REAL ESTATE

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(Continued.)

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FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Stock, fruit and poultry farm, 97 acres, at Dixon, Mo.; good residence, two cottages; poultry houses; feed, storage houses, barns, etc.; orchard, small fruits, vegetables. H. A. Koelle, 1000 Clark Ave., St. Louis, Mo. (30)—M330 3x

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Fine improved farm, 160, in central Nebraska; all in cultivation but few acres; 25 acres alfalfa; handy to town and school; price $75 acre, good terms; one of the best in the state. Address the owner, Y 76, care Omaha Bee. (30)—M662 Je5x

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NINE HUNDRED acres smooth timber land, grass openings, in eastern Oklahoma. Close to town and railroad. Clear. Want merchandise or income property. R. Gregory, owner, Hamburg, Ia. (30)—M206 5x

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I own 160 acres of level land, one mile from Talmage, Otoe County, Neb. A 5-room house, new barn, 32x36, holds 20 tons of hay; 90 acres in corn, 28 acres in meadow, balance timber and pasture. Good timber, running water through one corner of the land. Price $100 per acre, mortgage $4,000 at 6 per cent. I want from $4,000 to $6,000 cash and balance merchandise stock. Want to get into business. What have you to offer? P. O. Box 18, Talmage, Neb. (30)—M342 3

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160 acres in Nebraska, $3.25 per acre, $800 cash, balance in eight years, $160 each year, low rate of interest. P. O. Box 404, Omaha. (30)—M302 5x

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REAL ESTATE LOANS

REAL estate purchase money, mortgages and contracts bought. Antelope Inv. Co., Old Boston Store Bldg. (22)—327

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PRIVATE money to loan. J. H. Sherwood, 616 Brandeis Bldg. (22)—326

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$500 to $200,000 at current rates.
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LOWEST RATES—Bemis, Brandeis Bldg. (22)—329

$500 TO $5,000 in homes in Omaha. O'Keefe Real Estate Co., 1001 N. Y. Life. Doug. or A-2162. (22)—333

WANTED—City loans. Peters Trust Co. (22)—323

WANTED—City loans and warrants. W. Farnam Smith & Co., 1320 Farnam St. (22)—325

SECOND MORTGAGE loans negotiated. Apply Room 417-L First Nat'l Bank Bldg. Bell phone Douglas 2313. (22)—324

FIVE PER CENT MONEY
to loan on
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THOMAS BRENNAN,
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WE HAVE BUYERS for a 5-room house, a 6-room house and a couple of vacant lots. NOWATA LAND AND LOT COMPANY, Suite 624 N. Y. Life Bldg., Omaha. 'Phone Red 1929. Open Evenings. (22)—335

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NEW furnaces; hot water and hot air combination heating, 2 and 4-hole laundry hot water heaters, mantle grates, gas stoves repaired, water fronts and flower vases. Omaha Stove Repair Works, 1206-1208 Douglas St. 'Phones Ind. A-3621, Bell Douglas 980. —336

WANTED—TO BUY

BEST price paid for secondhand furniture, carpets, clothes and shoes. Tel. Doug. 3971. (25)—337

BEST price paid for 2d-hand furniture, stoves, clothing. Wm. Rosenblatt. Tel. Doug. 5401. (25)—338

STANDARD upright pianos. Phone Webster 3726. (25)—M635

WANTED—TO RENT

WE are getting inquiries for well located houses. Must have sole agency. Nowata Land & Lot Co., suite 624 N. Y. Life Bldg. 'Phone Red 1929. Omaha, Neb. Open evenings. (26)—M712—

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WANTED—SITUATIONS

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Council Bluffs

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The Council Bluffs Office of the Omaha Bee is at 15 Scott Street. Both 'Phones 43.

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Dr. W. W. Magarell, optometrist, moved to 206-208 City National bank building.

Star chapter, Royal Arch Masons will meet in regular convocation this evening.

There will be a meeting of Mercy Aid society this afternoon at St. Mary's home.

Lily camp No. 1, Royal Neighbors of America, will meet this evening in regular session.

Council Bluffs tent, Knights of the Maccabees will elect officers at the regular review tomorrow evening.

