SPECIAL NOTICES

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WANTED—MALE HELP.

CANVASSERS TO TAKE ORDERS; NEW LINE of work; no heat; goods to carry; salary or commission. C. F. Adams Co., 824 So. 16th St. B—922

SALESMEN FOR CIGARS, $25 A MONTH AND expenses; old firm; experience unnecessary; inducements to customers. C. C. Bishop & Co., St. Louis. B—922

WANTED—TWO FIRST CLASS TEA AND cigar salesmen; useless to write unless you have an established trade in these goods in Nebraska. H. C. Fisher, Chicago. B—M371—29

WANTED—SALESMEN TO SELL VERY COMplete line of lubricating oils, greases and specialties; liberal terms; salary or commission. Jewel Refining Co., Cleveland, O. B—M491—28*

WANTED—BY RETAIL FIRM, A COMPETENT and experienced young man as stenographer and to assist in office and do city collecting; must have good references. Address C 29, Bee. B—M505

WANTED, TRAVELING SALESMEN HAVING established trade and territory to handle a profitable side line on a liberal commission; state present line, territory and give reference. Address J. C. Blackford, Sycamore, Ill. B—M396 27*

WANTED, YOUNG MEN TO LEARN BARBER trade; steady positions at top wages waiting graduates; every one understands the advantage of college training where power practice and instruction with lectures and thorough examinations are furnished; experience and wages in city shops Saturdays; complete outfit of tools presented; established in '85; incorporated in '97; catalogue mailed free. Moler System Barber School, Clark & Van Buren Sts., Chicago. B—M397 21*

WANTED—FEMALE HELP.

100 GIRLS FOR ALL KINDS OF WORK; $2 to $7 week. Canadian Office, 1522 Douglas. C—894

WANTED—COOK IN PRIVATE FAMILY; wages $5.00; references. Apply Mrs. Wilhelm, 1521 Douglas. C—475

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork; must be first-class cook; good pay. Address 874 S. 29th St. C—M508 21

WANTED, A FIRST CLASS MILLINERY trimmer. C 43, Bee. C—567 22

WANTED, A THOROUGHLY COMPETENT second girl. Mrs. C. N. Dietz, 428 S. 20th. C—M467-21*

WANT NEAT YOUNG WOMAN FOR WORKing housekeeper by man and daughter; small town; moderate wages; arrange meeting Thursday, 23d. Address C 34, Bee office. C—M434 20*

WANTED—ON STRAIGHT SALARY AND EXpenses, two lady solicitors, with references. Call at room 25, Paxton hotel, Monday morning. C—M439-20*

FOR RENT—HOUSES.

HOUSES IN ALL PARTS OF THE CITY. THE O. F. Davis Company, 1705 Farnam. D—935

HOUSES. RENEWA & CO., 108 N. 16TH ST. D—936

FIDELITY BARGAINS—ONLY A FEW LEFT: 219 S. 32th Ave., 7 rooms, pantry, bath, closet, hot water, gas, mantels, furnace, laundry, $23.00. 2937 Mason St., 9 rooms, all modern, $25.00. 973 N. 27th Ave., 7 rooms, bath, closet, hot water, cistern, furnace, cemented cellar, 200 feet deep; all rooms to be painted and papered, $25.00. 2814 N. 26th Ave., 8 rooms, city water inside, $200 being spent for repairs. Rent, $12.00. 1622 N. 21st St., 5-room cottage, cistern, $5.00. 2561 Cuming St., city water, cistern, barn, $10.00. 717 S. 33d St., 6-room cottage, city water, $8.00. 30th & Curtis Ave., 7 rooms, fine repair, well, cistern, barn and 1 acre lot, $8.00. 2220 S. 29th St., 5-room cottage, city water, $5.00. 712 and 714 S. 16th St., 7-room flats, bath, closet, hot water and gas, $20.00 to $22.00. 2015 Izard St., 4-room flats, city water, $7 to $9. We have others. Fidelity, 1st floor N. Y. Life. D—945

HOUSES, WALLACE, BROWN BLOCK, 16TH and Douglas. D—937

HOUSES, COTTAGES & STORES. ALL PARTS of city. Brennan & Love Co., 219 S. 16th. D—939

LARGE LIST. M'CAGUE, 15TH AND DODGE. D—940

HOUSES, FLATS. GARVIN BROS., 1615 FARNAM. D—941

HOUSES FOR RENT. BEMIS, PAXTON BLK. D—942

HOUSES. J. H. SHERWOOD, 422 N. Y. LIFE. D—943

MOVING HOUSEHOLD GOODS AND PIANOS. Om. Van & Storage Co., 1511½ Farnam. Tel. 1520 D—945

HOUSE, 508 SO. 26TH ST., TEN ROOMS, MODern, $40.00 per month. Byron Reed Co. D—946

NICE FIVE-ROOM HOUSE, 1120 N. 17TH. D—420

FURNISHED HOUSE, 8 ROOMS. KOUNTZE Place, Wirt St. J. J. Gibson, 214 First Nat'l Bank. D—491-18

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOMS.

