

A. HOSPE CO.

Exchanged Pianos at Less Than One-Half of Original Prices. We have taken in exchange an unusually large number of the higher grade makes—products of the world's largest and best factories. We haven't the room for these on our floors, so we are making prices on all of them that will cause them to find homes quickly. They can't last long at these prices:

- McCammion**
Ebonised case, good condition, \$85 \$1 per week
- Hallet & Davis**
Walnut case, large size, \$98 \$1 per week
- Hospe**
Fine Mahogany case, good as new, \$175 \$1.25 per week
- Cable-Nelson**
Mahogany case, cannot be told from new, \$225 \$1.50 per week

1513 - 1515 Douglas Street PIANOS

We Do Repairing

You overcoat or jacket may need relining or a new collar; the sleeves of your coat may need to be shortened or refitted; a new back in your vest, perhaps, or new pockets somewhere in that old suit or overcoat. There are innumerable jobs such as these that we can do at comparatively small expense and your clothes will look well for another season. Why not have it attended to now and be ready for the cooler weather. We call for and deliver to all parts of the city and Dundee.

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FRED C. WILMOTH, Mgr.

ANNOUNCEMENT!
SOMETHING NEW FOR LADIES
We are making any \$35 or \$40 SUIT or COAT for \$25
During September only. It is done to advertise our popular priced Ladies' Tailoring. We guarantee a perfect fit. Skinner satin is used in every garment.
MILLER'S LADIES' TAILORING CO.
412-415 Paxton Block.

E. J. Davis
SAFE MOVER
Heavy Hauling
1212 Farnam
PHONE DOUGLAS 353

DRINK AND ENJOY
Metz BEER
"THE OLD RELIABLE"
W. J. BOEKHOFF, RETAIL DEALER
PHONE DOUGLAS 224

Council Bluffs

HAYNES HELD UNDER BONDS

Trusted Employee of Contractor Wickham Confesses Stealing.
GRAIN SOLD FROM THE BARN

Bob Haynes, 26 years old, and for the last three and one-half years an employee of Contractor Wickham serving during the last eight months as barn foreman at the North Eighth street Wickham yards, was held under \$500 bonds in police court yesterday to answer the charge of theft. Haynes was charged with stealing corn and grain from the stable in his charge and selling it. He confessed to having stolen and sold 200 bags of grain, worth \$400, in the last month. In checking up the consumption and supplies yesterday Wickham discovered that approximately \$1,000 worth of grain had been stolen in the last six months. The arrest of Haynes was due to the good work of the local detective force, and had practically been revealed before Mr. Wickham discovered the theft. The detectives were seeking the thieves, who had abandoned a wagon load of corn near the basket factory in the vicinity of Cochran park early Monday morning. It was then thought that the grain had been stolen from some railroad car, but the inquiries of the detectives brought out the fact that the grain was working and being taken from the Wickham barns drinking beer. Further inquiry disclosed that the Wickham grain was being stolen and sold and the money used to buy beer. The arrest of Haynes followed. Haynes had been particularly favored by Wickham, who provided him with a comfortable house at 1819 North Eighth street, for the use of himself and family, furnishing him fuel free. It was decided yesterday that the wagon load of corn being held by the police was not taken from the Wickham barns, but was stolen from some freight car.

Loyal Club Honors Froom with Present

The Loyal club of Omaha held a meeting on Thursday night when a number of Council Bluffs men were guests, one of whom was singled out for special consideration. It was a conspiracy conceived and executed in a measure by Charles Hansen, George P. Hughes, L. L. Evans, James G. Bradley, Ernest Lathrop, W. H. Barghausen, Robert Heller and others, who partially kidnapped and partially persuaded Chief of Police Froom to accompany them, and he became their victim. At a critical moment when the proceedings came to the most breathless point of interest one of the oratorical giants of the club, stepped forward and firmly requested the Council Bluffs police head to stand up. The force of the command compelled obedience. Then the gifted orator turned loose the flood of eloquence that was ready to burst its bounds. His address to the Romans and Spartacus to the gladiators was tame stuff in comparison. Even Mark Anthony's rhetoric and though-studded sentences lost much in contrast while the orator extolled the character of Chief Froom and told the spellbound audience that the occasion had been brought about to celebrate the last birthday anniversary of the Council Bluffs man, and then ecstatically added a century or two to his real age. With the chandeliers swaying and the windows rattling, the climax was reached. Chief Froom was handed a handsome gold-handled umbrella, properly engraved. The Council Bluffs man can handle himself pretty well in an emergency, but the suddenness and profound character of the surprise left him in a state of wordless agitation that required a minute to recover from. Later in the evening refreshments were brought in and George P. Hughes furnished the dessert with a dozen or two of his best character sketches. It required two automobiles and the last hour of the night to bring the Bluffs party home. The friends of Chief Froom were yesterday admiring his present and congratulating him.

