Mr. Jack Couldn't Resist the Temptation

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REAL ESTATE,

PUBLIC AUCTION

SLX FINE LOTS IN SOUTH DUNDER SATURDAY AFTERNOON, APRIL 11
AT 2:30 O'CLOCK.
These lots are all on high ground, ready for building, and two blocks from car. A good investment. Terms can be arranged if you can't pay all cash. E.900 building restrictions.
Take West Leavenworth car to 22d St. and walk two blocks north.
S. ARION LEWIS,
DOWD AUCTION CO.

Bemis Park Cottage Look at 1812 N. 32d St., a dandy 5room cottage, nearly new, on Harney
car line, facing east on paved street;
paving all paid for. House is all modern except furnace, and rooms are extra
large, House is in fine shape. This is
one of the best bargains we have listed
this year and it will pay you well to take
the car and go out and look it over.
Price \$2,350; \$200 cash, balance monthly
like rent.

Payne & Slater Co. \$200

Must Go Want an offer: 3422 N. 20th St.; 7 rooms, new, modern, oak finish, choice location; easy terms.

D. V. Sholes Co. 912 City Nat. Bank Bidg. Douglas 49.

3 HOMES-18TH AND LAKE Corner, paving paid, all good condition, for, 7r, and 8r.; all mod. ex. heaf; \$3,250 mortreage, can run 4 years, 6 per cent.

Large HOME and COTTAGE
North of Leavenworth on 26th St.; paving paid; close-in corner; 8-r.; has hot water heat; cottage in good order; \$3,500, runs 4 years, 6 per cent.

Non-resident will make terms, but must Non-resident will make terms, but must sell one of these groups. Ask us for in O'KEEFE REAL ESTATE CO., 1016 Omaha Nat'l. Doug. 2715.

PUBLIC AUCTION. WEST FARNAM HOME. To be sold to the highest bidder, Monday, April 13, at 2 p. m. sharp. D. M. Newman's beautiful home located at 4202 Dodge St., to be sold upder the hammer. Newman's beautiful home located at 43% Dodge St. to be sold under the hammer. This beautiful home consists of seven large rooms, reception hall and bath. hot water heat, modern in every particular, and one of Omaha best homes, large lot, beautiful lawn, paved street, on car line, screens and storm sash for the entire house, oak floors, extra large porch, and a home to be proud of.

This beautiful home will be sold with no restrictions, on above date, to the highest bidder. Terms 100 cash, balance easy payments. This is a great opportunity. Do not fall to attend the sale. Take Dundes car. D. M. Newman, owner. Dowd Auction Co., Auctioneers.

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A Big Bargain A good 5-room, thoroughly mod, house on Parker St. near Military Ave. Oak floors. Fine lot. Only 16 block to car. Owner must sell before May 1. Price only 33.559. only 25,550.

A splendid 5-roum, thoroughly modern house on Meredith Ave. near 25th. Has a fine vapor system of heating. Only \$500 required to handle deal.

E. W. Stoltenberg 436 Board of Trade Bldg. Douglas 1510

Greatest Bargain

Offered in Gmaha: 2708 Binney; 8-room house and three large lots; room to build two more houses Paved street, city water, sewer and gas all in; new houses going up on every side. Owner wants \$2,000; might take less. Come in and make your offer.

Payne & Slater Co 616 Omaha National Bank. On corner lot in Bemis Park, 8-room

office 2464 Harney St.

HOUSE and lot; jot 33x140 feet; 7 rooms, modern throughout, well built for a home, \$5,300. Webster 5226. FOR SALE-One of the original 160 lots at Carter Lake Club, \$700. Includes life

membership free, water, sewer, electric light, no taxes. A. C. Hartman, Omaha Film Exchange. OHN W ROBRINS 1808 PARNAM ST

MERCHANDISE stocks wanted. Fried-man, 350 Om. Nat. Pk. Bldg., Omaha. MUST sell, 6-room modern home near 18th and Laird, 34,000, \$1,000 cash. Phone D. rooms, all modern, large lot Must sell, \$8,900; \$1,500 cash. Web

REAL ENTATE. PARM & HANCH LANDS FOR SALB California.

LAND in the South San Josquin Irri-gation district at low prices, both im-proved and unimproved for prices that are astonishingly low. If you are looking for good land and low prices and bonest dealings. Write to a man that has farmed all his life and knows land when he sees it. My prices and booklet on California land. Pagery. it My prices and booklet on California land, FREE, ANDREW KERN, ES-CALON, CAL.