FOR MONEY, GO TO IOWA LOAN CO., ROOM 5, EVERETT BLK., COR. PEARL AND BROADWAY.

The Ladies' Aid society of the First Congregational church will hold a kensington this afternoon at the parsonage, 710 South Sixth street.

The Ladies' Aid society of the People's Congregational church will meet Thursday morning at the home of Mrs. Jay Smith, 3222 Avenue F.

Frank E. Stubbs, formerly of this city, now a resident of Chicago, is visiting Council Bluffs friends and incidentally attending to business matters.

Framed pictures, pottery, water color and leather novelties, etc., for graduation gifts. Pretty things, from 25c up. Alexander's Art Store, 333 Broadway.

St. Mary's chapter of the Woman's guild of St. Paul's Episcopal church will meet this afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. H. Harris, 2128 Avenue B.

A marriage license was issued yesterday to William Chesney, aged 2[illegible] and Ella Bert Young, aged 36, both of Council Bluffs. They were married by Rev. Henry DeLong.

The Ladies' Aid and the Woman's Foreign Missionary societies of Broadway Methodist church will meet this afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. F. Wilcox on East Pierce street.

R. L. Latta left Sunday to attend the national convention of Railway Postal clerks in Atlanta. He goes as representative of the Sixth division as delegate from the Council Bluffs branch.

Rev. G. W. Snyder, pastor of St. John's English Lutheran church, left yesterday for Richmond, Ind., to attend the convention of the general synod of the Lutheran church. There will be no midweek services at the church.

Rev. O. O. Smith, pastor of the First Congregational church, will address the graduating class at the Oakland High school this evening. On Friday he will address the graduating class of the high school at Nodaway, Ia.

George W. Jensen, the district court grand juror who was nearly asphyxiated at the Ogden hotel two weeks ago is still in a comatose condition and unable to speak. He is said to be gradually weakening and his recovery is now considered very doubtful.

Unless he should take a turn for the worse, Frank Weaver will probably survive his attempt to commit suicide by the carbolic acid route. At Mercy hospital last night it was stated the young man was doing well and would probably recover.

Although his new office in the north end of the basement of the county court house has not been completed, Justice Cooper took advantage of yesterday being a holiday and moved his belongings into his new quarters. Justice Gardiner is expected to move his law library and other effects into his office in the south end of the county court house basement today.

During the five months of this year ending yesterday, Rev. Henry DeLong officiated at 152 weddings for which he received in fees, $526. Of this amount, Rev. Mr. DeLong says he donated $273 to charity. As probation officer of the juvenile division of the district court eighty-six cases were brought before him since the first of the year. With the exception of three, they were settled out of court.

ON TEN THOUSAND MILE WALK

W. B. Jones on the Way from Texas to Alaska.

W. B. Jones of San Antonio, Tex., who is on a 10,000-mile walk from Dallas, Tex., to Nome, Alaska, and return, reached Council Bluffs yesterday afternoon and will remain here until midnight tomorrow night, resting up.

Jones came over from Omaha, where he arrived at 9 o'clock yesterday morning from Auburn, Neb. He left Auburn at 7:15 o'clock Saturday morning, a distance of seventy-two miles from Omaha.

Jones is making his trip on a bet with Dallas, Tex., men. He has wagered $5,000 against their $10,000 that he can walk from Dallas to Nome and back to Dallas in 400 days. He has now been out forty-two days and has covered 1,272 miles. He will go from here to Sioux City, where his wife is at present visiting, and will attempt to make the ninety-seven miles in less than twenty-four hours.

On arriving at Seattle Jones is expected to work his passage on board ship to Nome, Alaska, and after spending eight days there he is to start home, working his passage again to Seattle and from there setting out on his long tramp home. Besides 400 working days, he is allowed fifteen days for sickness or accident. One of these days is already gone.

Another agreement of the bet is that he must enter and leave every town dead broke. He is not allowed to receive money by donation. Hence he must earn his way as he can. He sells souvenir postal cards and sings and lectures at the novelty theaters.

Mr. Jones will lecture at The Diamond theater tonight.

Mills County Carriers Organize.

