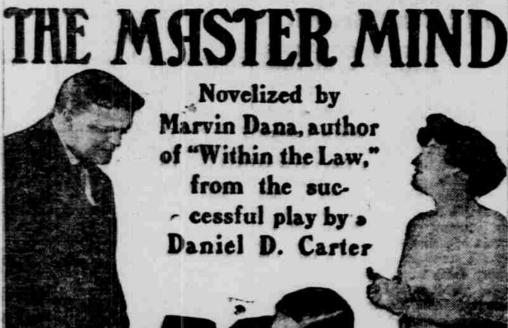
MONDAY, JULY 26, 1915.



CHAPTER IX. The Advent of Creegan.

ALTER sought the library immediately after dinner, to rious personal concerns of his own. He found, indeed, that his moods were fickle to such an extent that he hardly knew from hour to hour whether he were glad or wretched. Always, at the back of his thought, there was the haunting dread of the detectives that sought his trail.

On account of them he was grateful for this refuge. But, on the other hand, he experienced a growing alarm over this intimate relation with Wainwright, the renowned foe of criminals such as he. There was something monstrous to Walter in the fact that he. the thief, was here posing openly, if not holdly, as the brother-in-law of the most effective district attorney New York had ever possessed, whose popularity thus secured bade fair now to make the man the chief executive of the state. This association with Wainwright kept the youth in a constant tremor of appreliension lest the worst befall. He expostulated in vain with Andrew, who treated him and his arguments with a galling contempt. His offset to the disdain of the Master lay

Copyright, 1913. by the M. K. Fly company. relief he felt in learning that this was probably another of his tyrant's con- it to the box, which he carefully locked trivances rather than a pursuer on his and replaced in the drawer before anown trail. "Who is the guy?" he asked, as Parker disappeared after the smoke and to brood over va- low spoken command from his employer.

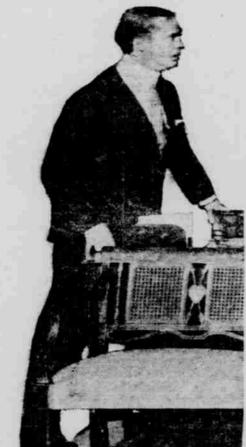
Andrew regarded the young man with wintery eyes, through narrow lids

"That," be said gently, but with an inflection that was convincing, "is one question too many." Then, he turned bey? slowly, and went out of the room, unmindful of the scowling thief, who cringed helpless under his domination. Andrew, after leaving the library, ascended directly to his own room at the top of the house and there found

the caller whom Parker had just guided thither. "My eye!" the semewhat rough appearing individual remarked amiably,

as the Master Mind entered. "This is that?" some swell joint, hey?" "Mr. Wainwright will be pleased

with your commendation, sir," An-



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you a sign." Andrew set the fingers of his right hand to the familiar symbol of protection against the evil eye. The heavy face of the visitor relaxed instantly, and he breathed a sigh of re- 1

"So you're the guy!" he growled. "I'm the man, yes," Andrew corrected

Creegan went close and spoke in a whisper, his face lighted now with a glow of avarice.

"Listen!" he said rapidly. "The boss said this was a pipe, that there'd be ten thousand in the haul for mer and even if I was pinched they wouldn't io anything to me. That gets my nanay. Say, is it on the level?" "It is."

"Just the same." Creegan insisted violently, "you got to show me. I tell you I ain't a bit stuck on it. Yep, you got to show me. If it's such a pipe why did you send all the way to Chicago for me when New York's full of smooth propositions just askin' for the chance?"

Andrew made no answer in words, but went to his bureau, from which he took out a japanned tin box, which he unlocked with a key from his ring. He brought forth a photograph, which he passed to the curious Creegan. A single glance sufficed the man. He

stared at Andrew in stark amazement. "Well, I'll be --- !" he gasped. "Maggie-Maggie Flint!" He regarded the photograph again, astounded. "Say." he demanded curtiy, looking up again, "how did that come here?" Andrew put forth his hand, possessed

himself of the photograph and restored swering; then at last he turned to the impatiently waiting Creegan, whose thick lips were twitching from nervous excitement.