Illinois. FOR SALE—Choice Illinois Imp. farms, issar Chicago, bargains all of them; 200 acres, \$110; 255 acres, \$150; 50 acres, \$150; 50

REAL ESTATE.
FARM & RANCH LANDS FOR SALE.

THE MILLE LACS REGION IS THE very heart of agricultural Minnesota; level, ferior ciay joam lands, two hours ride from minneapolis, at his per acre are too cheap to last long. Secure your land before prices go up. Call or write for map and full information about our state and university land running 20 years at 4 per cent. Dally land excursions. Experience field men to show you around. Now is the time to get over the ground. A. E. Johnson Co., 300 1st Ave., S. Minneapolis.

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in Northern Minnesota; no residence or
improvements necessary; file and preve
up the same day; send us als and we will
send you full information how to get one
of these claims, plats showing the land
to be got, etc. Act at once, as the opportunity to get one of these claims is open
for a short time only. Minnesota Homestead Co., Crookston, Minn.

WE ARE offering thousands of acres
of choice and well improved lands in the
Red River Valley, northeastern and southct atern Minnesota; also cut over lands, at
retail and wholesale prices. Prices and
terms reasonable. Write us for lists
Active agents wanted in Jowa, Illinois
and Nebraska. Stewart Land Co., 465
New York Life Bidg., Minneapolts, Minn.

FARMS for sale: 25 down, \$5 monthly buys 40 acres good timber land near town, Texas county, Mo.: price, \$200; perfect title. J. B. Jarrell, Mt. Vernon, Ill.

\$200 FOUND 330-acre nomestead in settled neighborhood; fine farm land; not sand hills; cost you \$200, filing fees and all. J. A. Tracy, Kimball. Neb. 3715 ACRES Lincoln county, Nebraska, along Birdwood creek; price. 16 per acre. Must sell at once. Nordquist & Storek, 322 Neville Blk.

> OREGON. OREGON.
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> Ontario is the very center of the greatest development in eastern Oregon. It has greater railroad facilities than any other. It has abundance of the best water for light, power and irrigation. Every other section is a demonstration farm. Lands sold on one-tenth down and

TI MILES SOUTH OF HOUSTON in the valley of the San Bernard and Caney Creek. We are selling the most fertile lands on the gulf coast of Texas. Chir lands do not overflow. Come buy a home while land is cheap. For further information call or write J. P. Salles, sweeney, Brazoria county, Texas. FIGS net \$300 to \$400 acre on low priced land near Houston; get 10 acres or more; land near Houston; get 10 acres or more, casy terms; also grow grapes, barries, pecaus, early potatoes and vegetables, Land very fertile. Pienty of rainfall. Splendidly located, Address P 332, Bee.

Upper Wisconsin

Best dairy and general crop state in the union Settlers wasted. Lands for sale at low pricas on easy terms. Ask for booklet 34, on Wisconsin Central Land Grant. State acres wanted. Write about our graxing lands. If interested in fruit lendes ask for booklet on apple orchards in Wisconsin Address Land Dept., Soo Line Ry., Minneapolts, Minn.

250-ACRE, Burnett county, Wisconsin, farm; good soil; house, new barn 40x50,

farm; good soil; house, new barn 40x50, silo and other buildings; fine spring stream runs through land; on mail route and telephone; about 55 acres under cultivation; can practically all be farmed; good soil; price, \$7,000; \$3,500 cash, balance can stand five or ten years, 6 per cent; fine stock farm.

fine stock farm. Wisconsin.

OFFICIAL publication concerning soil, climate and crops of Wisconsin mailed free to those addressing Wisconsin State Board of Immigration, Capitol 1000, Madi-son, Wis. DOUGLAS COUNTY, WISCONSIN.

loses no crops for lack of moisture or from too much. No floods, no drouths. Best clay loam land in the state at reas-onable prices, direct from the largest land owners to the purchaser. Farmers' Land & Cattle company, Ltd., Globe Bldg., St. Paul, Minn.—o.

FOR SALE OR EACHANGE-R. E. 220 ACRES; fine buildings; 150 acres under plow; nice level land; black loam soil; grove and orchard; well and engine; a miles from town and 1 mile from school; \$100 per acre; \$1,000 cash down and \$2,000 Nov. 1, 1914; will carry back \$11,500 at 6 per cent; clear property for the balance. Morehart-Atchison Land Co., Mankato, Minn.