Wickham Buys Hart Stock in the Bank

One hundred thousand dollars of the stock of the First National bank, held by the estate of deceased president, Ernest E. Hart, was yesterday sold by Mrs. Hart to E. A. Wickham, president of the State Savings bank and J. P. Greathouse, president of the First National. The sale was in accordance with the provisions of the will of Mr. Hart, which directed Mrs. Hart, as the executrix, to convert all of the property into cash and invest the proceeds in interest-bearing securities and municipal bonds. Mrs. Hart's holdings of the bank stock belonging to herself and the estate was 528 shares. The sale announced yesterday was for 148 of these shares at \$21 per share, leaving Mrs. Hart still 380 shares of the stock in addition to the twenty-five shares held by each of her two sons. An effort to purchase \$2,000 of the original stock held by Mrs. Charles R. Hannan, widow of the founder of the bank, failed, although a cash offer of \$2,000, or \$80 a share, was made. Yesterday the balance sheets at the close of the day showed the bank's business had reached the highest point in its history. Deposits reached the highest figure yet attained and the top notch was exceeded in all other departments. The bank has grown steadily, beginning with its existence as a state bank and without interruption throughout its life as a national bank. It is said it has never been milked by its stockholders and its surplus has never been withdrawn. When its surplus increased until it reached the amount of the capital stock it was used to double the capital, and it has been permitted to since accumulate. Glasses fitted, optical repairing done, any broken lenses duplicated correctly. Laffert's Opticians, 603 Broadway. Persistent Advertising is the Road to Big Returns.

WEEK AT KILPATRICK'S

The many thousands of visitors to the King's domain, Ak-Sar-Ben time, will have to be housed as well as fed. Starting Monday morning, September 15th and ending Saturday night, September 20th. ALL OMAHA IS INVITED.

6 Days of Strenuous Selling of LIENS, BLANKETS and BEDDING

- NAPKINS**
Branded Reliable—well made, doz. 42½¢
Napkins, made in Germany, excellent values, dozen \$1.25
- TABLE DAMASK**
Mercerized Damask, laundries well, yd. 32½¢
Union Damask, half linen 47½¢
Pure Linen Damask 98¢
"Ye Old Homespun" will give satisfaction, at 50¢
- HUCK TOWELS**
3 for a quarter, each 8½¢
A better huck towel 10¢
All linen towels 15¢
Bath towels that will wear 15¢
Larger size bath towels 19¢
- BED SPREADS**
At 85¢, 95¢ and \$1.15
And better grades priced proportionately low.
- PILLOW CASES**
Every single number—Very good value.
42x36 Saranace .8c 45x36 Saranace .9c
42x38½ hotel .14c 45x38½ hotel .15c
42x36 Atlantic .15c 45x36 Atlantic .16c
22x3 Sterling Pillows, pair \$1.95
- SHEETS**
Ready to put on the bed, well made, wear well.
72x99 number 3000, each 42½¢

- 72x99 Ironwear, each 49¢
- 81x99 Hotel Special, each 62½¢
- 81x99 McAlpin, each 85¢
- BLANKETS**
We never exhibited such a line. Every number a hummer.
62x72 grey cotton, wooly touch, pr. 82½¢
70x80 grey cotton, good big size \$1.15
64x80 plaid (quite nobby) \$2.50
68x80 wool blanket \$2.95
- COMFORTABLES**
Real Comforters for nippy nights.
72x84 at \$1.25, \$1.45, \$1.65, \$1.75 and upward.
- ASK** at the Dress Goods Section about the **ONE PIECE SUITS** which we will make to your order.
- The bane and burden of women's lives solved by this new department and the beauty of it all is **IT DON'T COST MUCH.**
- Announcement Particular**
Mrs. L. C. Redding representing the Modest Corset Co., will be with us for one week at the Corset Section. This lady has a great reputation. She knows how to build up and create a beautiful figure. Her knowledge is at your service without money and without price. Worthy of your attention.