"Now suppose," he said evenly, "for example, that you planned to steal "I shall put out my light tonight prob-

some valuable jewels you have heard ably about 2 o'clock." spoken of?" "Yes, yes!" Creegan agreed, hastily. Creegan's eyes grew furtive. "I got all that. But about her, now "Like the Wainwright sparklers,

"And let us suppose further." Andrew continued imperturbably, "that you were apprehended in the act." The supposition appeared to disconcert Creegan, if one might judge by leave the room. "Till 2 o'clock," he

the thick furrows in his forehead and said. the savage tightening of his Hps. "Say, you," he grunted. "Just you parade the kind of talk I know. Get

"Suppose you get pinched, collared," Andrew amended tranquily. "And. furthermore, let us suppose that the

owner of the jewels was of an old and honorable family and at this particular time a nominee for high office. Now, 🕂 inventory all this week except 🕂 do you think he would risk scandal by 🕂 Saturday, July 31st. prosecuting you if it so chanced that you recognized in his wife some one

you had known in very different cr-

cumstances, some one named, let us

A stience fell. in which Andrew stood

immobile, impassive, regarding his new

tool with a calm yet piercing scrutiny.

and Creegan rested agape, his widened

to digest the bewildering fact that the

have gone to the bad licketty split; but

say, Maggie Flint?"

his head incredulously.

wright!"

know the lady?"

Local News

From Friday's Daily.

George H. Meisinger was among those visiting in this city today for a few hours, attending to some matters of business with the merchants.

William Wohlfarth, one of the worthy farmers of the vicinity of Mynard, was in the city today for a few nard, was in the city today for a few hours looking after some matters of Express company, running out of following real estate to-wit:

Creek were here last evening for a children on the ill-fated Eastland, few hours looking after some matters which sank Saturday afternoon at the of business, having motored over from entrance of the Chicago river. Mr.

of business.

Adam B. Fornoff, who has recently their loved ones. All day and night become the owner of a fine new Buick the rescue work was carried on and car, was in the city today with his the bodies of the drowned passengers family, getting used to the manage- filled every vacant room in the vicinity of the tragedy. Sentiment was ment of the machine. very high in Chicago, Mr. Streight

Mrs. F. E. Hawkenberry and sisstates, in regard to the Eastland beter, Miss Florence Balser, were among ing allowed to act as an excursion the passengers this morning for Omaha, where they will visit for a few hours, looking after some matters of business.

Carl Halter, wife and little son fiance of this fact. At the time Monte were among those going to Omaha left Chicago the estimate of the dead this morning, where they will visit and missing ranged from 1,500 to for the day in that city with friends, 2,000, as well as in looking after some mat-

ters of business.

Joseph Wheeler was among those Do you think there's a chance of her going to Omaha this afternoon, where "A true lover should never be dishe will visit for a few hours, looking couraged." cause the cryptic reply. As after some business matters, and also September 21, about 40 head of pure he spoke. Andrew opened the door, visiting with Jack Lee at the hos- bred Duroc-Jersey hogs, including

pital in that city. Mrs. L. H. Peterson and son, Edgar, City, Neb., where they will visit with (sired by Echo Brimson Wonder, Andrew Peterson and family and see Grand Champion Nebraska State Fair the new son who has just arrived at 1914).

the Peterson home.

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Mrs. W. A. Ingalls, accompanied by her guest, Mrs. Charles Krimbach, of This store will be closed for 🕂 Shelby, Neb., were passengers this morning for Omaha, where they will join Senator Krumbach, who is in the metropolis attending the Sangerfest.

GRAPHIC DESCRIPTION OF CHICAGO'S GREAT-

EST CATASTROPHE

Monte Streight, who is employed as House, Plattsmouth, Cass County, Ne-braska, to the highest bidder for cash

home, going to Union on the fiyer this the great tragedy that has plunged afternoon. John Gauer and J. F. Wolf of Cedar death of hundreds of men, women and reght (58): north hait of lots eleven (11) and twelve (12), in block one hundred offy-nine (145), and lots ten (10), eleven (11) and tweive (12), in block fifty-sis (56), all in the City of Platismouth; also all of lots three (2) their home. Mrs. J. E. Wiles and Miss Eliza-beth Spangler were among the visit-ors in Omeka, televante of the sinking of the boat of the clip of the street of the sinking of the boat the street of the street of the sinking of the boat the street of th