5-PASSENGER Buick for Omaha va-VARIETY store, with soda fountain, just new; good location; population, 1,000; reasons for selling must take up claim. Address Y 405. Bee.—o
CHOICE Eiknorn valley farms for sale or trade. Address R. E. Duyali, Neblish, Neb.

FOR EXCHANGE-360 acres tand, Hayes county, Nebraska, for stock general merchandles, hardware or small residence property and cash. Box 528, Fails City, Neb.

WANTED TO BUY. Wanted—To Buy sed bank and office fixtures and furni-

ture; full particulars first letter. John Lewis & Co. Lock Box 138. Sloux City, Ia.

SODA fountain and fixtures for candy kitchen, confectionery, etc.; might take partner. Address Box \$12, Lincoln, Neb. WANT to buy light hows to feed. State size and price. Lock Box 65, Onawa, Is

Swappers' Column

HAVE 116 ACRES OF BEST FRUIT and vegetable land adjoining town in East Texas; will trade for some good, clear land in eastern Nebraska or lowa, or cash. Address S. C. 908, Bee.

I HAVE A B FLAT CORNET, LE Fevre" make; original value, \$76. Will trade for Underwood or Royal typewriter. Addrass S. C. 614. Bee. Address S. C. 614, Bee.
SINGLE DRIVING RIG WANTED; exchange 160-acre good land, 115 per acre.
cash value; take rig as first payment,
bulance terms. Address S C. 611, Bee. WANT GROCERY BUSINESS-TRADE good house and a clear lot. Price \$3,700, equity \$2,900. Even deal, Address S. C. 591, Omaha Bee.

SOUTH OMAHA LOT-NEAR TRACKage. East front, worth \$500, 3 blocks to
car, 3 blocks to school, lays fine. Trade
light auto or diamond ring or sell cheap.
Address S. C. \$50, Omaha Bee.

PRACTICALLY NEW L. C. SMITH
visible typewriter; cost, \$100. Has every
modern improvement. Leaving city. Must
sell or trade for half original cost. Address S. C. \$31, Bee. \$8,000 CLEAR MDSE STOCK IN Omaha. consisting of dry goods, notions, hats, gloves, shoes, etc. Fixtures, \$800 only. Want clear Omaha property or clear land. Will assume if some cash paid. Good location. Cash business. S. C. 570, Bes. GOING AWAY, TRADE REMINGTON visible typewriter, almost new, for diamond or article can use. Address S. C. Mi, Bee.

dress S. C. 531, Bee.

HAVE A PRINTOGRAPH MACHINE for multiple letter work; prints through ribbon like typewriter; can use brdinary printers' type, and cuts, also; electric motor and hand power; cost \$335. Will trade for cheap lot or land, or will consider any kind of a reasonable offer. Address S. C., 555, Bec.

260-ACRE RICH, BLACK FARM LAND in eastern Nebraska: price, \$30,000; want \$30,000 to \$35,000 general mide. stock, with-out building. Address S. C. all, Omaha Bee.

WANTED DISC PHONOGRAPH REC-ords, slightly used, in perfect condi-tion, that are for sale cheap for cash. Address S. C. 621, care Bee. PRINTING AND PAINTING WANTED in exchange for dentistry. Address & C. 507, Bee.

WILL SWAP GOOD QUARTER SEC-tion of agricultural land on railroad in southern South Dakota for vacant lot, house, stock, bonds, or what have your have good lot to trade for a liret-class diamond or will buy if bargain for cash. Address S. C. 521, Omaha Bee. WHAT LAND IN EASTERN NE-braska of western Iowa have you to trade for 110 a.res of best fruit and vegetable land adjoining town in East Texos? Address S. C. 620, Bec.

GOOD COTTAGE NORTH OMAHA.

Modern but heat. All newly painted
and papered: Garage, 15x28 ft. Cement
walks. Mtg., Sao. Want \$300 cash and TWO CLEAR LOTS-PIERRE,

Good abstract. Price, \$1,000. Want gen. indse. or auto. Good abstract and war-ranty used, s. C. 568, Mee. BEES - TEN COLONIES YELLOW Italian bees, in fine shape for big crop this season, extractor, extra hives and complete aplary outfit; worth about hize, make me a cash offer, or will trade for motorcycle or small second-nand runa-bout, paying additional cash if warranted. Address B. C. 582, care Bee.

