— THE — Melting of Molly

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"You!" I exclaimed, crowding still closer, or at least trying to. "It's not you, it's I that am killed, and you did it! I know you don't really want me, but I can't help that. I'd rather you'd do the suffering with me than to do it myself away from you. I'm so hungry and thirsty for you that-that I can't diet any longer!" I put the case the strongest way I knew how and got a swooning, maddening, luscious re-

"Want you, Molly?" he almost sobbed, and I felt his heart pounding hard next to my shoulder.

"Yes, want me!" I answered, with more spirit than breath left in me. "I refuse to believe you are as stupid as I am, and anybody with even an ordinary amount of brains must have seen how hard I was fighting for you. I feel sure I left no stone unturned. Some of them I can already think the HILL ROADS TO makes me hot all over. I'm foolish and always was, so I'm to be excused for acting that awful way, but you are to blame for letting me do it. I'm going to be your punishment for life for not having been stern and stopped me. You had better stop me some now anyway, for if I go on loving you as I have been for the last few minutes and build a short line from that it will make you uncomfortable."

"Peaches," he said after be had hushed me with another broken dose of and Minneapolis by way of the love as large as he thought I could stand-I could have stood more!-"1 am never going to tell you how long I have loved you, but that day you came to me all in a flutter with Al Bennett's letter in your hand it is going to take you a lifetime to settle for. held him close. I was repaid for all those tiresome exercises I had taken by the strength to crush him against my breast almost as hard as he crush ed me. Our combined strength was -heavenly!

"Don't women know, John?" I man-

from the dark. What brought me to consciousness t as his fumbling with the buttons at the waist of that blue muslin relict of a sentiment. I had fastened but one, and the lace had got caught on his sleeve buttons

"I'm still scared to death of him, and you haven't hid me vet!"

"Molly," he asked, this time with a heaven laugh, "where could you be more effectually hid from Al Bennett than in my arms?"

sume that horrible dinner that I had and she faced him too.

A man that can't be happy with a woman who is willing to "fulfill his Bee. destiny" doesn't deserve to be.

Then we came over here, and John had the most beautiful time persuading Aunt Adeline how a good man like Mr. Carter would want his young widow to be taken care of by being married to a AVOCA BASEBALL TEAM safe friend of his instead of being flighty and having folks wondering whom she would marry.

"You know yourself how hard a time a beautiful young widow has, Mrs. Henderson," he said in the tone of voice that always makes his patients glad to take his worst doses. He got his blessing and me-with a warning.

Flowers are a part of love and the place where my own two men crea- been in the contest if they win. 36 columns of matter, and his must be brief. More next time.

on the step above him tonight after team will be on the job in taking many other valuable "minutes" and Economy a majority of the chairman, Sam afternoon for Alliance, Nebraska, Prompt use will stop the spread many other valuable "minutes" and Economy a majority of the Chairman, Sam afternoon for Alliance, Nebraska, Prompt use will stop the spread of sickness S. A. Stid of Many he had taken his own good night from the bar care of the task of getting away that are never given to the world present. Chapman, declared Mr. Newman where she will engage in school of sickness. S. A. Stid, of Mapres of the task of getting away that are never given to the world present. Chapman, declared Mr. Newman where she will engage in school of sickness. S. A. Stid, of Mapres of the task of getting away that are never given to the world present. me out on the porch. When he explained to me how his agony over me with the bacon, and the fans for the want of those other four The cushions are hardly worn fully excused, and ordered Hobbs work for the coming season. Misson, Mich., writes: "My whole the cushions are hardly worn fully excused, and ordered Hobbs work for the cushions are hardly worn fully season. The cushions are hardly worn fully season. The cushions are hardly worn for the want of those other four the cushions are hardly worn fully season. plained to me how his agony over me should all be on hand Sunday to walking the floor night after night, not see the sterlings work out on our columns. knowing that I was waiting for the neighbors. light to go out. I gave myself a sweetfor the last thing before I sleep. I took his head in my arms and pressed place on my breast over my heart and that has tempted me for I won't say how long. Then I fled, and so did be. I had about decided to burn this book, because I shan't need it any



Melted.

longer, for he says he and Billy and I wants me to be without any more melting or freezing or starving, but perhaps he would like to read the little red devil. Do you suppose he would? THE END.