Said sale will remain open for one

of foreclosing a Tax Sale Certificate is-ued by the County Treasurer of Case County, Nebraska, to one A. L. Tidd, on sale of lots 8, 9, 16, 11 and 12, in block 172. Plattsmouth, Nebraska, at public tax sale on November 6th, 1911, for de-

Plaintiff claims a lien against said lots by virtue of said Tax Sale Certifi-cate in the sum of \$16.14, with interest at 15 per cent per annum from Novem-ber 6th, 1911, and the further num of years 1911, 1912, 1913 and 1914, with interest thereon at 15 per cent per an-num from June 10th, 1915, and attor-ney's fees of 10 per cent of amount found due plaintiff, and prays that same be decreed a first lien on said premises and that said defendants be screelosed of all right, title and in-terest in and to said premises and said

terest in and to said premises and said premises be ordered sold and out of the proceeds of such saie that plaintiff be paid the amount decreed to be due her on said then with costs of suit. You are required to answer said petition on or before the 25d day of August, 1915, or the allegations con-tained in said petition will be taken said true and decree tendered as proved and decree rendered as prayed for therein.

NOTICE OF SALE.

In Re-Guardianship of Norman E. Dickson, Minor. To All Persons Interested.

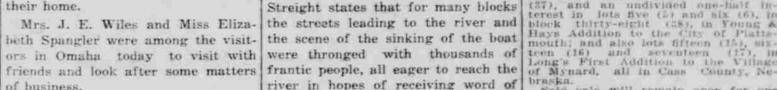
You are hereby notified that under and by virtue of a license issued on July 6, 1915, by Honorable James T. Begley, Judge of the District Court, of the County of Cass, Nebraska, the un-

In the District Court of the County of Cass, Nebraska.

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of resigned guardian will, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., on the 20 day of August, A. D. 1915, soll at public sale at the south front door of the Court

business. George P. Barton of Union was here for a few hours this afternoon while en route from Omaha to his home going to Union on the fiver this



river in hopes of receiving word of

Fuiled this 6th day of July, A. D.

E. J. RICHEY, Guardian of Norman E. Dickson,

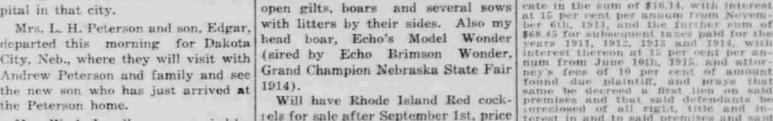
Minor. W. A. ROBERTSON, Attorney 7~12-2wks

LEGAL NOTICE. In the District Court of Cass County, Nebraska.

years ago at Cleveland and forced off of the Lake Erie service and was then brought to Chicago and used in de-

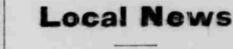
Lynch, Deceased: You will take notice that on July 8th, 1915. the plainliff berein, Alice Wells, filed her petition in the District Court of Case County, Nebraska, against you and others for the purpose

I will sell at Public Sale, Tuesday, laintiff.



Will have Rhode Island Red cockels for sale after September 1st, price \$1, 00 a head. W. B. FORTER.

Advance Notice of Public Sale,



boat, as it had been condemned two

Alice Wells, Plaintiff,

inquent tax, costs and charges against and lots for the year 1910, which Certificate has been assigned to

in the patent admiration accorded him by Helen Wainwright, the great man's Eister, who, to be sure, was merely a schoolgirl of sixteen, on her vacation, yet the heiress to a tidy fortune and remarkably pretty, if not especially burdened with brains. With something of her brother's nower of idealization. though with a less worthy subject, she was able to see in Walter excellence enough to make him the hero of her first foolish maidenly dreaming. On his part, Walter, drawn by her

flainty face and demure manner, was inclined to think that he might make himself a safe position in the world and secure a satisfactory living without work by marrying this bread and butter miss. Unfortunately, however, he soon found that the carrying out of his design was beset with difficulties, for somehow latterly it seemed that he was never to see Hilen for a moment alone, much less given opportunity for an elopement even were the proliminary arrangements made.