GOOD FOUR-PASSENGER INTERNA tional auto to exchange for good build-ing lot or lots in Umaha; value \$100. Ad-dress S. C. 575, Omaha 1866.

I HAVE BULL PUP 1 YEAR OLD, white, thoroughtred bull, good and sound; fine watengog. Will exchange for theyers in good condition. S. C. we, Bee. SINGLE MEATED RUDDER TIRED surrey, practically good as new, as part payment on good 5-passenger automobile or cash. Address S. C., 513, care Bee. GAS STOVE, 4 LARGE BURNERS AND

FIRST CLASS PAINTER AND PAPERnanger, will swap painting and paper-ing for coal, groceries, numering material, or anything I can use. S. C. 585. MOTORBUAT FOR MOTORCYCLE—I have a 1% np., 19 ft. motorboat, in first class condition, used but fittle, that I will trade for good motorcycle, might pay extra for good one; must not be over two years old. Boat cost \$775. Address S. C. \$67, care Omaha Bee.

457, care Omaha Bee.

A-NO. I SINGER BEWING MACHINE, former price \$65, for asie or gwap. Address S. C. 51, Bee.

UNE ON TWO LOTS CLEAR IN GOOD town South Dakots; price, cash, axe each, or exchange for good one-karat dismond ring. Asuress S. C. 586, Omaha Bee.

A GOOD BAKERY, WORTH \$500, FOR trade. What have you Address S. C. 410

CLEAR LOT HOUTH OMAHA, 25TH and Madison. Price, \$500. Trade for light auto. Quarantee title abstract Address S. C. 55, Bec. WILL SWAP WHITE HOLLAND TUR-key tom for two turkey bens. Address 8. U. 508, Eee. WILL TRADE A SEWING MACHINE for bookcase or buffet. Address

GOOD MODERN 7-ROOM COTTAGE ON Sc. 3th St., near Vinton, to swap for £,90: Just the home for a motorman. address S. C. 413, Hee. FOR EXCHANGE FOR ALMOST ANYthing, 7-passenger automobile, 8. C. MS, Bee.

\$1,000 EQUITY IN SOUTH DAKOTA income to exchange for anything cumbrance of only \$500. Address S.

TWO FINE NEW MODERN HOUSES in Omaha to exchange for stock of men's shoes or clear Texas land. Equity \$0.000, S. C. 617, Bec. ATE MODEL, HIGH-GRADE, SEVEN passenger touring car, with electric lights and self-starter, and otherwise fully equipped, for good equity in improved real estate; may add some cash. Address S. C. 613, Boe.

CEMENTING, BRICKLAYING, CAR-penter, roofing, exchange for anything valuable. Address S. C. 865, Bee. AUTO TO TRADE FOR A CLEAR LOT. Address S. C. 615, Bee.

WANTED TO REST.

ment with light, bath room and sunny bed room, sitting or dining room and kitchen. Preferably near town. Family of three. Price must be reasonable. Give details in letter. Address K 221, Bee.

The Persustent and Judicious Use of

Newspaper Advertising is the Road to

WANTED-A 4-room furnished spart-

all latest attachments, two-color rib-bon, etc.; little used and good as new; will trade for or towards motorcycle or used runabout, or anything of equal value I can use. Address S. C. 122, care Bee. LIVE STOCK MARKET OF WEST BHIP live stock to South Omaha. Save mileage and shrinkage. Your consign-ments receive prompt and careful atten-tion.

kind of auto in running order. Address

I HAVE A CAMERA OR A DIAMONI or typewriter or a good watch and cast for your passe, or west? D. C. 60, Hee.

maple with marble top, hand-carvey and a pretty piece of furniture, but bulky, what have you to exchange? Address

AN EDISON HOME PHONOGRAPH

with about fifty best records, song and music, for lot, horse, or what? Address S. C. 572 Bee,

What have you? Address S. C. 633.

LEAR LOT FOR ROUMING HOUSE of 10 or 12 rooms. Address S. C. 506, Bee.

TO SWAP UNE S-DRAWER SAS CARD

cabinet for typewriter. Address S. C

NEW HAMMOND TYPEWRITER, COST

WILL SWAP A 160-EGG INCUBATOR

OUR RHODE ISLAND RED COUKEREL. for two setting hens. Address S. C.

