

A. S. RITCHIE NOT YET NAMED BY JIM

Application for Corporation Counsel in Abyeance—Commission Just Sets Aside Money.

NO SUCCESSOR TO BAKER AS YET

Nothing doing as yet on the appointment of a successor to Benjamin S. Baker, former corporation counsel of Omaha.

In other words, the mayor has not quite screwed his nerve up to the point of naming A. S. Ritchie for the place.

The commission as a whole has set aside \$3,000 (the regular salary) in case such work as might fall to a corporation counsel needed to be done.

Mr. Ritchie, as is generally known, has been important in his application for the office, and at one time Mayor Dublin was said to be on the verge of appointing him, subject, of course, to the commission's confirmation.

Mr. Ritchie wrote a letter to each commissioner, advising him of the favorable consideration of the mayor for the place and expressing the hope that each commissioner would fall into line.

Charles E. Fanning is also said to have manifested a zest in the appointment of Mr. Ritchie; indeed, his friendship for him is said to have impelled Mr. Fanning to plead for his appointment at the bar of His Honor, the mayor.

But objections seemed to arise. In the first place, as is quite well known in city hall circles, the appointment of Mr. Ritchie would be highly disappointing to some other members of the legal department, who have worked hard in attempting to master the details of the department so, at present, it seems to be a toss-up whether Mr. Ritchie will be named at all, or whether anyone will be.

AGRICULTURISTS PROSPER IN STATE OF COLORADO

Superintendent Vickroy of the Colorado division of the Union Pacific is at headquarters. He is enthusiastic over the outlook throughout the mountain states, asserting that in Colorado business is picking up and promises to keep on growing better.

Since people of Colorado have begun turning their attention to farming, live stock and fruit raising they have been making money. Formerly they thought the mining industry constituted everything there was to Colorado.

Maid Charged With Theft from Home of B. B. Reynolds

Wilhelmina Williams, colored, second maid in the home of Mrs. B. B. Reynolds, 304 North Thirty-first avenue, was arraigned in police court charged with the theft of a suit case full of clothing, silverware and several articles of jewelry, which Mrs. Reynolds discovered hidden under a pile of soiled linen in the basement.

MOST OF THE LOCAL ICE HARVEST IS COMPLETED

The Pacific Fruit Express company has finished filling all the ice houses along the main line of the Union Pacific and is well along with the filling of those on the Kansas division.

and North Platte and has been running from twelve to fifteen inches in thickness.

Locally little is being done on the ice. Those who handle the crop are waiting for another frigid spell and are not worrying because it does not come. It is estimated that for city consumption about 75 per cent of the required quantity has been secured.

Carter Lake Club Re-Elects Officers

At the first meeting of the new board of directors of the Carter Lake club Thursday night all of the officers were re-elected, as follows: Frank L. Weaver, president; C. L. Dunder, vice president; D. H. Christie, secretary, and A. P. Whitmore, treasurer.

The annual report of the organization was read, showing \$1,153.30 cash on hand, twenty-seven lots and three more shares of the capital stock unaided, and a membership of 72.

The committees on the various sports enjoyed at the club have not yet been named.

Our Great January GIGANTIC UNLOADING SALE

it started last week with the most tremendous rush and crush this store has ever known - Saturday will be another record smashing day - be on hand early - get your share



NO APOLOGY WE cannot and will not apologize for the overwhelming crowds that filled the aisles and blocked every counter all day last Saturday.

For Reasons of our own - WE are sacrificing our entire Winter stock of Men's and Boys' Clothing, Hats and Furnishings at any price to clear the shelves, tables and counters - EVERYTHING must go - and we are naming the reductions that will do it.

SUITS and O'COATS Sacrificed THINK of buying The Palace Clothing - the latest and best products of our own tailoring shops at prices like these. It's an opportunity you cannot afford to miss.

Price lists for suits and overcoats: \$15 and \$18 Suits and Overcoats, Actual \$20.00 Suits and Overcoats, Actual \$22.50 Suits and Overcoats. \$6.98, \$8.50, \$9.75, \$11.75.

Pig Pork Loins, from 6 to 8 lbs. . . 11 1-2c. 1914 Forequarters Spring Lamb . . . 8 3/4c. Choice Steer Pot Roast. . . 14 1/2c and 11 1/2c. Cudahy's Diamond 'C' and Armour's Star Hams . . . 16 1/2c.

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PUBLIC MARKET 1610 Harney St. Phone Douglas 2793.

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Free Sample 'Pompeian Night Cream' - A dainty sample of a very dainty cream SATURDAY free to lady customers - Saturday.

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Do Not Miss Our Men's Pants Values \$1.50 Values. Men's \$2 Pants - Real Values - In this Sale at . . . 90c. Men's \$2.50 Pants \$1.39. Men's \$3.00 Pants \$1.69. Men's Hats \$2 Values, \$1. 35c and 50c Neckwear. 50c and 75c Neckwear. \$2 Union Suits. 50c Underwear. \$1.25 Flannel Shirts.

Be Sure You GET Pure Milk. Many epidemics of disease in cities are daily being traced to the milk supply. Germs thrive in milk. They thrive in milk that has been pasteurized as well as in unpasteurized milk. Chicago Health Bulletin No. 8 says that ten cases of typhoid fever were traced to one milk-wagon driver who stayed at work after he felt sick.

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