As he medicated now, it was clear to him that he must appeal directly to Lucene for aid in the execution of his purpose. Under this necessity he was irritated by the fact that already, under Andrew's compulsion, he had set himself before his putative sister in a remarkably bad light. He had been forced to pretend financial distress to her and beg her to help him in saving him from exposure and disgrace. Naturally, to save the possibility of baring the whole hateful truth to her hushand, Mrs. Wainwright had yielded to his demands and supplied him repeatedly with money without her husband's knowledge. The fact increased her self contempt. But Walter's sole con-

cero in the matter was dissatisfaction over the effect these transactions must have in making her hostile to himself and so an obstacle, not a help, in his sir' plan to possess Helen.

"Some class to him." the caller de Walter scowled as he reflected on clared, with much respect, if little adthe fact that this financial intriguing miration. "Married and nominated that instead you were here for a meetwith Lucene was altogether an annoyance to him since even the money in-That's going some, believe me!" He volved did not remain with him, but nodded toward the window, and there amazement. Then, swiftly, the light of was invariably turned over to Andrew by that taskmaster's orders. "Devil- his voice when next he spoke. "Say, ish poor pickings. I call it!" was the 'bo, what's that big building off across thief's unspoken comment, with a there on the hill? Ain't no jail 'round sucer. Anyhow, he decided he must here, as ever I heard."

make the effort to enlist Lucene's as-"No. sir," Andrew said. "That is the sistance in his wooing of Helen. With Powhattan Asylum For the Insane, unthis resolve he looked up to behold der the direction of the celebrated Dr. Parker in the doorway. Forbes." Abruptly a change came into

"A gentleman to see you, sir," was the manner of his address, and he the safe was set. the announcement. spoke to the stockily built man facing

Walter was astonished and slarmed. him with an incisive directness that for he knew of no acquaintance likely caused the sharpened features of his erations, I have only to make a sugto be within miles of this neighbor- listener to express a new, suspicious gestion. This room of mine, as you else, and we trust that in the exhead and certainly none sware of his alertness. "You are from Chicago, identity as Walter Blount. But be- sir?" fore he could determine an answer to "What's that to you?" the fellow

the waiting servant Andrew himself snarled, his small eyes lowering. appeared. "Pardon me, sir," he said in tones "Your name is Creegan." he said

of the utmost respect; "but perhaps coldly. "You were sent here by Mr. you had better leave the matter to me. Whitcomb." I think I know the man's business. It "Well, now, Mr. Know-it-all." was

sir." He gave a low order to Parker. maybe I wasn't. What's the answer?" "Oh, all right, if you say so." Wel-"You were to inquire for Walter

ter returned, grumpily, concealing the Blount, but another person was to give answer, with a noncommittal smile. Signature of that M. Hutches,

Andrew wasted not time.

out of evil years fell from him. had darn poor pickin's. Maggie had.

"Who is the guy?"

drew answered, with a manner of ha bitual servility.

"Say, don't you get fresh, old geethe visitor exclaimed angrily. time, I got foolish over that kid myzer "And, anyhow, why am I tucked up self. I'd just about made up my mind here in the attic. What's the game. to marry her when she was caught eh?" He stood for a moment, blink- with the goods and sent to stir. Never ing thoughtfully at the butler of the household, and a sudden recollection her to steal. I tried to find her when assailed him. "Wainwright's just got | she come out, but there wa'n't nothin' married-what?"

doin'. And I was dippy over her. Gee!" "Yes, sir," Andrew replied, still in his he concluded sheepishly. "Can you see assumed character. "Mr. Wainwright | me bein' dippy over a skirt?" was married about six months ago. Andrew then said:

"And, if you should be caught, for a further defense you might perhaps say that robbery was not your intent, but for governor all in the same month. | ing with the lady-at her request." Once again Creegan gaped sheer eves.

> "I'm wise, 'bo-I'm wise!" he chuckled, with a villainous smirk, "Now, where do they keep the sparklers?" Forthwith Andrew entered into a de-

tailed explanation concerning the plan mour, the breeder of these famous to the library. In an alcove of which this city. The little pony is the of the late Dr. E. M. Butler, which Burlington train for Omaha to look "And now," he concluded, "as to the

time tonight when you should start opperceive, is situated in the cupola of ercise in the open air with the little the house, with windows on each side, horse Robert may find health and In its way it's a sort of beacon at pleasure.

night. The lodgekeeper says that when I put out my light he is sure that every one else in the house is sleeping." "I got ye, Steve-I got ye!" Creegan

declared. Then, in another moment, he spoke with a half shamed eageris really not of the least importance, the insolent retort, "maybe I was, and | ness: "Say, she didn't send for me. did she?"