W. H. James, president of the Pottawattamie County Rural Mail Carriers' association, went to Malvern yesterday and organized the carriers of Mills county. Thirteen out of the seventeen rural mail carriers in the county were present at the meeting and organized by electing the following officers: President, A. A. Patrick of Emerson; first vice president, W. H. Hittle of Glenwood; second vice president, E. A. Purcell of Pacific Junction; secretary treasurer, J. C. Maguire of Malvern; delegate to state convention, J. C. Maguire; alternate, W. H. Hittle. The association decided to hold its annual meeting on Labor Day which is observed on the first Monday in September.

All you have guessed about glasses may be wrong. When you get glasses you want the assurance that they are right. Remember, I have had ten years' experience as an optometrist; also that I grind all my own lenses, which assures accuracy and promptness. Dr. W. W. Maggarrel, Optometrist. Factory on premises, 206-8 City National Bank building, Council Bluffs, Ia.

Council Bluffs

TEACHERS ARE NOT CHOSEN

Executive Session of an Hour Does Not Bring Results.

CHAIRMAN SHUGART ASKS DELAY

Indications Point to a Difference of Opinion Between Superintendent and Some Members of Board.

That there was a rift in the lute somewhere was made evident at the meeting of the Board of Education last night, and the expected election of teachers for the next school year was postponed for a week.

The board spent about an hour in executive session behind closed doors, but this apparently did not clear the situation. When, towards the close of the session, suggestion was made that it might be as well to dispose of the matter of the election of teachers, Chairman Shugart of the teachers committee declared that he wanted a little more time to think it over, but he did not explain what the "it" was.

Rumors have been current for a week or more that everything was not harmonious in the board and that some of the members and Superintendent Beveridge were not entirely in accord so far as the election of teachers went. Superintendent Beveridge manifested a desire last night to have this matter disposed of, and some of the members expressed themselves as ready to take action, but it was finally decided to postpone the election until next Monday night.

After the meeting Member Elliott asserted that the trouble was due to a difference between the teachers committee and the finance committee as to the salaries which ought to be paid certain teachers. The other members declined to talk for publication, as they expressed it.

Miss Stella Vincent, a teacher in the Washington Avenue school, requested permission to occupy a room in this building for a summer school, and this brought on a prolonged discussion as to the advisability of permitting the use of the school rooms for such purposes. Member Elliott in particular opposed granting such permission. "What is there to prevent a teacher purposely keeping back the pupils under her charge so that she might gain financially by instructing them during the vacation months?" said Mr. Elliott.

The board finally decided to allow Miss Vincent the use of the room on certain conditions, one of which will require her to accept any pupil who is willing to pay for such instruction. Members Elliott and Reed voted against granting the permission and the former moved as a substitute that any teacher be permitted to use any room in any school at any time. The substitute, however, received only the support of Mr. Reed, and was consequently lost. Miss Grovenor, who requested permission to use a room in the Washington avenue school for a summer kindergarten, was turned down, as the board was of the opinion that it was merely a "day nursery" proposition.

Miss Anna Ross of the high school faculty applied for a year's leave of absence in order to travel in Europe. The leave was granted, although Member Killpack declared he did not see what power the board had to grant any such permission in view of the fact that Miss Ross was employed by the year and that her contract expired at the close of this school year, when she would be free to do as she liked and go where she liked.

OMAHA TAKES WHIST TROPHY

Captain of Council Bluffs Team Lets Trophy Go by Default.

For the first time in the history of the Western Whist league, the Richards trophy, a handsome silver loving cup, has been forfeited by the club holding it to another club which issued a challenge. At the annual tournament last winter the Council Bluffs Whist club team, of which C. D. Walters was captain, captured the trophy, and since then the cup has adorned the sideboard at the home of Mr. Walters.

A short while back the Omaha club issued its defi to the Council Bluffs "whisters," and for some reason or another which has not yet been explained, Captain Walters declined to contest and informed the Omahans that Council Bluffs would forfeit the trophy. The cup will, accordingly, be turned over by Captain Walters to Fremont Benjamin, secretary of the Omaha Whist club.

The Richards trophy was won for the first time by Council Bluffs several years ago, when Attorney John P. Organ was captain of the whist team. The local players defended it eight times before being defeated and compelled to surrender the cup. The rules of the contest for the trophy made it the permanent property of the club winning it three times. The Grand Island Whist club succeeded in doing this, but maganimously returned it to the league last year to be again competed for.