Style Week Opens Monday, September 15th

The Tango exhibits, we confess, make us smile, For we've style all the while, all the while. No turkey trot needed our friends to be guile— For we've style all the while, style all the while. Pardon the above, the introduction of grizzley hug and vaudeville into the Dry Goods business is the cause. We don't need them in our business, and thank heaven, our customers don't either. A dignified exhibit of the latest accepted styles for Women, Misses and Children shown in our showroom starting Monday morning. Vulgar, Questionable, Indecent garments absolutely excluded. For the credit of Omaha, her women have never been attracted by vulgar display. Every city of course has a few morbid and curious individuals. Don't fail to visit the silk section—special exhibit of exclusive imported and American made fabrics.

Dressmakers Invited

Thos. Kilpatrick & Co.

Minor Mention

Council Bluffs Office of The Bee is at 14 NORTH Main St. Telephone 44.

David, drugs.
Victoria, W. A. Hoops Co.
Corrigans, undertakers. Phone 148
Woodring Undertaking Co. Tel. 328
Blank book work. Morehouse & Co.
GARDNER PRESS, Printing. Phone 22
FAUST BEER AT ROGERS' BUFFET.
Lewis Culler, funeral director. Phone 81
Dodge Elevator company, the place to buy your coal.

Bradley Electric Co., wiring and fixtures. Phone 222.

The highest grade optical work in the city is done at Laffert's.

See Borwick for wall paper and painting. 208 and 211 S. Main street.

Scientific watch repair work, which is appreciated, at Laffert's.

TO SAVE OR TO BORROW, SEE C. B. Mutual Bldg. & Loan Ass'n, 121 Pearl.

BUDWEISER on draught. The Grand Budweiser in bottles at all first-class bars.

A divorce was yesterday granted to Fannie L. Lowrey from D. L. Lowrey on the ground of cruelty.

Having added new machinery we are able to take care of your clothes quicker and better. Cook's Cleaning works. Telephone 174.

Yesterday being Friday only one marriage license was issued. It was granted to Bert D. Johnson, aged 24, and Essie Mook, 21 years old, both of Lincoln.

H. S. Lower, administrator of the estate of the late Mrs. M. L. Williams, filed an inventory showing the property to consist of a lot in Johnson's addition to this city, \$1,000 in promissory notes and debt. The heirs are as follows: Mrs. Josephine Lower, daughter, Bloom, Okla.; Jerome Hilt, son, Armonda, N. D.; Sylvester Hilt, son, Irwin, Ia.; John A. Hilt, son, residence unknown; Mrs. Nora M. Hilt, daughter-in-law; Sylvester F. Hilt, grandson, Tacoma, Wash.

Carl Martin, a Council Bluffs fighter, who has been trained by Wallace Kilrain, cousin of the famous Jake Kilrain, left for Des Moines yesterday morning to enter an eight-round bout in the ring with Joe Gordon, an Omaha fighter. The fight is for a decision between the two men and a good-sized purse, which is the main attraction. The young Council Bluffs fighter has been trained at the quarters of Jack Whitaker, who has in a measure promoted the fight. Kilrain is now working out for a bout with a ring star whose name has not been announced.

