

Council Bluffs FIND MUCH STOLEN SUGAR

Get Property and Make Arrest Before Know Who Lost It. TAKEN FROM STORAGE FIRM

Fifty sacks of sugar, aggregating 5,000 pounds—two and one-half tons—were stolen some time prior to February 5 from the Council Bluffs Storage and Transfer Company.

The sugar had been stored in the warehouse by the Great Western Sugar company of Colorado and is a part of 5,000-000 or 7,000,000 pounds that has been stored in Council Bluffs warehouses during the autumn and winter.

The information that stolen sugar was being offered for sale in Omaha was received several days ago by the Council Bluffs police department.

It was ascertained that the sugar was being offered for sale in Omaha at 191 1/2 street, kept by Mrs. Kirk, and that his roommate was John Cooper.

How Theft Was Made. Streeter said Cooper paid Ed Dalton \$4 for the use of a team and had taken a wagon from the Droge company's yards at night and hauled the sugar to Omaha.

Detective Callaghan went to Missouri yesterday morning to bring back Cooper, who has consented to return without a requisition. He is expected to return with his prisoner this morning.

Council Bluffs Bluffs Spends Cash to Fight the River's Inroads on Banks

City Auditor McAnaney has prepared and sent to Mayor Maloney, who is now in Washington for the purpose of seeking federal aid for the protection of the river in the northwestern and western parts of the city, a detailed statement of the amount of money that has been expended by the city, the Water department and the Park board to prevent the river making a new channel for itself across a valuable section of the town.

The amount expended totals \$355, and it is for the purpose of reimbursing the city that Mayor Maloney has gone to Washington to assist Congressman Green and the Iowa delegation in securing this reimbursement and to lay before the Washington officials the urgent necessity for the appropriation of sufficient funds permanently to improve the river front all the way from the Illinois Central to the Union Pacific railroad bridges.

The information furnished by the city auditor will be of great value to Mayor Maloney and Congressman Green in presenting the matter to the War department and also to congress, if found necessary.

The detailed statement shows a total of \$355 spent. A portion of the park fund expenditure was to defray the cost of maintaining day and night patrols from Lakeview park to the Thirty-seventh street pumping station. It was the presence of this patrol that made possible the timely warning of the break in the old, partially completed levee west of the Illinois Central bridge.

In addition to this, Auditor McAnaney points out the amount of money that has been used in the acquisition of the river front park, \$11,515.45, awarded by the sheriff's jury for the land condemned and the additional costs of the surveys and condemnation proceedings, making the aggregate total expended by the Park board \$14,874.85.

Real Estate Transfers. The following real estate transfers were reported to the Bee Tuesday by the Pottawattamie County Abstract company:

Council Bluffs Minor Mention

David, druggist. Victrola, H. A. Hospe Co. H. Borwick for wall paper. Corrigan, undertaker. Phones 141. Woodring Undertaking Co. Tel 388. Blank book work. Morehouse & Co. FAULT BEER AT ROGERS' BUFFET. Lewis Cutler, funeral director. Phone 97.

The highest grade optical work in the city is done at Lefferts'. Scientific watch repair work, the kind that is appreciated, at Lefferts'. SAVE OR TO LOGGOW. SEE U. R. MUMFORD & LOAN ASSN. 12 YEARS. BUDWISER on draught—The Grand. Budweiser in bottles at all first-class bars.

Lefferts' great auction sale daily, 2 and 7 p. m., on diamonds, watches, solid silver, cut glass and jewelry. The funeral of Mrs. Louise Johnson will be held this afternoon. Short services will be held at the residence, 1312 South Ninth street, at 1:30 and at the Danish hall at 2:30, conducted by Rev. J. A. Rasmussen. Burial will be in Walnut Hill cemetery.

John Campbell, 64 years old, died at St. Bernard's hospital yesterday afternoon from general meningitis and postictic stroke. The body was removed to Under a pending arrangement for the funeral. His wife, Mrs. Helen Campbell, residing at Santa Barbara, Cal., and a brother at Los Angeles.

Lewis Hammer filed a claim yesterday against the estate of John Hamble, claiming \$1,341.00 due on a promissory note executed by Hamble before his death. The claim was originally filed on October 28, 1912, and Mr. Hammer alleges that W. B. Baird and J. K. Cooper, administrators, have refused to set a time for hearing evidence substantiating the claim, and fixed February 24 at 9 o'clock.

The second deferred first Presbyterian basketball team last night at the local "Y" by the score of 28 to 21. In the church basketball league the victory of the game was the basket tossing of Crowl, Cook and Crowl. The second Presbyterian outclassed their rival church in team basketball, winning 28 to 21 and held it to the end of the game. Both Crowl and Cook played a star game, scoring 22 out of 26 points for their side.

The fire department was called to extinguish a fire that had broken out at 831 East Broadway yesterday. A defective chimney had set fire to the roof and a large area was blazing when a chemical stream from the automatic truck was turned on. The house was the home of the late Dr. Christensen and is now in the name of Bartel Nelson, who is the widow married several years ago. The fact that only the chimney was used limited the damage to about \$100. A swift run to Fifth avenue and Seventh street, where a chimney burning out started the fire.