3 FURNISHED ROOMS FOR HOUSEKEEPING for man and wife. Rent taken in board. 819 N. 27th. E—912

FURNISHED ROOMS; HOUSEKEEPING. 2823 St. Mary's. E—M325—20*

WARM ROOMS, $1 to $2; BEAUTIFUL FRONT room; modern, with bay window. 204 N. 20th. E—M383 25*

NICELY FURNISHED FRONT ROOM IN cottage, with or without board. 1716 Jackson street. E—M375-21*

FOR RENT, ROOMS FOR HOUSEKEEPING. 1913 Douglas. E—M368 20*

FURNISHED ROOMS FOR LIGHT HOUSEkeeping. Inquire 2815 Douglas. E—M312 21*

FRONT ROOM, STEAM HEAT. 202½ S. 12th. Linton Block. E—547-19*

FURNISHED ROOMS AND BOARD.

THE MERIHAM, FIRST CLASS FAMILY HOtel, 25th and Dodge Sts. F—M197

TAKE SHERMAN AVE. CAR TO N. W. CORner of Exposition grounds and put up at the Saratoga; best $2 a day house; boarders, $3.50 to $5.00; first week, $2; one meal free; we are making a reputation now; after the Exposition opens we will make money; all modern conveniences. Telephone 1504. F—M152—19-22

NEWLY FURNISHED ROOMS, WITH BOARD; hot water heat. 2402 Cass street. F—176—J-21

IN PRIVATE FAMILY, WITH OR WITHOUT board. 1918 Dodge. F—M352 21*

UTOPIA, STEAM HEAT; TRANSIENTS ACcommodated. 1621 Davenport St. F—564-20*

ROOMS AND BOARD IN EASY WALKING distance down town near car line; home cooking. Telephone 1538. F—M375-20*

BOARDERS. PLEASANT ROOMS, GOOD table board; only five minutes walk from exposition grounds; terms reasonable. 520 Spaulding St. F—M373-23*

HANDSOME PARLORS EN SUIT, NEWLY furnished, also smaller rooms; good board. The Rose, 2820 Harney. F—466

ELEGANT FRONT ROOMS, STEAM HEAT; first-class board. 1909 Capitol Ave. F—M449-22*

FOR RENT—UNFURNISHED ROOMS.

3 OR 4 FOR LIGHT HOUSEKEEPING; MODern conveniences; walking distance down town; near car line; no children. Address C 42, Bee. G—M316

FOR RENT—STORES AND OFFICES.

FOR RENT, IN THE BEE BUILDING:
One large corner room, 2d floor, with vault and private office, water, etc.
One large front room, 2d floor, divided into two rooms by partition; water, etc.
One large corner room, 2d floor, with vault, water, etc.
One front room, divided by partition, 3d floor.
One corner room with vault, 3d floor.
One large room, 3d floor, with partition dividing it into one large room and two smaller private rooms; water, etc.
Two large ground floor rooms, fronting 17th St., with vault.
Several small rooms on 4th floor, with vaults.
All these rooms are heated with steam, electric lights, supplied with first class janitor service. Elevators run day and all night; building strictly fireproof. Apply to Superintendent, Room 104, Bee building. 1—136

FOR RENT—DESK ROOM IN GROUND FLOOR office, Bee building; water, steam heat, electric light and janitor service. Apply to Superintendent, Bee building. 1—137

FOR RENT—STORES AND OFFICES.

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FOR RENT—THE 4-STORY BRICK BUILDING at 916 Farnam St. This building has a fireproof cement basement; water on all floors, gas, etc. Apply at the office of The Bee. 1—930

HOTELS, STORES. BEMIS, PAXTON BLK. J—M400

WANTED, PARTY WITH GOOD BUSINESS to occupy same office and have service of same bookkeeper and telephone with advertiser. C 47, Bee. 1—944-20*

AGENTS WANTED.

WANTED, AGENTS FOR THE FASTEST SELLing, most entertaining book of the age; 1,100 BIG histories of famous successful women; 100 portraits, many full-page plates. Very low price, richly illustrated, sells wonderfully. Ladies succeed remarkably. Extra profits now. Address Woman's Home Companion, Springfield, Ohio. J—M340 29*

AGENTS WANTED. APPLY PACIFIC MUTUAL Life Ins. Co., A. V. Todd, gen'l agt., 240 Bee bldg. J—M229 34

BICYCLES GIVEN AWAY FOR THE NAMES of 4 people who will buy sewing machines. Nebraska Cycle Co., Cor. 15th and Harney. J—416 20

SALARY AND COMMISSION PAID TO LADIES and gentlemen for selling the best holiday novelty on the market. Room 16, 1023 Farnam. J—348-22*

STORAGE.