BUILD A NEW LINE

That the Hill railroads propose to keep their pledge to Omaha city to Sioux City, eliminating the round-about way into St. Paul Ashland cut-off, is now certain.

Three surveys for the snort line have been made and the route will be determined at the in, and our better half reported annual meeting the first of next the name of the party sending answer: Ich wie nichts— everything that fines under the From Tuesday's Daily. annual meeting the first of next the name of the party sending Yaw, we fustay-icts nichs vichs, head of game except wood cock, J. D. Shrader of Murray year. As soon as this question the names and made a mistake in You were mine-and Bill's! How could is settled, plans will be made for the man. Beg pardon, Mr. Hoovyou-but women don't understand!" starting construction early next er, and the next time will be I felt him shudder in my arms as I spring, it being the purpose to more careful. terrific, dangerous to life and ribs, but through Douglas county, tapping Plattsmouth. the Ashland-Sioux City line near Uehling. Another leaves the aged to ask softly in memory of a like Omaha-Lincoln line in the vi- man that saw a corn-field in amid the brilliant moonshine, on who imagines that this is some No. 2 from Omaha and visited positively be sold to the highest question he had put to me across that cinity of Chalco and runs north- Cass county, where men were the morning of the 18th instant, out of the way and barbarous here today, looking after some bidder. No by-bids. bread and jam with the rose a-listening west, paralleling the Union Pa- land, could have seen the table legal matters at the court house. Saturday, OCTOBER 11, 1913. nects with the Ashland-Sioux City line, and the third leaves the main line near Belnap and runs northwest through Douglas couniv, between the Northwestern and "Please don't button me into his pos- Union Pacific, keeping on the disession," I laughed under his chin. vide all through Washington county and coming onto the Sioux City line a couple of miles

south of Oakland in Burt county. Each of the surveys affords an easy grade, there not being much I spent ten minutes telling Billy difference on this score. It is what a hippopotamus really looks like said that the last mentioned one as I put him to bed, but later, much as is looked upon with the most I should have liked to, I couldn't con- favor, as it would shorten the shelter of John's arms, and I had to miles when compared with either the Elkhorn, and now face Alfred. Ruth Chester was there, of the others and at the same time give a larger territory from which to draw business .- Omaha

Try the Journal Want Ads.

The Boosters Sunday will be place where my own two men creatures are going to rest, with my heart in full song.

The local team has been shatterpaper has only 32 columns the should ended somewhat by the loss of Beal won't go down; he should ended the should end the shou He needs rest, he is so very tired and Carle, who have departed for and worn. He confessed it as I stood on the step above him tonight after on the step above him tonight after.

But three short months have large at once; the people don't elapsed since our city election, the winter, but the rest of the want to lose that report, and when behind the cry of Reform the step above him tonight after.

The chairman Sam of the spread of the

Wanted.

Bestor, 'Phone 363-J.

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Items of Interest to Old and New Residents of City Which Were New Forty Years Ago.

Plattsmouth is dead! dead!! dead!!! with the exception of wheat buyers and saloons, and they are reaping a rich harvest. The B. & M. R. R. has aided very materially in killing the town. We understand they have closed their machine shops, but we do not vouch for the truth of the statement. Still the people live in hope, and our wish is that they may not die in despair.-Aurora Republican. That's a dog-goned. confounded and impudent livercolored whopper, Mr. Aurora Republican. Plattsmouth is not dead, and is the liveliest town we ed, and they are crossing freight country, the handsomest women and the honestest men back of us you ever saw. Get out! you All-(u) roarer.