In consequence of his forfeiting the trophy, Captain Walters has been obliged to stand a good deal of good natured joshing at the hands of the other members of the Council Bluffs Whist club.

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Get our rates. Business confidential. Both phones. Iowa Loan Co., cor. Pearl and Broadway.

Business Places Kept Open.

Except for the fact that the banks, county and city offices were closed all day, there was little to indicate that Monday was being observed as a holiday in Council Bluffs. Only a few stores closed in the afternoon, while the rest kept on doing business as usual. Contrary to the announcement made, the members of the Retail Grocers' and Butchers' association did not close their places at noon.

The saloons kept open during the usual hours, Attorney General Byers having finally decided that, Memorial day falling on Sunday, Monday could not be considered a legal holiday.

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Three Arrested in Dynamite Case at St. Joseph

Union Iron Workers Charged with Attempting to Blow Up Two School Buildings.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., June 1.—Fred Campbell, J. Sullivan and Henry Sorenson, union iron workers, are under arrest, charged with being implicated in the dynamiting Saturday night of two new school buildings, the Robidioux and McKinley, in widely separated parts of the city.

The police say they have damaging evidence, especially against Campbell. The schools were being erected by P. P. Buddy and J. F. Lehr, contractors who conduct open shops. Campbell was identified by Buddy as a man who came to him several days ago and asked him to discharge some nonunion iron workers. This Buddy refused to do, and he was told that he would hear again from Campbell, who said he was a walking delegate for the Iron Workers' union. In the Robidioux school were found two charges of dynamite which had not been touched off. Some dynamite sticks were wrapped in four pages of a Kansas City newspaper. The other four pages of the newspaper were found in a stove in Campbell's room after the arrest. At the Campbell home was also found wrapping paper of the kind used in wrapping the fuse which was found in one of the school buildings.

The police expect to make another arrest in Kansas City. All three men under arrest deny all knowledge of the affair.

Taft Writes on Natural Resources

President Endorses Move to Preserve National Wealth in Letter to Editor Shaw.

CHICAGO, June 1.—The following letter, said to be President Taft's first authoritative utterance on the conservation of natural resources was received here today by A. W. Shaw, editor of a business man's magazine:

"The conservation of natural resources is a subject which will properly claim from the present administration earnest attention and appropriate legislation. The necessity for a comprehensive and systematic improvement of our waterways the preservation of our soil and of our forests, the securing from monopolistic private appropriation, the power in navigable streams, the retention of undisposed coal lands of the government from complete alienation—all these matters are vitally important to the people of the United States and to your constituency, the business men of the country.

"Without the resources which make labor productive, American enterprise, energy and skill would not in the past have been able to make headway against hard conditions. Our children and their children will not be able to make headway if we leave to them an impoverished country. Our land, our waters, our forests and our minerals are the sources from which come directly or indirectly the livelihood of all of us. The conservation of our natural resources is a question of fundamental importance to the United States now, to the business man today."

Cairo Suspects Are Identified

Two of Trio Were Seen in Cairo Night Before the Robbery of Bank.

GRAND ISLAND, Neb., June 1.—(Special.)—Sheriff Dunkel has returned from Alliance where he placed under arrest Phil or Doc Hess, Claude Perkins and Bert Axtell, suspected of complicity in the Cairo bank robbery in which the safe was blown and $6,000 taken. Hess and Axtell have positively been identified as having been seen in Cairo on the evening before the robbery and a palmist here at present states that Hess came to her early in the morning after the robbery and wanted her to go to Hastings with him. She refused because she was not feeling well. From $100 to $200 was found on the persons of the prisoners and it is believed the loot is buried, if these are the right men. They will not talk. They have been traced consecutively to Red Cloud, McCook, Brush, Sidney and Alliance.

May Arbitrate Negro Question

Only Point Left Unsettled in Georgia Strike Relates to Colored Firemen.

ATLANTA, Ga., June 1.—Representatives of the Georgia railroad and the firemen who were on strike met in conference again today with Commissioner Neill and Second Assistant Postmaster General Stewart. All disputed points except the retention of negroes as firemen have been agreed upon and it is still believed that this question must be left to arbitration.