PACIFIC STORAGE AND WAREHOUSE CO., 909-910 Jones; general storage and forwarding. M—948

OM. VAN & STORAGE. 1511½ FARN'M. TEL. 1520 M—949

FRANK EWERS, STORAGE, 1216 HARNEY. Hauling and packing, cheapest rates. Tel. 958. M—950

WANTED—TO BUY.

WANTED—A FOUR OR FIVE HORSE POWER gasoline engine; must be in good shape. Address J. S. Christensen, Fremont, Neb. N—M308—21

FOR SALE MISCELLANEOUS.

SAWDUST, BULK OR SACKED—CRIBBING and hog fences. C. B. Lee, 901 Douglas. Q—861

2ND-HAND BICYCLES. OMAHA BICYCLE CO.

BARNEY & BERRY, SKATES, 25C TO $3.50; skates sharpened, 15c. Omaha Bicycle Co. Q—826

GOOD SECOND-HAND SAFE CHEAP. 104 S. 15th. Q—M306—21

NEW BICYCLES FOR SALE LESS THAN factory cost. First class sewing machines from $15 up. Nebraska Cycle Co., 15th Harney. Q—M295—Jan 6

PATENT UPRIGHT PIANO, 817 S. 16TH. Q—M267—21*

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CLAIRVOYANTS.

PROF. WHITNEY AND UNDERSTUDY Pierce are here to stay; their office is open to the public for the purpose of helping to relieve the minds of those in trouble; past present and future; lovers united; speedy marriage. The equal of Prof. Whitney has never been known; realize it by mailing and be convinced. ladies' 50 cents; gents $1.00. Prof. T. Whitney, office 1322 Howard St., Omaha, Neb. S—M366-25

MASSAGE, BATHS, ETC.

MME. BRISSON OF PARIS GIVES ALL kinds medicated baths and massage. 107 N. 12th St. T—M222 24*

MRS. DR. LEON, ELECTRIC MASSAGE BATH parlors; restful and curative. 417 S. 15th, upstairs. T—M407-20*

MME. AMES, MASSAGE AND BATHS. 262½ Howard street. T—M448-20*

PERSONAL.

VIAVI CO., UTERINE TROUBLES, 346-8 BEE Bldg; physician, consultation or health book free. U—853

BATHS, MASSAGE. MME. POST, 319½ S. 15TH. U—854

CLOTHES CLEANED, PRESSED AND REpaired; day or night; dress suits for hire. Pantarium, N. E. Cor. 14th and Farnam. Tel. 952. U—550

MME. LA RUE, VAPOR AND MASSAGE baths. 1212 Farnam. U—M368 D20*

LITERARY ASSISTANCE; MANUSCRIPTS prepared, revised or corrected; letters of all descriptions written; experienced newspaper man in charge; all business confidential. Address P. O. Box 657, or call for interview at office, 419 Bee bldg. U—176 J3

PRIVATE HOME FOR LADIES BEFORE AND during confinement; babies adopted and cared for. Removed to 1126 N. 17th. U—478 20*

KLONDIKE MINING LAWS, RULES AND regulations of the U. S. and Canada; applicable to Alaska and N. W. Ter., with forms; copyrighted; enquire of news agents; sent to any address for 50 cents. Hill & Ausbermun, box 1368, Seattle, Wash. U—M324 20*

HAVE YOUR GARMENTS MADE BY "GREENberg The Professional Ladies' Tailor," 1708 Webster. U—M367-J19*

FREE DENTAL WORK; OVER 300 PERSONS took advantage of the free clinic at the Dental college, cor. 12th and Pacific streets, last month; after January 1 there will be twelve chairs reserved for cleaning of teeth free of charge every Wednesday morning from 9 to 11 o'clock. U—M304

STYLISH DRESSMAKING, REASONABLE price, at the Joy Tailor System School of Dressmaking, 312 Karbach block. Misses Campbell & Caswell. U—M128 J11

LADIES' FRIEND, FOR MARRIED OR single; safe and sure; never has failed; sent with full directions in strict confidence to you; no publicity; for $5.00; send at once. Address C 32, Bee. U—483 19*

MONEY TO LOAN—REAL ESTATE.

