

BILL BOARD NUISANCE.

A recent happening in St. Louis serves to call attention to what is rapidly becoming a great public nuisance. Less than a year ago the city of St. Louis was stricken with a tornado, and in addition to the immense loss of life the property damage ran into the millions. Ever since that destructive storm citizens of St. Louis have naturally been nervous and easily frightened by storms. A few days since, the advance agent of a theatrical attraction called "The Tornado" caused to be distributed all over St. Louis posters bearing the black flag of the signal service bureau and announcing that "Another tornado is coming." As a result there was a panic in the schools and many nervous citizens were badly frightened. The police were ordered to tear down the offending posters and those who put them up will be prosecuted.

While the bill board is an effective way of advertising it is a fact that it is becoming a public nuisance in many ways. Pictures that are positively lewd and indecent, are spread out upon the bill boards, and the result is a bad effect upon public morality. So great has become this evil that many cities have passed ordinances regulating the posting of posters and bills, and while ultra-liberals may denounce the action as interference with personal liberty the moral elements of the city are in sympathy with the movement. From an artistic standpoint the changes in the theatrical posters has been along the lines of advancement, but it is also true that from a moral standpoint the change has been for the worse. The moral drift of the poster is still downward and public policy demands that there be a betterment. — Omaha World-Herald.

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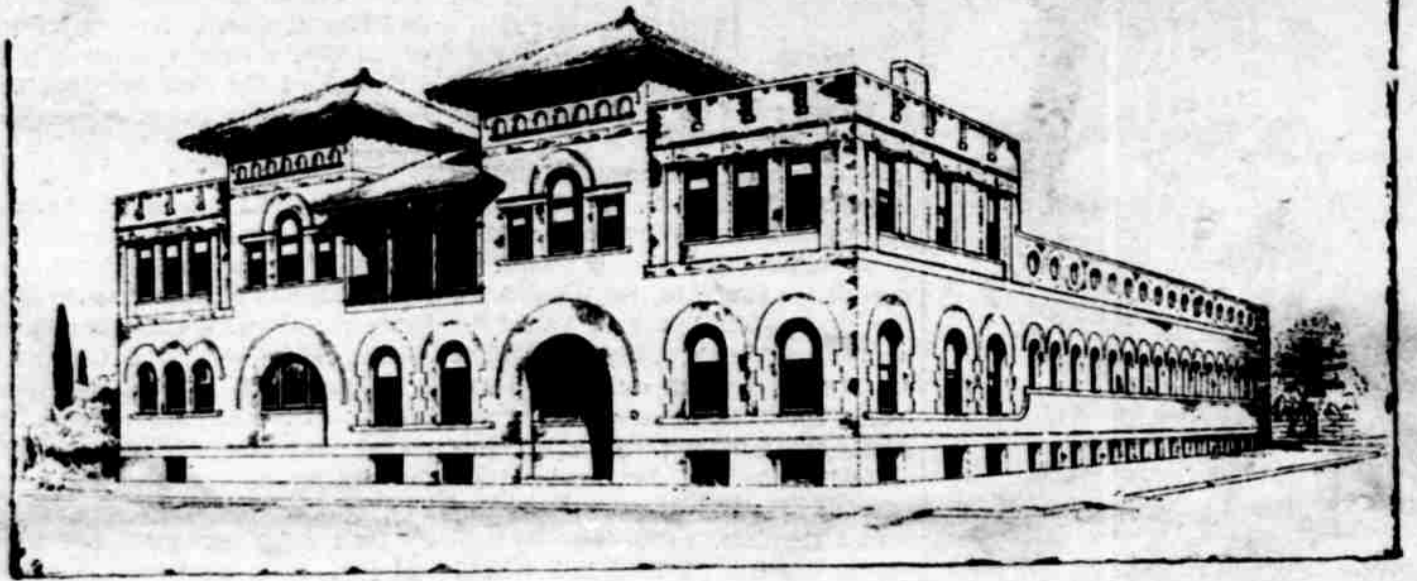
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To A. W. Mentzer, first real name unknown, James Porter, Lebanon Savings Bank, a corporation, Samuel Maxwell, Charles E. Maxwell and Edward Maxwell, partners doing business as S. A. Maxwell & Company, John M. Sharon, Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance company, a corporation, Mary S. Jacobs, Nancy L. Sargent, and J. M. Watson, first real name unknown, and Jane D. Dowdall, non resident defendants:

You and each of you are hereby notified that on March 3rd, 1897, Ruth S. Yates, as plaintiff, began an action against you and other defendants in the district court of Lancaster county, Nebraska, the object of which is to foreclose a certain mortgage on the following land in said county, to wit: Lot 1 in block 23 in Kinney's O street addition to the city of Lincoln, made by Carlos C. Burr and Mary E. Burr, dated September, 27th, 1889, to secure the payment of a promissory note of said Carlos C. Burr to said Ruth S. Yates for \$1,000

on which there is now due \$1141.46 with interest from January 1st, 1895, at ten per cent per annum pursuant to coupons; also a mortgage on lot 2 in block 23 in Kinney's O street addition to the city of Lincoln, made by Carlos C. Burr and Mary E. Burr, dated September 27th, 1889, to secure the payment of a promissory note of said Carlos C. Burr to said Ruth S. Yates, for \$1,000, on which there is now due \$1137.52 with interest from January, 1st, 1895, at ten per cent per annum, pursuant to coupons.

Plaintiff prays for decree of foreclosure and sale of said land to satisfy said liens as aforesaid, for deficiency judgment and general relief.

You are required to answer plaintiff's petition on or before the 19th day of April, 1897.

RUTH S. YATES, plaintiff,
By S. L. GEISTHARDT, Attorney.

SHERIFF'S SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT by virtue of an order of sale issued by the clerk of the district court of the Third Judicial district of Nebraska, within and for Lancaster county, in an action wherein Lewis Reed is plaintiff and Robert M. Kirkham et al defendants. I will at 2 o'clock p. m. on the 13th day of April, A. D. 1897, at the east door of the court house, in the city of Lincoln, Lancaster county, Nebraska, offer for sale at public auction the following described lands and tenements to wit:

Lot nine (9), in block two (2), in Muir's addition to J. O. Young's east Lincoln, in Lancaster county, Nebraska.

Given under my hand this 11th day of March, A. D., 1897.

John J. Trompen,
3-13 Sheriff.

SHERIFF SALE

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an order of sale issued by the clerk of the district court of the Third judicial district of Nebraska, within and for Lancaster county, in an action wherein George E. Bradford is plaintiff and Catherine S. Bowman et al. defendant, I will, at 2 o'clock p. m., on the 13th day of April, A. D. 1897, at the east door of the court house, in the city of Lincoln, Lancaster county, Nebraska, offer for sale at public auction the following described lands and tenements to wit:

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