Mr. B. G. Hoover sends a 'sub." from Louisville, and calls our attention to the fact that we gave another party credit for it, and some more "subs." sent us under a mistake. We were not

One survey leaves the Omaha- turned home on Friday from one just as we were moving, but gave had rabbit and squirrel, and the passengers this morning on the I will sell at public auction at Lincoln line near Ralston and of his many journeyings. His us a pleasant and useful chat, flavor of that squirrel potpie ling- early Burlington train for Oma- my home, three-quarters of a runnings diagonally northwest face always lends a home look to nevertheless.

field at the same time.

his wanderings on Saturday, the Pearl persuasion (at least people already occupied portions the day and take in the sights of old. wearing a spic-span new suit of she calls him her Pearl) but by of it, he would be thick headed in- the carnival. store clothes, and a brand new and by she will think he is a lit- deed, and only fit for game him- J. L. Smith of near Nehawka, stove-pipe hat. Times must be good where he has been,

L(aw) yer Stinchcomb returned from a trip up and down the Republican valley, and reports it "the most beautiful country the sun ever shone on," That's what they always say of Nebraska. We thought just so of the Logan northwestern part of the state are opening up, and each succeeding valley seems handsomer than the other.

We feel kindly towards the editor of the Watchman. "We two"

over again "What has become of fore a large portion of our citi- forfeit. After more fun and take in the sights of the big show. Two 50c bottles cured me of 10-1-21d-11wkly suppose the Trunk road business had better have let the old par- be dressed for the super. is all ended." "Why do you lies be. This is not our fight par-

takes money to build railroads-ent one. hard cash or real greenbacksnot pieces of paper promising to pay greenbacks or cash at some that a celebrated hunting party school of expression. future day. So many persons left town for the unknown regions | Fred Warner and wife return- from the Nebraska City News. seem to think that the mere vot- of the great west, in order to ed to Omaha this afternoon, after The conditions on the Missouri ing of bonds insures a railroad clear out the balance of the game on over Sunday visit here at the Pacific are the same as on the at once; we vote bonds today and in Cass county for this fall. Well, home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles other roads, and the Burlington tomorow Patrick D'Flanigan is the party lit out the day after Warner, near this city. singing "Working on the railroad 'lection. The fellows who brought Miss Nellie Brinkman of Glen- kinds of grief here in having to at forty cents a day," with a gang in the least game were to pay for wood returned to that city this bar passengers off their trains: of merry boys at his heels. Such a high old supper, at Stadelman's, morning, after an over Sunday is possible, when you have wor- Bennett's party were supposed to and Mrs. Frank Brinkman. mer, on the crops, etc., for the of explanation, we must state al- been visiting friends at Omaha ting aboard of their trains, bevisit on the Missouri river. More Herald, and bring it in on Tues- so that it was not the fault of the past two weeks, has re- cause the company refuses to grain, more hogs, more goods are day, or maybe Wednesday late, doughty Captain, who hunted like turned home and has resumed carry men after they load up so are going to play so much golf and bought and sold here, and more and say, "Now Mr. Editor, I want a hero, and brought in stacks of her duties at Murdock's store. as not to be able to navigate money changes hands daily in that in this week's paper, sure." game. It was all owing to the Lig Brown, the genial farmer properly. One of this class came Plattsmouth than in any other You have done your work, and difficulty of finding Schluntz from south of the city, was in to the passenger station yestertown in the state of the same size; done it well, perhaps, but now Mills, and properly locating the town Saturday and spent a few day afternoon and bracing up and our people are feeling the ours comes in; 30,000 little whereabouts of Ujiji and aur Dr. hours looking after some busi- purchased a ticket-tickets not hard times less, and squealing pieces of lead have to be handled Livingston. Sam Waugh, it ap- ness matters with the merchants. being sold to this class if the any town we have visited lately. and so on, until next week comes part of the mischief. He beat Ce- senger this morning for Omaha, board the train and failed. Seyand passengers here, and are go- the bonds are voted, and some formed other sundry and various Miller, which will be held in that town, but there was nothing doing to bridge the river soon; and stock taken, and sharp, shrewd feats of legerdemain that confus- city this afternoon. we have the most farms and the men, are trying to make them ed the game, and made hunting S. H. Carey of Breckenridge, opposite side of the train, where pan out into bars of iron and a luxury, provided finding is not Missouri, arrived this afternoon he was aided by an officer to get

would be built.