MONEY TO LOAN AT LOW RATES. THE O. F. Davis Co., 1705 Farnam St. W—936

ANTHONY LOAN & TRUST CO., 215 N. Y. L.; quick money at low rates for choice farm lands in Iowa, northern Missouri, eastern Nebraska. W—957

LOANS ON IMPROVED & UNIMPROVED CITY property. W. Farnam Smith & Co., 122 Farn'm. W—158

MONEY TO LOAN. BEMIS, PAXTON BLOCK. W—961

MONEY TO LOAN ON IMPROVED OMAHA real estate. Brennan-Love Co., 219 S. 16th. W—960

$100,000.00 SPECIAL FUND TO LOAN ON first-class improved Omaha property, or for building purposes. Fidelity Trust Company. W—962

6 PER CENT MORTGAGES FOR SALE. PROPerty of non-residents cared for by W. R. Meikle, First National Bank bldg., Omaha. W—963

6 PER CENT MONEY, $1,000 AND UPWARDS, on gilt-edged improved Omaha real estate. Bemis, Paxton block. W—922

MONEY TO LOAN ON IMPROVED REAL estate in Omaha, Council Bluffs and South Omaha. Pusey & Thomas, 502 First National Bank, Omaha. W—M106

WANTED, CHOICE FARM AND CITY LOANS. R. C. Peters & Co., U. S. Nat. Bank bldg. W—M455

MONEY TO LOAN—CHATTELS.

$10 TO $10,000 TO LOAN ON HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND PIANOS, HORSES, WAGONS AND CARRIAGES, WAREHOUSE RECEIPTS, ETC. at lowest rates in Omaha, South Omaha and Council Bluffs. No removal of goods; strictly confidential; you can pay the loan off at any time or in any amounts. OMAHA MORTGAGE LOAN CO., 306 South 16th St.

THE OLDEST, LARGEST AND ONLY INCORPORATED LOAN COMPANY IN OMAHA. X—964

BUSINESS CHANCES.

TO GET IN OR OUT OF BUSINESS GO TO J. J. Gibson, 214 First Nat'l Bank. Y—965

FOR SALE, RESTAURANT. DOING A GOOD business. Address C 43, Bee. Y—M512

SALOON, FARNAM ST. J. J. GIBSON, 214 First Nat. bank. Y—M516 22

HOTEL FOR SALE, WITH 25 ROOMS ALL furnished; three years' lease; the only hotel in town with good surroundings. Address C 27, Bee. Y—M509 20*

FOR EXCHANGE.

DRUG STORE WANTED, FOR WHICH WE will trade city property and some cash. "K" care of Carrier 53, Omaha, Neb. Z—M388 Jan7

WILL EXCHANGE VERY DESIRABLE clear vacant Omaha lots for Chicago property. Address with full particulars, Box 382, Omaha. Z—M404

FOR SALE OR TRADE, LOT ON 24TH ST. joining exposition for farm in eastern Neb. or Oklahoma. Box 181, Stella, Neb. Z—M355 20*

WILL EXCHANGE 5-ROOM CLEAR COTtage in suburbs, near car line, for equity in larger, partly-modern house, within 2 miles of P. O. C 48, Bee. Z—998 26

FOR EXCHANGE.

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I HAVE A HIGHLY IMPROVED CATTLE ranch (80 acres), partly irrigated, which I would trade for a small farm within two or three miles from Omaha, or for Omaha city property. Address Henry Reimers, Paxton, Neb. Z—M327 22*

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE.

KOUNTZE PLACE BARGAINS, $2,500, $2,750 TO $3,500. J. J. Gibson, 214 First Nat. Bank bldg. RE—905

FARM LANDS. C. F. HARRISON, 912 N. Y. L. RE—543-Jan-16*

BARGAINS, HOUSES, LOTS AND FARMS; sale or trade. F. K. Darling, Barker Blk.

HOUSES, LOTS, FARMS, LANDS, LOANS; also fire insurance. Bemis, Paxton block. RE—M371

LOGAN VALLEY FARMS AND MERCHANdise. Huntsberger & Clements, Lyons, Nebraska. RE—M369

BRICK BUILDING, GROUND 60x67 FEET, paying 14 per cent gross; price $16,000. Address C 38, Bee. RE—M468

NEW COTTAGE, MONTHLY PAYMENTS. 604 Bee Bldg. RE—M351

S. E. COR. 21ST AVE. AND DODGE, $1,350.00. Lot 17, block 6, and lot 16, block 7, Kilby Place (each), $225.00.
129x178 feet south front on Spring St., between 20th and 21st Sts., $900.00.
Lot 51x125 feet, 28th and Nicholas Sts., $600.00.
7-room modern house, 2419 Seward St., $1,750.00.
8-room modern house, 2620 Caldwell St., $2,200.00.
5-room house, corner lot 50x150 feet, Hanscom Place, $1,800.00.
6-room house, 1022 N. 21st St., South Omaha, $900.00.
156-acre farm, Douglas county, improved, $50.00 per acre.
44-acre fruit farm, Douglas county, $1,850.00.
80-acre farm, Douglas county, $2,400.00.
15 acres near South Omaha, $1,500.00.
POTTER & GEORGE COMPANY, 1601 Farnam St. RE—M616 22

$50.00 INVESTED IN A GOOD LOT WILL bring a return of $200.00 to $400.00 profit within one year; have a number of lots from $250.00 to $600.00, only $50.00 in cash required; long time or monthly payments on balance. Byron R. Hastings, 212 S. 14th st. RE—M467 26

SHORTHAND AND TYPEWRITING.

