AN OFFER IN A HURRY, DON'T BE AFRAID TO MAKE ONE.

617 WEST STREET, HANDSOME 5 ROOMED COTTAGE, 1/2 LOTS, GAS, SEWER, WATER, ETC. PRICE \$1,750.

Look at that lot and a half at 625 Morris avenue, east front, fruit, fine location. Want to trade it for small house equity somewhere.

Also little home, fine location, North Topeka; rents \$800. Will trade for lots. THE STRAUSS AGENCY, 107 E. 7th.

FOR EXCHANGE. 1 lot and 2 story stone business building in Topeka. \$5,000; mortgage \$3,500. Want land or merchandise.

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BUY COAL NOW.

Freight Rates Are Cut to Encourage Summer Purchases.

New York, July 20.—To stimulate the purchase and shipment of coal during the summer months, when the greatest number of tons are available, the interstate commerce commission at the request of the Union Pacific railroad and the Oregon Short Line has especially authorized a reduction of 25 cents a ton on coal shipped to Washington, Idaho and Nevada between July 19 and September 1.

For the last two months officials of the Harriman lines have been endeavoring to induce western coal dealers to make their shipments this summer in order to avoid a recurrence of last winter's fuel scarcity. The difficulty then in supplying coal to the west states grew largely out of shortage of equipment and partly from the fact that orders were delayed until weather conditions made freight movement slow and difficult.

The Union Pacific therefore took the unusual step of applying to the interstate commerce commission to be allowed to make a reduction in its rate in order to get the co-operation of dealers in shipping fuel now when the lines are in good shape to handle it promptly.

Will Wed Minnie Palmer Again. New York, July 20.—John H. Rogers, who is known from the lakes of Maine to the orange groves of California as "Yours Merrily," has arrived home from England on the Deutschland, and the first announcement he made was that a reconciliation had taken place between himself and his former wife, Miss Minnie Palmer, an actress, who has long been in London. "Miss Palmer has decided to settle up her business in London and come here to remain permanently," said Mr. Rogers, who added that he expected to be remarried to Miss Palmer.

Meet me at the Chautauqua.

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