Alderman Boyer has begun to discharge his duty as a member of the council committee appointed by the mayor to inquire into the feasibility of consolidating the fire station at Broadway and Twentieth street with the proposed new station to be erected at Broadway and Thirty-fourth street. He dug up considerable information yesterday afternoon. He discovered that in 1880 the Twentieth street station had two teams and five men. Now, with a population nearly three times as great, there are three men and one team located there. His committee was also instructed to ascertain the cost of moving the old fire house, which was built about 1880, six blocks further west. The best figures were about \$2,000.

The Board of County Supervisors has designated March as the date for the annual good roads meetings, when all of the members of the county, township, cities and the road supervisors will gather at the court house and discuss the methods of road making. The meeting is in line with the effort to modernize the methods of road making and prevent the almost useless expenditure of money that has followed the old methods that have been in use since pioneer days. Men who know how to make good roads of all best and permanent character and men who think they will be provided as instructors. It is expected that these men will be of state and perhaps national character. Supervisors Coe, True and Harding have been appointed as a program committee.

Linncoln's birthday anniversary will be observed as a semi-holiday in Council Bluffs. The postoffice, city building, public library and all the banks will be closed all day. It being a legal holiday, most of the bank transactions would be invalid. There will be interruption, however, of the other branches of business except the saloons. Business. All of the drinking resorts are

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Nebraska Clothing Co. Correct Apparel for Men and Women FARNAM & FIFTEENTH STS. Men's shoes, up to \$5.00 values; sale price—\$2.95 Jack Hadley Arrested For Wife Desertion The troubles of 20-year old Jack Hadley did not end when he strangely left his 16-year-old bride and fled to Minneapolis after drawing his week's pay at the office of the Erie Railroad company in Omaha. He was arrested yesterday on a warrant issued by Justice Joseph after the young wife had filed a charge of wife desertion. It was ascertained that the young man was returning from Minneapolis to Omaha with the intention of taking a Missouri Pacific train south. He found an officer at the train with the warrant for his arrest. The bride, formerly Miss Florence, residing with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Willis, 318 Sherman avenue, was a member of the freshman class in the Bluffs High school when they were married in September. They have since been living with the young girl's parents. Young Hadley, greatly distressed at the unexpected turn taken in his affairs, was unable to give the bond required and was taken to the county jail pending a hearing before the justice. Taft Compliments Attorney General WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—"If the Sherman anti-trust law is enforced in the next administration as it has been in the last four years, the trust question is going to be settled in this country and it is going to be settled by lawful acquiescence by the business interests of the country." So declared President Taft in an address at a farewell dinner given here tonight to Attorney General Wickersham by his associates in the Department of Justice. "There is nothing in my administration," said the president, "in which I take such pride as I do in the work of the Department of Justice in the last four years." Lefferts' great auction sale daily, 2 and 7 p. m., on diamonds, watches, solid silver, cut glass and jewelry.

Unusual Proceeding in Telephone Suit

A rather unusual proceeding in district court practice was taken yesterday when counsel for McKinsie and Husa, plaintiffs in the big suit started against the officers and members of the board of directors of the old Independent Telephone company, when they applied to Judge Thornall for an order citing all of the defendants to appear before a commissioner, and give testimony concerning the sale of two-thirds of the company's stock to the Nebraska Telephone company. The order asked for was granted and H. J. Chambers was designated as the commissioner, acting also in the capacity of notary public. The defendants are directed to appear in his office, 215 Meigs block, on February 17 for the purpose of examination. This is frequently done in federal courts, but seldom resorted to in the state courts. It is taken to indicate the intention of the attorneys for the plaintiffs to try their case on written testimony. All of the evidence obtained will be submitted to the court by Commissioner Chambers. The defendants are paying largely, it is said, upon the recent action of the board of directors of the Independent-Nebraska company making all of the common stock of the old Independent company not acquired in the two-thirds purchase practically better than the preferred stock, as the directors passed a resolution not only permitting this stock to participate in all future dividends, but making it obligatory to pay the dividends to all of the outside stockholders before any income was derived from their own holdings. This action made the one-third of common stock outstanding of much greater value than it had ever been. This showing will perhaps go a long way toward securing a favorable ending of the present suit.

Marriage Licenses. Marriage licenses were issued yesterday to the following named persons:

If you only knew what pleasure the Victor-Victrola brings into your home, you wouldn't be without one for a single day. Any Victor dealer in any city in the world will gladly play any music you wish to hear. Victor-Victrolas \$15 to \$200 Victors, \$10 to \$100 Victor Talking Machine Company Camden, N. J. The following Omaha and Council Bluffs dealers carry complete lines of VICTOR VICTROLAS, and all of the late Victor Records as fast as issued. You are cordially invited to inspect the stocks at any of these establishments: Nebraska Cycle Co. Branch at 334 BROADWAY Council Bluffs Cor. 15th and Harney, Omaha Geo. E. Mickel, Mgr. A. Hospe Co. 1513-15 Douglas St., Omaha, and 407 West Broadway, . . . Council Bluffs Orkin Bros. Victor Department Third Floor Cor. 16th and Harney Sts. Victor-Victrola VI, \$25 Oak Victor-Victrola IX, \$50 Mahogany or oak