Always bears "That is a leading question." was the

FALTER & THIEROLF.



"That's a leading question."

and motioned that his visitor should

(To Be Continued.)

NOTICE.

skippin' out with me? What?"

eyes fast on the other, striving dumbly Don't Wait for the Fatal Stages of Kidney Illness-Profit by Platts-

girl with whom he had wandered fondmouth People's Experiences. ly in the streets of Chicago years hefore was become in very truth the mis-Occasional attacks of backache, irtress of this mansion. At last he shook regular urination, headaches and dizzy spells are frequent symptoms of kid-"No," he muttered. "it can't be Magney disorders. It's an error to neglect

gie-the wife of that swell guy, Wainthese ills. The attacks may pass off for a time, but generally return with "But it is!" Andrew retorted sharpgreater intensity. Don't delay a minly, and the words carried conviction. ute. Begin taking Doan's Kidney "Gee! Maggie!" he mumbled confusedly. "Well, I'm a son of a gun!" Pills, and keep up their use until the "I am to understand, then," the Masdesired results are obtained. Good ter Mind suggested suavely, "that you

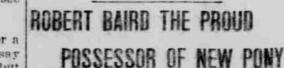
Creegan's dull face lightened instantremedy. ly. Something of the bestiality bred Louis Krochler, proprietor hardware "Do I? Why, I knew her from 'way

back. Guess she come from pretty good stock, though her old man was down and out when I knew 'em. She languid feeling all the time and head- visit. Any other skirt with her looks would

aches were common. I got Doan's got a job after her father died as nurse Drug Store and they soon relieved Wyoming, and will continue on to Las girl. Kept straighter'n a string all the me.'

imply ask for a kidney remedy-get section. Doan's Kidney Pills-the same that Mr. Kroehler had. Foster-Milburn could see why she did it. It wa'n't like Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

Paints and Oils. Gering & Co.



For Infants and Children

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From Saturday's Dafty T. W. Vallery and daughter were

among the visitors in the city today, here Saturday visiting and looking afcoming in to lok after some trading ter some business matters. with the merchants. Lee Allison drove up Saturday from

Will Propst was a passenger this his farm home and spent a few hours afternoon for Council Bluffs to visit here looking after some business for a few hours in that city looking matters. fter some business matters. C. L. Creamer and wife were in

Dr. G. H. Gilmore of Murray was from their farm home Saturday lookhere today for a few hours attending ing after some matters of business a meeting of the county board of in- and calling on their friends. sanity which was held this morning. Mrs. Isaac King of Superior, Neb.,

Charles Creamer and wife, from who has been here enjoying a visit outh of the city, were here today for with relatives and friends, returned a few hours looking after some mat- yesterday morning to her home. ters of business with the merchants. August Nolting came in this morn- Murray were among those driving in work in Plattsmouth proves the ef- ing from his farm home, west of this Saturday for a few hours, looking fectiveness of this great kidney city, to spend a few hours looking af- after some matters of business.

ter some trading with the merchants. Henry Heebner, the Cedar Creek was among those going to Omaha this store, Elm street, Plattsmouth, says: elevator manager, was here this aft- morning, where he will visit for the In the County County of the County of "I had pains in my back and I was ernoon for a few hours looking after day, attending the circus in that city. In Re-Estate of Ernest Huebner, so lame that I couldn't stoop. My some business matters, while en route kidneys were weak. I had a tired, to Murray on a short over Sunday visitors in the city Saturday for a

few hours looking after some trading C. E. McEntee departed this mornwith the merchants and visiting with not her! Worked in factories and then Kidney Pills from Gering & Co.'s ing on a business trip to Cheyenne, friends,

> Animas, Colorado and points in Texas Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't to look after some matters in that visit for a short time with her mother,

Mrs. Z. T. Brown and family, as well P. A. Hild, one of the leading young as her many friends. farmers of Mt. Pleasant precinct, was in today for a few hours looking af- Mrs. Ben Land and children, were ter some matters of business and call- passengers this morning on the early ing on his friends. Burlington train for Omaha, where

Ray Frans was in the city today for they will visit for the day.

a few hours, en route from his home at Union for a trip to California and Miss Ellen, of Beaver City, Neb., who the Pacific coast, which he expects to have been here visiting for a few cover several weeks.