Veteran Victim of Memorial Day

Old Soldier is Killed by Explosion While Opening Ceremonies.

WAPAKONETA, O., June 1.—By a premature explosion of a cannon, Henry Mahan, aged 70 years, an old soldier, was killed at St. Mary's today while officially opening the Memorial day observance.

FIVE MORE ROADS DEMUR

Additional Defendants in Missouri Ouster Suit Attack Attorney General's Petition.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., June 1.—Five additional railroads filed demurrers today to the information of Attorney General Major in the suit by which he seeks to have fifteen Missouri trunk lines ousted from the state for alleged violation of the Missouri anti-trust law. The Frisco, Rock Island, Kansas City Southern, St. Louis, Kansas City & Colorado and the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul systems were the defendants to reply today. Their pleadings correspond with the demurrers filed by the Chicago & Alton and the St. Louis & Southwestern on Saturday.

INSURANCE MEN LOSE JOBS

New York Life Compelled to Let Agents Go.

TOO MUCH BUSINESS WRITTEN

New York State Statute Limiting the Amount of New Contracts Responsible for Twenty Nebraskans Walking Plank.

Twenty agents holding contracts with the New York Life Insurance company in Nebraska are out of jobs as a result of a New York law which forbids a life insurance company writing more than $150,000,000 in new business each year.

This the New York Life has reached and 1,000 agents over the country are out of work. While twenty in Nebraska have had their contracts cancelled, none of the Omaha men working from the Omaha branch will lose their jobs. They will, however, have to be good and not write too much business, or the sovereign state of New York will take their bread and butter away from them and forbid the people taking out more insurance with the New York Life.

The influence of the New York law, is already world wide, according to Orla H. Menold, agency director of the Omaha branch. Many of the foreign branch offices have been closed and many men thrown out of work.

While other insurance companies saw the law going on the statute books, they did nothing to prevent it as so far none have written $150,000,000 in a single year except the New York Life. As a result agents have been thrown out of work who would have written as much as $25,000,000 of insurance or at least 75 per cent of that amount. The New York Life is getting better risks and cutting out the cheaper grades of policies, writing only the high class contracts in order to keep from doing "too much business to suit Governor Hughes."

Many bankers and other business men in Nebraska have represented the New York Life locally and written a large amount of first class business each year. Over 50 per cent of these agents are no more, beginning June 1.

Gasoline Launch Catches Fire

Accident on Potomac River Causes Death of Young Woman Who Leaps Overboard.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 1.—One was drowned and five others narrowly escaped death in the Potomac river late today when a large gasoline launch carrying three young married couples, out on a holiday excursion, caught fire from an explosion in the oil tank, forcing the occupants to leap overboard while the craft was 100 yards from the shore.

Mrs. May Wood, 22 years old, was drowned, while her husband, who made a frantic attempt to save her, narrowly escaped death, but was rescued by the timely arrival upon the scene of another launch. Mrs. Woods was terribly burned and her clothing caught fire. In a fit of excitement she sprang into the water and the flames forced the others to do likewise.

Many Are Dead in Oklahoma Storm

Late Returns Show Dozen or More Lost Their Lives in Tornado.

GUTHRIE, Okl., June 1.—When communication was resumed today with the stricken area of Saturday's tornado, it was learned that the following persons had lost their lives:

Near Paden, Okla.—

MRS. W. T. ALLEE and infant daughter, ALICE ALLEE, aged 11 years, and BERTHA ALLEE, aged 5.

Near Sparks—

H. REEVES AND L. ALLEN.

Near Arlington—

Eight unidentified negroes.

The country over which the tornado swept is inhabited almost entirely by negroes.

Ready to Serve Ten-Year Term

Convicted Man Reads in Newspaper Supreme Court Affirmed Decision and Gives Himself Up.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., June 1.—In Oklahoma, James Pritchett of Camden county, Missouri, read an item in a newspaper saying the Missouri supreme court had affirmed the verdict finding him guilty of the murder of Constable Manes of Richland, Pulaski county, two years ago. Today he arrived at the state's prison here and said he was ready to begin his ten-year term.