complete the line early next year. John Fitzgerald, Esq., re- Grove, dropped in on the Herald guests. Among the animals we Jacob Tritsch and wife were

will probably need to be "set up day's doings. Doctor Livingston spend the day. solid" more than once, by a good was first called on, and gave a Andrew O. Moore and wife deworkman.

would conclude that it was of new methods of camping out sister of Mr. Moore's. among the things that were, as discovered by this adventurous L. D. Hiatt and wife of Murray I have not heard anything about hunter and persistently informed and Mrs. E. P. Lutz and son. it in the Herald for a long time. us that we must keep in mind Paul, were passengers this morn-But Greenwood is alive to her that Schluntz's Mills was the ob- ing on the early Burlington train interests. There is a great deal jective point of the hunt. We ob- for Omaha, where they will take of business done here; probably serve that though the aforesaid in the carnival. more than any other town of its mill may have been the objective S. Ray Smith and wife of Weepsize on the B. & M. We have point that day, there is great ob- ing Water were passengers this some first-class business men jection to the point inasmuch as morning on the early Burlington have got along here very fairly; here. "Bob" Doom is doing a it furnished no game on the day train for Omaha, where they have not called each other liar good business in the dry goods game was wanted, but did help visited for the day, taking in the above once or twice in six and grocery line, and "Bob" un- to make most of the game of the big Ak-Sar-Ben carnival, TO PLAY HERE SUNDAY months, have never descended to derstands his "biz" too. J. P. evening. Mr. Waugh and his Mrs. F. H. Mumm and Miss "Idiot," and "Perambulating Wilburn keeps a large assort- friends insisted that they would Pearl Mumm were passengers Distillery." We bear him no ill- ment of goods, and John is a have brought in more game, but this morning on the early Burwill but when he neglects a du-clever fellow. Chris. Hanson, could not find Livingston, and if lington train for Omaha, where ty, a solemn obligation we deem our blacksmith, is a first class they could only have put in the they will take in the sights at the pitted against the fast base ball it proper to utter a word of cau-workman, and his hammer can time shoting that they spent Ak-Sar-Ben carnival for the day. team representing our neighbor- tion and warning. He accepted be heard at all hours of the day. hunting Livingston, their wagon Mrs. Russell Harris and little A lovely night wind is blowing across ing town of Avoca, and every inthe city printing on a solemn The Grangers are building a would have been full, which causbabe, of Omaha, who has been be given on good bankable paper
the city printing on a solemn The Grangers are building a beginning 8 per cent interest from my garden and bringing me congratu- dication is for a mighty good contract of seven foolscap pages large warehouse here for ship- ed Mr. John Clark to propose a here visiting with her parents, date of sale. No proposty to be lations from all my flower family. game, as the Avoca boys are and thereby agreed to print all ping purposes. Two car loads of conundrum, as follows: Why is ping purposes. Two car loads of conundrum, as follows: Why is ping purposes. Two car loads of conundrum, as follows: Why is ping purposes. Two car loads of conundrum, as follows: Why is ping purposes. some ball players and have, dur- the proceedings of the Common hogs and several of wheat were Sam Waugh unlike the great parted this morning for her removed until settled for. wooling of it, and they understand. I ing the past season, won some Council. We are credibly in-shipped from this place last African explorer, Stanley? Be-home. Miss Dora Fricke accomgood games and will give a good formed that he now refuses to week. The small grain crop nevmoon is stealthily sinking. He promised me to put it out right away, and ised me to put it out right away, and I'm watching the glow that marks the I'm watchin