WANT GOOD OMAHA LOT IN EX

chappe for almost new standard plane; topo as new; cost \$385. Address S. C. 585, maha Bec.

TWO LUTS ON SED AVE, NORTH OF Webster Ave., \$400; \$10 down, \$10 per month, or will trade. Address S. C. 314,

GOOD LOT IN SOUTH UMAHA, NEW

Free and clear; 19 blocks south of postorice bldg.; 5 blocks from carline; lot is tax128 It. Price 1800 or exchange for good Ford or other light car. Augress S. C. 585, Omaha Bee.

NICE 6-ROOM COTTAGE; BEST RE-

pair; modern, but neat; barn, lexis, ft; cement walks; all newly painted; price, \$2.80; mtg., \$500; want small arcoery stock or two good light autos. Address S. C. 595, Omana Bee.

HAVE A FINE ELEVEN-MONTH-OLD

pedigreed loshound that I will trade for a good double barreled anotgun, chickens, or what have you? Will sell also Ad-druss S. C., 618, Bee.

dence, grocery business or light automobiles. Address S. C. 589, Omana Bee.

SOUTH OMAHA LOT, NO INCUM

brances, for typewriter and office fur-niture. Address S. C. 625, Bee.

and arrange terms to suit purchaser. Ad

WANTED-ELECTRIC FIXTURES AND painting in exchange for tailoring. Address S. C. 666, Bee.

UNDERWOOD TYPEWRITER, NO. 4

HAVE A PLAYER PINO LESS

care Mee.

trude or sen. Address S. C. Sch. Dec.

MARTIN BROS & CO., Exchange Bldg. Persistent Advertising is the Road to Council Bluffs

PRESENTS ITS

About Union Depot.

WORK HORSES WANTED IN EX-change for good 180-acre land at cash value; all or part; balance, if any, terms. Address 8, C. 610, Bee.

STANDARD HIGH GRADE PIANO. good as new, mahogany case. Cost 1350 Will exchange for diamond ring or Ford auto or sacrifice for cash. S. C. 544, Omaha Bee. SHOWING THE Letter Discloses How Easily the Omaha Bee.

HAVE TWO CLEAR LOTS IN SOUTH
Omaha well worth \$400 and \$100 cash.
Want a 1913 Ford car in first-class condition. Address S. C. 532, care Bee.

Lines Entering City Could Join Forces and Have Terminals in Same Pince.

In compliance with the request of the railroad officials, made at the Chicago conference of the officials with Council Bluffs representatives in connection with the movement to secure a new passenger station, a communication and plat of the city was yesterday forwarded to the general managers of all the roads having I HAVE 40 ACRES FINE OREGON fruit land: a 6-room cottage, modern except heat, and a 1913 Overland touring car. Will trade for anything. Make offer Address S. C. 622, care Bec. terminals in the city. When the conference ended with the promise of a definite answer by June 1, the railway officials asked for the information sent out last

WHAT HAVE YOU TO SWAP FOR A set of golden oak quarter-sawed dining room furn'ture and a Solar steel range in good condition? Address S. C. 500, Bec. matter to the officials brought out a lot of information that was new to them. ALL-STEEL RANGE AND FURNITURE for swap or sale. Make offer. Address S. C. 579, Bee. It was the first time they had ever studied a railroad plat of the city. All 1 HAVE A FEW CITY BUILDING LOTS to swap for a good truck or high-grade automobile. S. C. 520, Bee. were, of course, familiar with the plats showing their own lines, but had only a general idea of the location of the other I WANT TO SWAP SOME DISC PHONO-graph records. What have you? Address S. C. 625, care Bee. roads. The location of all the tracks was shown on the large map of the city S. C. 638, care Boe.

HAVE GOOD OAK DRESSER, COMmode, ice box and some chairs. Will
consider trade for horse and pay difference, or what have you? First good offer
takes it. Address S. C. 597, Bee. made by Engineer H. Mayne and used at the conference and the request was for copies of this map, together with other facts to be embodied in a communication. The chart shows how easily and inex-SECOND-HAND REMINGTON TYPE-writer to swap for good bicycle and cash. Address 8 C 548, Beepensively all of the roads can reach the probable site of the union station on ONE OLD TRUSTY AND ONE SUC-ceasful incubator for four dozen good hens or two dozen for choice of either, Address S. C., 512, care Bee. Ninth avenue between Eighth and Eleventh streets.