A saloon injunction, which was issued more than twenty years ago, and against a man who has long since died, was formally dissolved. On February 2, 1884, L. Kirsch, a pioneer wholesale liquor dealer of Council Bluffs, owned a building in the village of Neola in which a saloon was being conducted. In one of the customary raids for revenue into the popular and profitable to a certain class of lawyers in Council Bluffs, an injunction was issued against the proprietor of the saloon and against Mr. Kirsch as owner of the building. More than fifteen years ago Mr. Kirsch died, highly respected and honored. The owner of the licensed saloon went into other fields and all of the others connected with the case moved away or died, including the person who signed the application for the injunction. In clearing away the huge stack of decaying legal lumber that piled high in the court docket the district court judges came upon this case, and yesterday Judge Wheeler entered a decree dissolving the injunction. The case on the docket is entitled Julia Thompson against William Zoring, L. Kirsch, Willis Dunn and Chauncey Terry.

Motive for the attack made upon Mrs. W. A. Poncelow, wife of a street car motorman, residing at 2311 Broadway has been revealed and shows how nearly she escaped from being robbed of trust funds. A benefit was given last night at the Rex theater on West Broadway for the relief of an estimable woman, and a widow, residing in the community, and the women of that portion of the town took charge of the sale of tickets. They were given one-half of the proceeds of the tickets they sold. Mrs. Poncelow was very active in the good work and sold more than 200 tickets. An

hour before the attempt was made to hold her up and rob her she telephoned from a west end store that she had about \$15 which she wanted to turn in to the house. Soon after telephoning she met Mrs. McCaffrey, wife of former Sheriff McCaffrey, and turned over the money to her as she was the designated holdup man overheard the telephone conversation and laid in wait for Mrs. Poncelow on her way home. When he seized her in the darkness she was carrying the little hand bag which had contained the tickets and money and was able to offer a sharp resistance. If she had had the money, however, the man would have undoubtedly have got it.

Painting Pays the Largest Dividends
The property owner who keeps his buildings well painted with our high grade paint, which we are selling at present at a discount of 10 per cent, will be well repaid. C. Hafer Lumber Co.

Stock Photograph Not Good Evidence

A stock photograph showing a female in tight figure as evidence of a corroboratory character in a divorce suit brought by Mrs. Farn Kitterer against her husband, George Kitterer, a railroad yardman, now residing in Sioux City. In her petition Mrs. Kitterer alleged cruelty, drunkenness and associating with other women. In proof of the last charge the photograph was exhibited, showing the defendant gazing in the direction of the female in skirtless attire. Expert evidence showed that the female picture folder case, apparently about the time Kitterer was born, and that the real situation was that Kitterer was gazing vacantly into space when he posed in some gallery for his picture to be placed on the opposite page.

Mrs. Kitterer agreed to the modification of the petition and accepted the divorce upon the allegation of cruelty and drunkenness and waived all claim for alimony. In her petition she alleged that her husband was earning \$100 a month. They were married at Independence, Mo., August 21, 1906. The suit was filed here August 12 last.

Girls wanted for wrapping and packing candy. Also experienced chocolate dipper. Do not apply unless you want steady employment for fall and winter. John G. Woodward & Co., "The Candy Men," Council Bluffs, Ia.

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

- Elias Strom and wife to Harvey Swanson, part of n.w. 1/4, Sec. 25-44, w. 4, d. \$1,100
- Chris Hansen and wife to J. W. Squire, s.w. 1/4, Sec. 27-48, w. 4, d. \$1,000
- P. W. McMemory to Amy Reed, lot 2, block 21, Central subdivision, \$1,000
- E. B. Mallory to Katie Mallory, lot 17 block 4, Van Brunt & Rice's subdivision, \$1,000
- Annie M. Keys to G. T. Karpas, lot 4 block 3, Central subdivision, \$800
- Leonard Everett and Mary L. Everett, executors of Mary L. Williams, s.w. 1/4, block 18, Williams' first addition, q. c. d. \$1,000
- Mary L. Everett to Leonard Everett, executor of Horace Everett, deceased, n.w. 1/4 of lot 18, block 18, Williams' first addition, q. c. d. \$1,000
- M. M. Reynolds and wife to J. M. Cherrick, lots 1 and 2, block 10, Omaha addition, w. d. \$1,000

Eight transfers, total \$2,500

The Persistent and Judicious Use of Newspaper Advertising is the Road to Business Success.