We have been asked over and experience scarcely worn off be- of quail, at the next hunt, as a Omaha, where they stopped to and cold medicine in the world. suppose so," we quietly ask. "Oh, ticularly, though of course we | The Want Ads get results.

because they ain't doing any-sympathize with the poor, overthing at it-we don't see any men burdened taxpayer, but we cerat work," or "we don't hear any- tainly feel no compunctions of From Monday's Datty. bond sold-and yet the work is had the old members and mayor south of Plattsmouth, going on. Men are trying to sell been re-elected, and then got in these bonds, to get more stock a hobble, the people would have visitors yesterday at Fort Crook, THE RAILROADS AND THE subscribed, to find other and bet- known just who to blame. As it where they were the guests of ter parties to take an interest in is now, crawling out behind the Captain and Mrs. R. A. Blair at same; therefore, please bear in action of the old council will not the post. mind, you impatient ones, that it exonerate the deeds of the pres- Ben Windham was a passenger

more faith and courage and pa- Thursday night the jolly hunters their farm near Mynard. We sent and asked Sam Chap- toast, under toast, and around Ward. were then and there served up to came up this morning from his satisfy the wondering and hung- home and was a passenger on the D. S. Draper, of Eight Mile ering appetitee of hunters and early Burlington train for Omaha, Thirty-five persons, ladies and carnival. Born to the House of Stiles, in gentlemen, sat down to the suphe had no game nor yet went ing at North Yakima, Washinghunting. Herman arose; modesty ton, with friends and relatives, a bottle of Dr. King's New Dis-But three short months have overspread his whole preson, and turned home last evening on No. covery, ready for immediate use

Local News

that matter there isn't a single let matters take their course and Mrs. Tutt's brother, Julius Pitz, ville.

this morning for Omaha, where he will take up a two years' roads have with handling persons You know last week we told you course in the Boyd-Brandeis in an intoxicated condition is

proofs struck, corrections made, pears, was also responsible for Rev. J. H. Steger was a pas- agent notices them. He tried to round, and then, but not till then dar Creek for the Doctor, and rode where he will have charge of the eral appealed to the conductor to can your article appear. Now, home on a flour wagon, and per- funeral services of Mrs. John carry him, so he would get out of

square chunks of wood, and el- considered important. Be these on No. 23 and will visit at the onto it. The conductor discoverbow grease, and dirt, to build a things as they may, the hunt was home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. ed his presence before the train railroad, and if they had not over at last, the game divided, and A. C. Carey, for a short time at got out of the yards, and stopping

tience, and above all persever- and all their friends sat down to Everett Ward returned to his brick yard. The people will in ance, than you have, most as- such a supper as no other coun- studies at Cotner college at Beth- time learn they cannot ride on goose, prairie chicken; quail, on parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert against the orders of the train-

ered in our imagination for days. ha, where they will attend the mile north of the M., P. depot in

Dan McKinnon says he saw a the solemn stillness of midnight, per, and we only wish a stranger Water came in last evening on and every article offered will

cific into Fremont, where it con- husking corn, all in the same ger came with a shooting stick in and the company. If he did not Miss Marie Kaufman and aunt, one hand, and a miniature space- make up his mind that Nebraska Mrs. K. Fetsch, of Wisconsin. box in the other. At present his was a pretty good place to live were passengers this morning for D. H. Wheeler returned from dear mother thinks his type is of in, and that pretty fair kind of Omaha, where they will visit for

> tle on the Minion order, and be- self. After supper the gentle- accompanied by his daughter-infore he is grown up, if he takes men adjourned to the front room law, Mrs. Herman Smith and chilafter his daddy, he'll be wanting and each mighty hunter was dren, were passengers this morna fat-face double-pica head, and obliged to tell his story of the ing for Omaha, where they will ens.