A. C. VAN SANT'S SCHOOL, 512 N. Y. LIFE. —872

AT OMAHA BUS. COLLEGE, 16TH & DOUGLAS. —873

H. B. BOYLES, COURT REPORTER, PRIVATE lessons; day and evening. 407 Bee Bldg. —874

OMAHA SHORT-HAND COLLEGE, BOYD'S theater. —M319 Jan7*

MUSIC, ART AND LANGUAGE.

ELMORE RICE, VIOLINIST, FORMERLY SOloist Rice Concert Co., will receive pupils; highest references. 414-15 Shreby Block. Hours 2 to 6 p. m. —736 D22

ACCOMPANIST, FOR GENTLEMAN TAKING lessons in voice culture; state terms. Address C 45, Bee. M—532 20*

HORSES WINTERED.

HORSES WINTERED; BEST OF CARE; RATES $3 per month. W. E. Owens, 2637 Center street. —M160 Jan8*

GOOD STABLES, BEST OF CARE. $4 AND $6 per month. A. V. Phelps & Son, 207 New York Life. Tel. 1624. —242

COAL.

BURLINGTON NUT, BEST, CHEAPEST. PRICE $3.75 per ton. 'Phone 48. Harmon & Weeth Co. —166

PAWNBROKERS.

H. MAROWITZ LOANS MONEY. 418 N. 16 ST. —977

DRESSMAKING.

ENGAGEMENTS TO DO DRESSMAKING, IN families solicited. Miss Sturdy, 2504 Davenport St. 931—D-28

TYPEWRITERS.

WE SOLICIT AND FURNISH POSITIONS FOR Stenographers free. The Smith-Premier Typewriter Co. Telephone, 1294. —967

FURNITURE PACKED.

M. S. WALKIN, 2111 CUMING, TEL. 1231. —976

SEWING MACHINES AND SUPPLIES.

NEW HOME, HOUSEHOLD & WHITE SEWing machines & supplies. 1514 Cap. ave. Tel. 1574 —878

LOST.

COW LOST, NEAR STOCK YARDS, SOUTH Omaha, one half blood Jersey; reward. Notify Holmes, Adkins Co., South Omaha. Lost—562-20

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.

Stockholders' Meeting.

Omaha & Elkhorn Valley Railway company:

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Omaha & Elkhorn Valley Railway company for the election of seven directors and the transaction of such other business as may lawfully come before the meeting will be held in the office of the general solicitor, Union Pacific building, Omaha, Nebraska, upon Wednesday, the 5th day of January, 1898, at 10 o'clock a. m.

The stock transfer books will be closed ten days before the date of the meeting.

ALEXANDER MILLAR, Secretary.

Boston, Mass., December 14, 1897.

Stockholders' Meeting.

OFFICE OF LEE-CLARKE-ANDREESEN Hardware Co., Omaha, Nebraska, Dec. 11, 1897.

Notice is hereby given to the stockholders of the Lee-Clarke-Andreesen Hardware Co. that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the company will be held at the offices of the said company, 1219-1221-1223 Harney street, in the city of Omaha, in the state of Nebraska, on Tuesday, January 11, A. D. 1898, at three o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing a board of directors for the company to serve during the ensuing year and to transact such other business as may be presented at such meeting.

H. J. LEE, President.

Attest: W. M. GLASS, Secretary.

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STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

Union Elevator Company of Omaha:

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Union Elevator company of Omaha, for the purpose of electing seven directors and such other business as may properly come before the meeting, will be held at the office of the general solicitor, Union Pacific building, Omaha, Neb., upon Monday, the 3rd day of January, 1898, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 6 o'clock p. m.

The stock transfer books will be closed ten (10) days before the date of the meeting.

ALEXANDER MILLAR, Secretary.

Boston, Mass., December 12, 1897.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

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Sealed bids for the construction of the Power Plant building on the Exposition grounds will be received until 11 o'clock a. m., Wednesday, December 29th, '97. Plans and specifications can be seen at the Department Office, corner 15th and Spencer Sts., or sets will be furnished bidders at cost.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

F. P. KIRKENDALL, Mgr. Gr'ds and Bldgs Dept., Transmississippi and International Expo.

POSTOFFICE NOTICE.

(Should be read DAILY by all interested, as changes may occur at any time).