Letter in Detail. The communication was signed by the city officials and officers of the Com-

HAVE A UNE-TON LIGHT TRUCK, make offer. Address S. C. 624, Bee. WILL EXCHANGE GOOD 5-ROOM COT-tage at 2525 Grant St., Omana, price \$2,800, inc. \$500, for \$2,000 grocery stock or gents' furnishing stock and shoes. Own-ers write me. S. C. 5/4, Omana Bee. mercial club and follows: To the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railway company, the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railway company, the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway company, the Chicago & Great Western Railway company, the Union Pacific Railway company, the Union Pacific Railway company, the Chicago & Northwestern Railway company and the Illinois Central Way company and the Illinois Central Railway company, being the several lines of railroad entering the city of Council Bluffs, Ia.

The city of Council Bluffs and the Company cetty of Council Bluffs, Ia. the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific I HAVE A GOOD, HEALTHY YEAR-ling colt I would trade for calves. Make me ofter. Address S. C. 584, Bec. CLEAR LOT, EXCHANGE FOR ANY

Railway company, being the several lines of railroad entering the city of Council Bluffs, Ia.

The city of Council Bluffs and the Commercial club of the city of Council Bluffs, desire to call your attention to the following conditions:

The several lines of railway above mentioned enter the city of Council Bluffs from various points and directions; there are passing through the city each day approximately 165 passenger trains, with all of the passenger traffic which that represents. That the city is an unusual one for the converging and meeting of great trunk lines of railway crossing the United States. That each of said lines maintains a separate passenger station of its own with the exception of the Wabash. That the several lines have no common point of meeting or union station at which all meet or into which all run. That the several stations are located in different parts of the city at widely distant points, the distances between depots ranging from one block to one and a half miles. That with the numerous lines of railway converging at Council Bluffs is is necessarily a point where a large number of passengers transfer from one railway to another for the purpose of reaching different points. That the fact that there is no union depot or common place of meeting for the trains is a matter of great inconvenience to the traveling public, which cannot be adequately expressed or described in words. That the fact that there is no union depot at Council Bluffs is a condition not generally known to persons traveling from distant points, and they are thus prevented from making adequate strangements more convenient for the transfer of themselves and their baggage from one station to another. That many instances occur where passengers arriving on late trains at night after street car service has stopped are vivil to the trains are right after street car service has stopped are viviled. one station to another. That many in-stances occur where passengers arriving on late trains at night after street car service has stopped are put to the neces-sity of finding temporary shelter around desots not designed for that purpose, or making their way through a stormy night to hotels or other distant parts of the city.

Depots Inadequate.

The separate depots as now maintained are entirely inadequate for the present situation. Some of them are closed at all times, except just when passenger trains are coming or going, and the public are not expected to use some of them as a waiting place when a long period is to intervene before the departure of the train for which the passenger is waiting, thus making the situation particularly embarrassing and inconvenient to many people. DANDY MONEY MAKER, A FIRST class 26-room hotel in good railroad town. Rental, \$600 per year. Price, \$6,000, Mortgages \$100 or trade for Omana resi-

The fact that the rallway stations are so numerous and so widely separated makes it impossible for anyone to run bus or hack lines to meet trains at stations, which is a matter that would be obviated if all trains ran into a union

obvinted if all trains ran into a union station.

This condition of affairs has existed for some forty or fifty years, but its disadvantages and inconveniences have been growing with the increased number of railroads entering the city and with the increase in public travel, and the matter has now assumed such proportions and the situation has become than three years old, just as good as new; also a fine library of music, that I would trade for oriental rugs or sell cheap matter has now assumed such proportions and the situation has become so acute that the endurance of auch conditions longer seems to be intolerable, and no adequate reason can be offered why such conditions should continue to exist.

A sits can be procured for a union depot that will adequately meet the needs of the city and remedy the present extremely bad conditions, and such site can be selected so that all railway lines entering the city can reach it without great trouble or inconvenience and such site can be procured on property now at a very moderate price and at a far less aggregate expense than it can probably be procured a few years hence. The said sits has been submitted to representatives of said railroads at a recent conference in Chicago and its practicability admitted by a majority of the roads represented at said meeting.

Inasmuch as the statute now provides that railway companies shall at all points of connection crossing or intersection.