humorous account of the difficul- parted this morning on No. 4 for ty his party had in finding King City, Missouri, where they Dear Herald: If Greenwood was Schluntz's Mills and keeping will visit for a few days with Mrs. not in a prosperous condition I track of Waugh, he informed us Edward Tunnell and family, a

smooth in their new chairs and and the gun to be fined three ses Helen Ptak and Lilly Schul- family depends upon Dr. King's the raw edge of newness and in- brace of duck and one round dozen dice accompanied her as far as New Discovery as the best cough

the Trunk Road?" Persons of zens, the real taxpayers of the heaps of good stories, we all went Dr. A. L. Parks of the Bur- pneumonia." Thousands of other A good girl for general house- some intelligence and whom we town, are calling a meeting to home in the morning, and that lington Relief came down from families have been equally benehis cheek down against Billy's sleep work. Three in family. Plain would suppose would have a little protest against the useless ex- game supper remains one of the Omaha this morning to look af- fited and depend entirely upon cooking. Country girl preferred idea of how such matters are penditure of city funds. If this things that were. P. S.—George ter the interests of his company Dr. King's New Discovery to cure put my lips to that drake tall kiss spot or middle-aged woman. Mrs. H. worked up, say to us with the is the result of Reform and Econ. Smith shot a Young American for a few hours. The doctor has their coughs, colds, throat and most desponding air: "Well, I omy, gentlemen, we think you Eagle (?) but it came too late to just returned from a vacation lung troubles. Every dose helps. trip to North Dakota, and feels Price, 50c and \$1.00. All drug-

the winter's work.

Mrs. F. S. White and cousin. Mrs. W. H. Mitchell, are in the city, guests at the home of Mrs. thing about it nowadays, and we conscience in reminding the pres- R. C. Bailey, the Eight Mile R. R. Livingston and family. The YEARS AGO thing about it nowadays, and we conscience in reminding the pres-voted the bonds way last fall." ent officials, the new portion of That's true. There isn't a single them, we mean, that they made with county seat friends Sunday. Louisville, Kentucky, and New Albany, Indiana, and Mrs. White spade or shovel at work on the their own bed and they must lie Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Tutt of Mur- Albany, Indiana, and Mrs. White line that we know of-and for in it. Had they been content to ray spent Sunday at the home of will spend the winter at Louis-

TROUBLE WITH "BOOZE"

The difficulties that the railshown in the following, taken has had several of the same

"The Missouri Pacific passengis not the case any more than it We are sorry to record that Capt. visit here with her parents, Mr. er conductors seem to experience considerable trouble in preventried up a good article, Mr. Far- pay for that supper; but by way Mrs. Emil Dickson, who has ing the drunken men from getthe train dumped him near the suredly the Trunk road never try outside of Nebraska and with- any, Neb., this morning, after an the Missouri Pacific in an inin civilization, could get up. Duck, over Sunday visit here with his toxicated condition, because it is "

Public Sale!

Plattsmouth, all property listed Attorney C. E. Tefft of Weeping below. I am moving to Colorado

Sale Starts at 1 O'Clock P. M. 1 Coach colt, 3 years old.

1 Coach colt, 2 years old. 1 Jersey cow, fresh, 7 years

1 Jersey heifer, 3 years old. 2 yearling heifers.

1 Jersey heifer, 7 months old.

1 heifer calf, 2 months old.

2 dozen Plymouth Rock chick-

5 stands of bees.

Several tons alfalfa hay.

1 wagon.

1 McCormick mower.

1 hay rack. 1 hay rake.

1 stirring plow.

1 three-section harrow.

1 log chain. 1 wheel-garden hoe.

1 steel tank.

1 water separator for milk. One kitchen cabinet.

One cupboard. One lounge.

Two Axminster rugs. One commode.

One bed and springs. Six dining chairs.

One rocker. Dishes and other articles too

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