Foreign mails for the week ending December 25th, 1897, will close (PROMPTLY in all cases) at the General Postoffice as follows: PARCELS POST MAILS close ONE HOUR EARLIER than closing time shown below.

Trans-Atlantic Mails.

TUESDAY—At 6 a. m. for EUROPE, per s. s. Saale* via Southampton and Bremen.

WEDNESDAY—At 7 a. m. (supplementary 9 a. m.) for EUROPE, per s. s. New York*, via Southampton; at 8 a. m. for NETHERLANDS direct, per s. s. Edam, via Amsterdam (letters must be directed "per Edam"); at 9 a. m. (supplementary 10:30 a. m.) for EUROPE, per s. s. Britannic*, via Queenstown; at 10 a. m. for BELGIUM direct, per s. s. Friesland, via Antwerp (letters must be directed "per Friesland"); at 12 m. for NETHERLANDS direct, per s. s. Amsterdam, via Rotterdam (letters must be directed "per Amsterdam").

SATURDAY—At 8:30 a. m. for EUROPE, per s. s. Lucania*, via Queenstown (letters for France, Switzerland, Italy, Spain, Portugal, Turkey, Egypt and British India must be directed "per Lucania"); at 7 a. m. for FRANCE, SWITZERLAND, ITALY, SPAIN, PORTUGAL, TURKEY, EGYPT and BRITISH INDIA, per s. s. La Normandie*, via Havre (letters for other parts of Europe must be directed "per La Normandie"); at 8 a. m. for NETHERLANDS direct, per s. s. Rotterdam, via Rotterdam (letters must be directed "per Rotterdam"); at 11 a. m. for NORWAY direct, per s. s. Island (letters must be directed "per Island").

* PRINTED MATTER, etc.—German steamers sailing on Tuesdays take Printed Matter, etc., for Germany, and Specially Addressed Printed Matter, etc., for other parts of Europe. American and White Star steamers on Wednesdays, German steamers on Thursdays and Cunard, French and German steamers on Saturdays take Printed Matter, etc., for all countries for which they are advertised to carry mail.

After the closing of the Supplementary Trans-Atlantic Mails named above, additional supplementary mails are opened on the piers of the American, English, French and German steamers, and remain open until within Ten Minutes of the hour of sailing of steamer.

Mails for South and Central America, West Indies, Etc.

MONDAY—At 8 a. m. for BRAZIL, per s. s. Gallieo, via Pernambuco, Bahia and Rio Janeiro (letters for North Brazil and La Plata Countries must be directed "per Gallieo"); at 10 a. m. (supplementary 11 a. m.) for CENTRAL AMERICA (except Costa Rica) and SOUTH PACIFIC PORTS, per s. s. Advance, via Colon (letters for Guatemala must be directed "per Advance"); at 11 a. m. for CHIRIQUI, per s. s. Santo Domingo (letters for other parts of Mexico must be directed "per Santo Domingo"); at **3 p. m. for BELIZE, PUERTO COLTEZ and GUATEMALA, per steamer from New Orleans.

TUESDAY—At 10:30 a. m. for HAITI, per s. s. Oranje Nassau (letters for Venezuela, Curacao, Trinidad, British and Dutch Guiana must be directed "per Oranje Nassau"); at **3 p. m. for COSTA RICA, per steamer from New Orleans; at 2 p. m. for JAMAICA, per s. s. Ardandhu; at 3:30 p. m. for NEWFOUNDLAND, per steamer from North Sydney; at 3 p. m. for PORT ANTONIO, per steamer from Boston.

WEDNESDAY—At 2:30 a. m. for PORT ANTONIO, per steamer from Philadelphia; at 1 p. m. for CUBA, per s. s. City of Washington, via Havana; at 1 p. m. (supplementary 1:30 p. m.) for CAPE HAITI, ST. DOMINGO and TURKS ISLAND, per s. s. Cherokee.

THURSDAY—At 11 a. m. (supplementary 11:30 a. m.) for VENEZUELA and CURACAO, per s. s. Philadelphia (letters for Colombia must be directed "per Philadelphia"); at 2 p. m. for LA PLATA COUNTRIES direct, per s. s. Georgian Prince.

FRIDAY—At 2:30 a. m. for NEWFOUNDLAND, per s. s. Siberian, from Philadelphia; at 1 p. m. for CAMPECHE, CHIAPAS, TABASCO and YUCATAN, per s. s. Orizaba (letters for other parts of Mexico and for Cuba must be directed "per Orizaba"); at 1 p. m. for BARBADOES direct, and NORTH BRAZIL, via Para and Manaos, per s. s. Hubert; at 2 p. m. (supplementary 2:30 p. m.) for FORTUNE ISLAND, JAMAICA, SAVANILLA and CARTHAGENA, per s. s. Alleghany (letters for Costa Rica must be directed "per Alleghany"); at 2 p. m. (supplementary 2:30 p. m.) for HAITI, per s. s. Andes.