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with the roads of other corporations unite in establishing and maintaining suitable platforms and station houses for the convenience of passengers desiring to transfer from one road to the other and for the transfer of passengers and baggage, we feel that we are entitled to these depot accommodations, not only as a matter of right, but as a matter of law, and that some early action should be taken by the several railway companies looking to the establishment and construction of a union station for the accommodation of the people and the city and the travelling public generally. Maps are furnished to the several companies, showing an outline of the city, the location of the several railway stations, the business center, the center of population, as well as the lines upon which the railways now enter the city and the proposed site for a union depot in pursuance of the understanding had at the conference held in Chicago, we ask that a definite answer be given to the same on or before June 1, 1814, which was the date set for a decision at this conference. Official Communication Sent Roads

Retail Dealers Name Brown Head and Talk Shop

The annual meeting of the Retail Merchants' association was held last evening in the assembly room of the Commercial club building. The meeting was called for the election of officers and a board of ten directors. O. H. Brown was chosen president, J. B. Long, vice president, and C. E. Price, treasurer.

The election of the board of directors, ten in number, required nearly an hour. Sixteen lines of business were represented and from one to three candidates were named from each line. The election was determined by selecting the ten receiving the largest number of votes. Those fihally declared elected were: Adolph Beno, dry. goods; Joe W. Smith, clothing; William Grotte, seeds; A. W. Huber, butchers; George F. Hamilton, shoes; Julius Unger, furniture; W. A. Williamson, grocers; Fred Rapp, plumbers; William Droge, ice and coal; C. H. Hafer,

lumber. Mrs. Casady, wife of J. N. Casady, Jr., who has been in charge of the credit rating work of the Omaha association for the last two years, and who recently tion, was present and explained the nature and value of the work. She pointed out to the merchants that they were not using the credit bureau to the extent they should. She explained that she kept a file of all telephone calls and telephone reports which often brought the information required down to the hour of calling. She stated that the new credit rating book would be published within sixty days. Many of the merchants present testified to the value and reliability of

Mrs. Casady's work.

Page Morrison, editorial manager and
publisher of the Latchstring, told of the progress the new commercial publication, issued by the association, was making. He said it was now reaching 10,000 families in this and adjoining counties, and that while its object was to boost Council Bluffs, especially the mercantile interests, the effort is to make it a farm journal that would equal any. The magazine is published monthly and circulated free, the cost being borne by the fortyseven merchants whose advertisements are carried. The cost was approximately \$500 a month. Editor Morrison said the contributions were from the best field and farm experts in the corn belt and that he expected to add twenty more of the Ames college men to the staff.

George Gerner, the new president of the Knights of the Full Moon, detailed so se of the benefits that have been conferred by that organization.

Real Estate Transfers. The following real estate transfers filed Thursday were reported to The Bee by the Pottawattamie County Abstract com-

\$ 2,560

q. c. d. B. Walker and wife, Abbie M., to Helen S. Innes, awk nwk, 17-75-43

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Minor Mention Council Binffs Office of The Bee is at 14 North Main St. Telephone 48.

Davis, drugs. Victrola, \$15. A. Hospe Co. Corrigans, undertakers. Phone 41. Blank book work. Morenouse & Co. Woodring Undertaking Co. Tel. 339. GARDNER PRESS, printing: Phone 53. DAMON ELECTRIC CO. Tel. 199 .- Adv.

Lewis Cutler, funeral director. Phone 97, TO BAVE OR TO BORROW, SEE C. B. Mutual Bldg. and Loan Ass'n. 123 Pearl. Eyes examined and glasses fitted. Leffert's. Fine watch and jewelry repairing.

Bradley Electric Co., wiring and fix-tures. Phone 293. Expert and accurate watch repairing by reliable watchmakers only. Leffert's. Ladies' and gents hats cleaned, dyed and reshaped at small cost. Cook's Clean-ing Works. Phone 178.

If your house needs painting, papering or decorating, see H. Borwick, Ill S. Main St. Prices fair to everybody. A divorce decree granted last November to John Frost became operative yesterday when the costs were paid. Under the court rules, divorce decrees are not entered and do not become effective until the costs are paid.

Twelve-inch select finish for stock boards. We have just unloaded a earload of 12-inch fir boards, the best ever offered on this market for stock boards. C. Hafer Lumber company.

Petitions were circulated here yesterday by the friends of Parley Sheldon of Ames, ia. Sheldon is seeking the democratic nomination for lieutenant governor and his friends say he has excellent prospects of securing it.