DEATH RECORD.

John Bower.

ST. PAUL, Neb., June 1.—(Special.)—John Bower, who for the last twenty-nine years has owned and operated a livery barn in this city, died suddenly yesterday morning at the age of 70 years. He had been in failing health during the last two months, and death was due to weakness of the heart. Mr. Bower was born in Green county, Pennsylvania, and came to this city in 1880. He leaves two children, Ralph Bower of this city, and Miss Bessie Bower of Los Angeles, Cal. The body will be interred in Elmwood cemetery tomorrow afternoon.

David Ringer.

WEST POINT, Neb., June 1.—(Special.)—David Ringer, a carpenter and contractor, an old time resident of West Point, committed suicide yesterday by shooting himself in the head at his residence. The deceased has been despondent for some time past and was not in good health. He leaves a wife, two sons and a married daughter. He was about 60 years of age.

Mrs. Walter Spear.

GENEVA, Neb., June 1.—(Special.)—The funeral of Mrs. Walter Spear was held from the home this morning. Mrs. Spear had been an invalid for some time. She was 41 years old and leaves a husband and little son, parents, three brothers and two sisters, Mrs. Bert Laing and Mrs. Merton Allen of Ohiowa.

James Tappas.

James Tappas, a Greek laborer, died of tuberculosis Sunday, after he had been in the consumptive's ward at the county hospital less than a month. A wife survives him, and lives at 106-108 South Thirteenth street. Coronor Heafey has the body at his rooms.

Reuel Dye.

CRAIG, Neb., June 1.—(Special.)—Reuel Dye, died here on Thursday from a sudden stroke of paralysis. He was well known as an old pioneer settler in Burt county and was nearly 77 years old. He was buried Friday.

Wireless Saves Damaged Ship

Passengers Are Crazed by Fear When the Vessel Becomes Helpless.

GUAYMAS, Mexico, June 1.—Through the use of wireless telegraph the American steamer Precursor, rendered helpless by a broken propellor, was rescued from a dangerous position and towed into this port yesterday. The Precursor had drifted aimlessly for three days, when a wireless communication was had with this port. A tug was sent out and brought the steamer into port. Some of the passengers had become uncontrollable from fear and had to be locked in their staterooms.

Converted Atheist Kills Himself

Kansan Who Turned from Infidelity and Became Religious Teacher a Suicide.

SALINA, Kan., June 1.—John W. Abbott, aged 55 years, formerly a well known Kansas atheist editor, committed suicide here today, taking carbolic acid. Abbott recently became converted and has since taught religion.

NEGRO CONVICTED OF MURDER OF ARTIST

Calvin Johnson of Washington Found Guilty of Killing Walter Shultz of Chicago.

ALEXANDRIA, Va., June 1.—Calvin Johnson, a negro, was convicted this evening of murder in the first degree, for the killing of Walter F. Shultz, the Chicago artist, near here on March 5, last.

The crime for which Johnson was convicted, was one of the most heinous ever committed in this section. Shultz, who had come to Washington to witness the inauguration, according to the evidence, was taken in tow on March 5 by Johnson and three other negroes, and lured to this city on an electric car. He was gagged and taken to a field outside the city where his throat was cut from ear to ear. A pawn ticket for a watch stolen from Schultz led to the arrest of Henry Smith, and the latter turned state's evidence, implicating himself, Johnson and two others. Sentence of Johnson will be imposed later.

Schultz formerly lived at Sioux City, Iowa, and has a sister residing there.

THIRTY-FIRST BOMB OUTRAGE IN CHICAGO

Entire Front of Building in Downtown District is Blown Out.

CHICAGO, June 1.—The bomb-thrower who has been the nemesis of local gamblers for more than a year resumed operations tonight. The entire front of a building in the downtown district was blown out and three people were slightly injured.

This was the thirty-first of a series of similar explosions. The explosions are the result of war between two factions of gamblers. A "whist party" was said to be in progress in the wrecked building.