SATURDAY—At 8:30 p. m. for NEWFOUNDLAND, per steamer from North Sydney; at 8:30 p. m. for ST. PIERRE-MIQUELON, per steamer from North Sydney.

Mails for Newfoundland, by rail to Halifax, and thence by steamer, close at this office daily at 8:30 p. m. Mails for Miquelon, by rail to Boston and thence by steamer close at this office daily at 8:30 p. m. Mails for Cuba close at this office daily at 7:00 a. m. for forwarding by steamers sailing (Mondays and Thursdays) from Port Tampa, Fla. Mails for Mexico City, overland, unless specially addressed for dispatch by steamer, close at this office daily at 2:30 a. m. and 2:30 p. m. **Registered mail closes at 6:00 p. m. previous day.

Trans-Pacific Mails.

Mails for China, Japan and Hawaii, per s. s. Doric (from San Francisco), close here daily up to December 22 at 6:30 p. m. Mails for Hawaii, per s. s. Australia (from San Francisco), close here daily up to December 22 at 6:30 p. m. Mails for the Society Islands, per ship Tropic Bird (from San Francisco), close here daily up to December 25 at 6:30 p. m. Mails for China and Japan (specially addressed only), per s. s. Empress of India (from Vancouver), close here daily up to December **27 at 6:30 p. m. Mails for Australia (except those for West Australia), which are forwarded via Europe, New Zealand, Hawaii, Fiji and Samoan Islands, per s. s. Moana (from San Francisco), close here daily up to December **31 at 7:00 a. m., 11 a. m. and 6:30 p. m. (or on arrival at New York of s. s. Campania with British mails for Australia). Mails for China and Japan, per s. s. Victoria (from Tacoma), close here daily up to January **2 at 6:30 p. m. Mails for Australia (except West Australia), New Zealand, Hawaii and Fiji Islands, per s. s. Miowera (from Vancouver), close here daily after December **31 and up to January 5 at 6:30 p. m.

Trans-Pacific mails are forwarded to port of sailing daily and the schedule of closing is arranged on the presumption of their uninterrupted overland transit. **Registered mail closes at 6 p. m. previous day.

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CORNELIUS VAN COTT, Postmaster.

RAILROADS.

CHICAGO, ST. PAUL, MINNEapolis & Omaha Railway—General offices, Northwestern Division, Fifteenth and Webster Streets. City Ticket Office, 1401 Farnam Street. Telephone, 561. Depot, Fifteenth and Webster Streets. Telephone, 1458.

	Leave.	Arrive.
Sioux City Accommoda.	** 8:50 am	** 8:20 pm
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Blair, Emerson, Sioux City, Fonda, Hartington and Bloomfield	** 1:00 pm	**11:55 am
Sioux City, Mankato, St. Paul, Minneapolis	**** 1:55 pm	* 9:10 am
Emerson Passenger	** 7:10 pm	** 8:45 am

* Daily. ** Daily except Sunday. *** Sunday only. **** This train stops at stations Florence to So. Blair, inclusive. Sundays only; on week days So. Blair only.

FREMONT, ELKHORN AND Missouri Valley Railway—General Offices, United States National Bank Building, Southwest Corner Twelfth and Farnam Streets. Ticket Office, 1401 Farnam Street. Telephone, 561. Depot, Fifteenth and Webster Streets. Telephone, 1458.

	Leave.	Arrive.
Black Hills, Deadwood and Hot Springs	* 2:00 pm	* 5:00 pm
Wyoming, Casper and Douglas	**** 2:00 pm	**** 5:00 pm
Hastings, York, David City, Superior, Geneva, Exeter and Seward	** 2:00 pm	** 5:00 pm
Norfolk, West Point and Fremont	** 7:50 am	**10:25 am
Lincoln, Wahoo and Fremont	** 7:50 am	**10:25 am
Fremont Local	** 7:50 am	*** Sunday

* Daily. ** Daily except Sunday. *** Sunday only. **** Daily except Saturday. ***** Daily except Monday.

CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN Railway—City Ticket Office, 1401 Farnam Street. Telephone 561. Depot, Tenth and Mason Streets. Telephone 128.

	Leave.	Arrive.
Missouri Valley, Sioux City, St. Paul and Minneapolis	*6:40 am	*10:45 pm
Missouri Valley, Sioux City	*7:00 am	* 9:05 pm
Dennison, Carroll, Wall Lake	** 7:30 am	** 9:05 pm
Eastern Express, Des Moines, Marshalltown, Cedar Rapids, Chicago	**10:45 am	* 4:10 pm
Atlantic Flyer, Chicago and East	* 3:45 pm	* 4:10 pm
Fast Mail, Chicago to Omaha	* 3:45 pm	* 3:10 pm
Missouri Valley, Sioux City, St. Paul, Minneapolis Limited	* 5:15 pm	* 9:20 am
Omaha-Chicago Special	* 8:20 pm	* 8:10 am

* Daily. ** Daily except Sunday.