'Pure Distilled Water Ice' is the kind

"Pure Distilled Water Ice" is the kind of toe Droge Elevator company will serve this year from their new ice plant. Our toe wagons are now making their regular routes and we can serve in any part of the city. Telephone 2800, Ice Department, Droge Elevator Company. In an exciting game last night at Bob Cole's billiard parior, "Chub" Olson de-feated Byron Swan, 160 to 70. Olson's

highest run of the evening was 14, while Swan made 10. Swan, who was one of the contestants in last night's game, is fighting to retain second place in the standing for the amateur pocket billiard championship of the city.

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PLANTING TIME—Extra fancy northern grown Red River Early Ohlo seed potatoes, \$1.10 per hashel. Fancy blue grass. 25 cents per pound, five pounds, \$1.00. Fancy white cloyer, \$0 cents per pound. Red or white onion sets, three quarts, 25 cents. J. Zoller Mercantile Co., 100-102-104-105 Broadway. Phones 3020.

Gregoire & Headley of Modale, Ia., and the individual members of the firm, Arthur I. Headley and Mortimer Gregoire, have been discharged from bankruptey, by United States District Judge McPherson. Frits C. Lahndorf of Manilla, hankrupt, has also been discharged. An order was entered closing the estate of George A. Peterson of this city.

A regulation Colt's army revolver.

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A regulation Colt's army revolver, valued at \$15, \$tolen from the Dodge Light Guards armory Tuesday night, was recovered yesterday in an Omaha pawnshop. The identifying "U. S." had been filed off, but the thief and neglected to destroy the number. The identity of the man who pawned the weapon has been ascertained and his arrest is certain to follow.

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Judge Wheeler yesterday entered judgment against Frank Barlowe in favor of the Sheet Metal Workers' union for \$120.37. Barlowe was treasurer of the union for nine years and when the final settlement was made there was a dispute as to the amount to be turned over to his successor. Barlowe was deposed early in January following a ruction, which was carried into the courts in the shape of a suit against the retiring treasurer.

Owing to the defect in the service of the original notice the damage authorought by L. F. Goodwill against Max and Al Stein, owners of a grocery on West Broadway, was dismissed without prejudice after the trial had been commenced in the district court. Goodwill stepped into an open trap door in front of the counter in the meat department and received some painful bruises.

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It cost Dr. M. B. Snyder just \$300 to be elected mayor of Council Bluffs in addition to the worry. The latter, however, was fully compensated for by the elation that followed victory. Dr. Snyder contributed \$250 to the republican city central committee toward the general expense of the campaign, and he consequently obly expended \$50 directly in his own interest. Of this \$23 was spent for advertising, \$19 for cards and the remainder for incidentals. The republican candidate's expenses were just a trifle less than those of his defeated democratic opponent.

A divorce decree was granted yesterday

of his defeated democratic opponent.

A divorce decree was granted yesterday to Margaret Hawkins, aged 3. from Leonard S. Hawkins, 19 years old. They were married here on March 19, 1868. The suit was based on the plea of descriton. The Board of County Supervisors yeaterday established a new road, a mile and a quarter long, from McClelland south to the White Fole road, and vacated the old road that extended west from the White Fole road, and vacated the old road that extended west from the White Fole road to the southwest corner of section 17, in Hardin township. The action taken was by consent of all the landowners and there was no cost to the county. cost to the county.

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Mrs. Leia O. Boswood, who was recently divorced from her husband, James Boswood, yesterday applied to Judge Arthur for a modification of the decree to permit her immediate marriage. In her petition Mrs. Boswood showed that she was unable to support herself and had the opportunity to be united in marriage to a worthy man. Oral evidence was taken in support of her request and it was granted. Immediately after the decree was entered Mrs. Boswood appeared at the clerk's office and setured a license to wed E. O. Schmitt of this city. Mr. Schmitt gave his age as 24 and Mrs. Boswood stated hers to be 23.

Detective O. P. Peterson, one of the

wood stated hers to be 22.

Detective O. P. Peterson, one of the best officers in the Council Bluffs police department, is being given some of the credit for the disturbances that have caused strained relations between Officer O. P. Peterson of Omaha and Police Commissioner Kugel. The Council Bluffs man is not even acquainted with his Omaha namesake, neither has he the pleasure of knowing personally Commissioner Kugel. The Omaha man's name is Otto P. Peterson and Detective Peterson was christened Oscar P. Peterson.