MILLION DOLLAR FIRE IN SAN FRANCISCO

Nine Hundred Tons of Grain and One Hundred Tons of Hops Destroyed.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 1.—Two thousand feet of the Nevada grain docks at Port Costa, on the bay, in which all the grain from California for foreign ports is loaded, was burned tonight. The loss is estimated at more than $1,000,000. Nine hundred tons of grain and 100 tons of hops were destroyed.

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GIRL STRUCK BY LIGHTNING

Serious Results Likely to Mar Life of Bon Homme County Woman.

SIOUX FALLS, S. D., June 1.—(Special.)—Miss Edith Metzer, aged 16, daughter of a prominent Bonhomme county farmer, was struck by lightning and seriously injured. A bolt struck her home near the room in which she was working, completely shattering that portion of the building, tearing off half the plaster from the ceiling and breaking every window light in the room. The unfortunate girl received the bolt of lightning, or a part of it, directly in the face. After severely burning the upper portion the current passed down the side of her face to her arm and breast. When found she was in a critical condition. She yet is somewhat delirious at times and her memory is much impaired. A curious feature of her injury is that while her eyesight does not seem to have been destroyed she is unable to bear any light and has to be kept in a darkened room.

Many of our citizens are drifting towards Bright's disease by neglecting symptoms of kidney and bladder trouble which Foley's Kidney Remedy will quickly cure. Sold by all druggists.

Two Hundred Boys Busy.

SIOUX FALLS, S. D., May 31.—(Special.)—Some of the best corn raised in South Dakota this season will be raised by the boy pupils of the rural schools of Kingsbury county, who have engaged in a corn raising contest which has been inaugurated by A. H. Seymour, superintendent of the schools of that county. The superintendent reports that nearly 200 boys of the rural schools have entered the contest and will compete for the liberal prizes which have been offered.

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REAL ESTATE SALES RECORD

Transfers First Five Months $2,000,000 Ahead of Last Year.

MAY ITSELF IS OVER A MILLION

Many New Additions Are to Be Opened and Vacant Lots Sold During the Present Month of June.

Known real estate transfers of Omaha property are $2,000,000 more for the first five months of 1909 than for the same months of 1908.

For the month of May just passed the transfers were $1,024,853 as against $725,572 for the same month last year. As several additions have been sold on the partial payment plan and no deeds gone on record the $1,024,853 by no means represents the sales of the month.

The record for the five months of each year compared is as follows:

	1909.	1908.
January	$ 854,934	$397,614
February	890,106	637,663
March	1,304,287	726,586
April	1,267,111	932,710
May	1,024,853	725,572

With many new additions opening and vacant property selling rapidly, real estate dealers believe they will do the largest business of any month during June, then things may be quiet for the two mid-summer months.

Among the additions which will be opened during June are some which are choice building sites. The lots in them run into the hundreds and in the opinion of dealers the prices asked are too low. These additions are Milton Rogers Place, Club Terrace, Creighton's Second addition, Shull's addition, Orchard Home, Lincoln Heights and Vernon Heights.

Kaufman Case is On at Flandreau

Second Trial of Wealthy Woman Charged with Beating Servant to Death Begins.

FLANDREAU, S. D., June 1.—The second trial of Mrs. Emma Kaufman, wife of a wealthy brewer of Sioux Falls, on the charge of having killed her servant, Agnes Polreis, about two years ago, began here today. Mrs. Kaufman was once convicted of manslaughter after a long trial full of sensational testimony. She is charged with having beaten the girl and of having burned her with hot water, causing her death.

BANDLE HAS HEAVY MONTH

Records Six Hundred and Sixty-Three Deeds During the Month of May

Six hundred and sixty-three deeds were recorded in the office of County Recorder Frank W. Bandle in May of this year against 630 for May of 1908. The gain in total considerations for the month over May last year is $285,712.

Total deeds for first five months of the year show a gain of nearly $2,000,000, the exact figure being $1,907,571. The figures by months are as follows:

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February	637,663	890,106
March	726,586	1,304,287
April	932,710	1,267,111
May	725,572	1,011,284
Totals	$3,420,145	$5,327,716

Railroad Wreck in Georgia.

CEDARTOWN, Ga., May 30.—Six passengers and the engineer were slightly injured when Central of Georgia passenger train No. 1 was derailed near Martindale, Ga., thirty miles east of Chattanooga, this afternoon.

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