John Lohnes, sr., C. E. Lohnes and son, departed this morning for their

Robert Baird, the young son of Mr. W. H. Lohnes and son, Raymond, home. and Mrs. William Baird, is about the came in this morning from their home Albert Schafer and wife and chilwas a noticeable apprehensiveness in understanding twinkled in his little happiest boy in the city at the pres- near Cedar Creek to spend a few dren came in this morning and were ent time and all over the fact that hours looking after some trading passengers on the early Burlington

he is the proud possessor of a fine with the merchants. new Shetland pony that his father Dr. T. S. Livingston, Dr. E. W. for the day, attending the circus, secured for him from William Gil-Cook and District Clerk James Rob-James Loughridge of Murray came ertson were in Weeping Water yes- up this morning from his home and of the house, with particular reference animals, at his farm home south of terday in attendance at the funeral was a passenger on the afternoon

source of never ending joy to Robert was held in that place. and he finds in it a pleasure and re-

Miss Alma Speck, who has been creation that he would find in nothing enjoying a vacation from her duties State of Ohlo, City of Toledo, Lucas County, 55, Frank J. Cheney makes onth that he is senice partner of the linn of F. J. Cheney & Co., do ing business in the City of Toledo, County and that said firm will pay at the telephone office by visiting at Hopkins, Missouri, with her sister, Mrs. John Ewing and family, has re-turned home after a most delightful sect and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure trip. CASTORIA

Mrs. John Cory, accompanied by per granddaughter, Florence Schultz, departed this afternoon for Pender, In Use For Over 30 Years N. P. Schultz accompanied them as far as Omaha.

+ rom Monday's Daily. B. F. Good of near Murray was

James McCullough and wife of near

Jesse Brown of Eight Mile Grove

Mrs. Louis Trimpe came down

Mrs. R. W. Long and daughter,

Mrs. Alice Cameron and daughter.

days at the home of Mrs. George Ma-

from Omaha yesterday morning to

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Bids will be received at the office of he County Clerk in Plattsmouth, No raska, up till noon on Saturday. Aug ast 7, 1915, for building all wood and steel bridges, concrete arch and box culverts and other concrete work, such as wings and abutments, for the year 1915.

Also for the construction of one. 4-fts4-ft concrete box cuivert on Eock Bluffs road about two and one-half miles south of Plattsmouth.

Plans and specifications now on file in the office of the County Clerk at Platismouth, Nebraska. Separate bids may be filed for bridge work and for concrete arch and box

ulvert work. All bids to be spened on Tuesday.

ingust 19th, 1915, at 10 o'clock a.m. reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

A certified check of \$500.00 must ac-FRANK J. LIREESHAL.

County Clerk. 7-12-4wks

NOTICE.

To All Persons Interested. P. H. Meisinger was among the

(Sen1)

You are hereby notified that on July 6, 1915, Minna Huebner filed a petition in this Court alleging the death testate of Ernest Huebner, a remident and inhabitant of this County, on June 16. 1915, and requesting that an instru-ment presented as the last will and testament of said deceased, by which he has devised and bequeathed all of his property to his widow, be admitted to probate and R. C. Wenzel be ap-pointed as administrator C. T. A. In the place of George Reiter, jr., nomin-ated as executor thereof.

A hearing will be had on said peti-ion at the office of the County Judge. Court House, Plattsmouth, Came Coun-ty, Nebraska, on the 2nd day of Aug-ust, A. D. 1815, at nine o clock a. m. before which hour all objections thereany, must be filed.

By the Court. ALLEN J. REESON.

W. A. ROBERTSON, Attorney. 7-8-2wks

For Sale.

1914 Bull Tractor, in good condition, \$250.00. O. A. Davis, Murray, 7-12-4tw

-White Diamond -

DEHORNING PENCIL

-FOR SALE BY-

Plattsmouth Cycle. Co.-

FRANK J. CHENEY. orn to before me and subscribed in my A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

Neb., for a visit there at the Ed Brantner home for a short time. Mrs. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and Breather in the system. Send for testimonials, S5.00 for any calf it fails to dehorm. * F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

Sold by all Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipution

Sworn to

after snme matters of business.