SIOUX CITY & PACIFIC RAILroad—General Offices, United States National Bank Building, S. W. Corner Twelfth and Farnam Streets. Ticket Office, 1401 Farnam Street. Telephone 561. Depot, Fifteenth and Webster Streets. Telephone 1458.

	Leave.	Arrive.
Sioux City, Mankato, St. Paul, Minneapolis	* 4:05 pm	* 9:10 am

* Daily.

CHICAGO, ROCK ISLAND & Pacific Railroad—"The Great Rock Island Route"—City Ticket Office, 1323 Farnam Street. Telephone 428. Depot, Tenth and Mason Streets. Telephone 128.

	Leave.	Arrive.
Chicago and St. Paul Vestibuled Express	* 4:50 pm	* 1:45 pm
Lincoln, Colorado Springs, Pueblo, Denver and west	* 1:25 pm	* 4:25 pm
Chicago, Des Moines & Rock Island	* 7:00 pm	* 8:15 am
Atlantic Express, for Des Moines and eastern points	** 7:20 am	* 3:35 pm
Lincoln, Fairbury and Belleville	** 5:45 pm	**10:40 am

* Daily. ** Daily except Sunday.

WABASH RAILROAD—TICKET OFFICE, 1601 Farnam Street. Telephone, 561. Depot, Tenth and Mason Streets. Telephone, 128.

	Leave.	Arrive.
St. Louis "Cannon Ball"	* 4:30 pm	**11:20 am

*Daily.

RAILROADS.

BURLINGTON & MISSOURI River Railroad—"The Burlington Route"—General Offices, N. W. Corner Tenth and Farnam Streets. Ticket Office, 1502 Farnam Street. Telephone 250. Depot, Tenth and Mason Streets. Telephone 128.

	Leave.	Arrive.
Lincoln, Denver & west	* 8:35 am	* 9:35 am
Lincoln, Denver, Colorado, Utah, California, Black Hills, Montana and Puget Sound	* 4:35 pm	* 4:00 pm
Lincoln Local	* 7:05 pm	* 7:45 pm
Lincoln Fast Mail	* 2:25 pm	**11:30 am

* Daily. ** Daily except Sunday.

CHICAGO, BURLINGTON & Quincy Railroad—"The Burlington Route"—Ticket Office, 1502 Farnam Street. Telephone 250. Depot, Tenth and Mason Streets. Telephone 128.

	Leave.	Arrive.
Chicago Vestibuled Ex.	* 3:50 pm	* 7:35 am
Chicago Express	* 9:40 am	* 4:15 pm
St. Louis Express	* 7:00 pm	* 7:55 am
Pacific Junction Local	**11:40 am	* 5:40 pm
Fast Mail		* 2:50 pm

* Daily. ** Daily except Sunday.

KANSAS CITY, ST. JOSEPH & Council Bluffs Railroad—"The Burlington Route"—Ticket Office, 1502 Farnam Street. Telephone 250. Depot, Tenth and Mason Streets. Telephone 128.

	Leave.	Arrive.
Kansas City Day Ex.	* 9:05 am	* 5:40 pm
Kansas City Night Ex.	*10:00 pm	* 6:30 am

UNION PACIFIC—"THE OVERland Route"—General Offices, N. E. Corner Ninth and Farnam Streets. City Ticket Office, 1302 Farnam Street. Telephone 216. Depot, Tenth and Mason Streets. Telephone 128.

	Leave.	Arrive.
"The Overland Limited" for Denver, Salt Lake, western points	* 5:20	* 4:45 pm
Fast mail train for Denver, Salt Lake, Pacific coast and all western points	* 2:30 pm	*10:20 am
Lincoln, Beatrice and Stromsburg Express	** 5:00 pm	**12:20 pm
Kearney Express	** 5:00 pm	**12:20 pm

* Daily. ** Daily except Sunday.

Council Bluffs Local—Leaves, 5:40 a. m.; 6:50 a. m.; 7:30 a. m.; 8:25 a. m.; 10:45 a. m.; 2:15 p. m.; 4:30 p. m.; 5:35 p. m. Arrives, 6:20 a. m.; 7:20 a. m.; 8 a. m.; 9:25 a. m.; 11:20 a. m.; 3:10 p. m.; 5:40 p. m.; 9:05 p. m.; 10:45 p. m.

MISSOURI PACIFIC RAILROAD—General Offices and Ticket Office, Merchants