HOUSEHOLD NECESSITIES AT A SAVING OF 20 TO 50 PER CENT

Sugar, 20 pounds, \$1; 10-cent toilet paper, 4 rolls 25 cents; 15 extra heavy copper bottom wash boiler, \$1.25; chile con carne, 2 cans for 15 cents; best shoulder steak, per pound 15 cents; 25-cent can Calumet baking powder, 25 cents; 10-cent package cedar moss, 25 cents; home dressed beans, 10 cents per pound; dressed sprouts, 20 cents per pound; 11 size Universal food chopper, 60 cents; 40-cent brass washboard, 30 cents; boneless rolled rib roast, 15 cents per pound; home made Bologna, 8 for 25 cents; Palm Olive soap, 3 bars 15 cents; Galvanic soap, 5 bars 10 cents; salmon, 2 cans for 25 cents; 25-cent bottle olive, 15 cents; extra fancy Elberta peaches, 15 cents; extra fancy Elberta Bartlett pears, 10 cents; fancy California blue plums, 25 cents per basket; cranberries, 15 cents per basket; fancy corn or hominy, 3 cans for 25 cents; folding wash bench, \$1.25; 7 easy running wash machine, \$2.50; home made hamburger steak, 2 pounds for 25 cents; nutron, per pound, up from 8 cents; veal, per pound, up from 15 cents; lard, 3 pounds for 25 cents; fancy pot roast, 15 cents; Muscatine water melons, 25 to 40 cents; heavy carpet beater, 15 cents; etc., etc. J. Zoller Mercantile company, The Big Uptown Store, 100-102-104-106 Broadway. Phone 320.

FIRE IN BASEMENT CAUSES PANIC IN SIOUX CITY HOTEL
SIOUX CITY, Ia., Sept. 12.—Fire in the basement of the new Mandamin hotel early this morning caused a panic among the sixty guests. Many were rescued from windows by firemen. All escaped from scanty attire. The damage was slight.

Lessons in Scientific Complexion Renewing

(From The Family Physician.)
Everyone has a beautiful skin underneath the one exposed to view. Bear that in mind and it will be easier to understand the correct principle in acquiring a lovely complexion. Nature is constantly shedding the top skin in flaky particles like dandruff, only much smaller in size. In abnormal conditions, or in advancing age, these particles are not shed as rapidly as in robust youth. The longer they remain the more soiled or faded they become—that's the immediate cause of a "bad complexion."
It has been discovered that ordinary mercurized wax, as had at any drug store, will absorb these worn-out particles. The absorption, while hastening Nature's work, goes on gradually enough to cause no inconvenience. In a week or two the transformation is complete. The fresh, healthy, youthful under-skin is then wholly in evidence. You who are not satisfied with your complexion should get an ounce of mercurized wax and try this treatment. Use the wax nightly, like cold cream, washing it off mornings.—Advertisement.

Have You a Wife?

Bachelors Need Not Read This For it Will Not Interest Them

It will not interest you. It is intended for the married men alone, and especially for the man and wife who have no children. Perhaps the wife played the piano before she was your wife. Perhaps the need of early economy made it seemingly impossible for you to buy a piano, and perhaps the wife has passed many a lonesome afternoon and evening for the lack of an instrument in the house. Are you sure you're satisfied to live on without music in the home? If you are, we fail in our purpose. If not, we'll sell you a piano. Come in, bring the wife along and let us show you the way to secure one of our splendid instruments for the home. Phone us and we'll talk the matter over with you. Yes, any evening will do.

Prices on New and Used Pianos

1 Hardman . . . \$275	1 Kimball . . . \$100
1 Steger . . . 150	1 Steinway Grand . 700
1 Vose & Son . . 125	1 Behning . . . 75
1 Hamilton . . . 150	1 Arion . . . 75
1 Emerson . . . 150	1 Mueller . . . 125

Hayden Bros.

The Sensation Of the Decade
A Tale of the Most Wonderful Journey Since the Voyage of Columbus
Dr. Frederick A. Cook's Book
"My Attainment of the Pole"
At the Publisher's Cost, 75c, Postage Extra, 15c.
At Megeath's Stationery Stores
1421 Farnam. 223 So. 16th.

The Omaha Bee, the home paper of Nebraska, and the Twentieth Century Farmer, best farm magazine. You should have them both.