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This is a three-story brick building in established retail district, with stores below and flats above; located 1½ blocks from 16th and Harney Sts.; lot 60x132 ft. Under lease to good tenants for $6,240 per year. Price only $35,000 for long time leasehold. Desirable terms. Pays nearly 10 per cent on purchase price.

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DUNDEE BARGAIN—$4,250.
One of the swellest little bungalows in Dundee; 6-room, strictly modern; located near 50th and Davenport; lot 50x125; oak floors and oak finish; one-half block to car line; owner leaving city; will sell all of furniture also.
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6-room, strictly modern bungalow; 5 rooms and bath on first floor; 1 room finished upstairs; oak finish and oak floors; combination hot water heat; paved street; paving all paid; lot 50x140. Priced at $4,700.
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SEVERAL lots, building restriction, $3,500.00. Adjoining Happy Hollow Circle. $400.00 to $1,000.00.
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Well improved. Will take good bungalow as part payment.
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From $4,500 to $3,000
On 4⅛ Acres Improved
In Keystone Park
We offered this at $4,500 last year, but property has changed hands and owner absolutely says sell in thirty days.
Good 6-room house, electric lights, rough plumbing; good well; poor barn; one-half in alfalfa. Fine, high, sightly location. Call Tyler 59 and ask for Mr. Manville.
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Good house, barn, fruit; 1 block to car and paved street. $3,600; terms.
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ELEPHANT Butte Dam, Rio Grande Valley. World's greatest irrigation enterprise. Watering Dona-Ana farms. Now ready for settlers. Practical, real cooperation protecting home seekers. Write for circular. No. 20, Dona-Ana Farms Alliance, El Paso, Tex.

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1,200 ACRES in Lincoln Co., Colo., trade E. Neb. improved farm. Good trade for right kind of farm.
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TO EXCHANGE—320 acres improved farm in Oklahoma, for Gen. Mdse., or Hdwe. Must be good. Address Box Y 835, Omaha Bee.

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BEST RESULTS—LOWEST RATE

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WANTED—4, 5 and 6-roomed houses that can be sold for $100 cash, balance $15 per month; send complete description first letter.
W. FARNAM SMITH & CO.,
1320 Farnam. Tel. Doug. 1084.

LIST your 5 and 6-room houses with us. WE SELL THEM. OSBORNE REALTY CO. Doug. 1474.

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HIGH	CLASS	LOANS
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Ten per cent interest per annum and 10 per cent brokerage fees. Provided by law. Easy Payments. Utmost Privacy.
Twenty-five Years Established.
OMAHA LOAN CO.
Licensed and Bonded.
Tel. Doug. 2295. Room 340 Paxton Blk.

FURNITURE, pianos, ind. notes as security. $40—6-mo. H. H. gds., total cost, $3.60; $40— " indorsed notes, total cost, $2.40. Smaller, larger am'ts, proportionate rate.
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Organized by Omaha Business Men.
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CITY and farm loans promptly made. Rates 5, 5½ and 6 per cent. Reasonable commission.
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5, 5½ and 6 per cent. Also first mortgages on farms and Omaha real estate for sale. J. H. Dumont & Co., 416-18 Keeline Bldg., 17th and Harney.

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$4,500 MORTGAGE bearing 6 per cent semi-ann., secured by property valued at $11,500. Talmage-Loomis Inv. Co., W. O. W. Bldg.

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$500,000 to loan on Omaha real estate or Central Neb. land.
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NO DELAY in closing loans. W. T. Graham, 604 Bee Bldg.

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WILL sell one share Drummond Motor Co., par value, one hundred dollars; accrued dividends seven dollars, making $107; will sell for $87 cash. Box 1212, Bee.

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Kerr Title, Guarantee and Abstract Co., 305 S. 17th St., ground floor. Bonded by Mass. Bonding and Ins. Co.

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Financial Wanted.

GALLAGHER & NELSON
Represent prompt pay insurance companies. 644 Brandeis Bldg., Omaha, Neb.

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MAN with three boys, ages 18, 14, 12, wants to rent a farm, all equipped with horses, machinery, and stock. To farm on the shares or percentage. Address W. Michael, Carroll, Ia.

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PALM BEACH COUNTY.
We have the record crop truck garden and citrus fruit land the United States. You can buy on easy terms.
Note: If you are a good land salesman Palm Beach county, Florida, offers you the best land proposition in America.
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RAISE ALFALFA IN FLORIDA (Natal Hay) this winter. First cutting, 90 days; $60 to $80 annually on $40 land. 626 Paxton Blk. Walnut 2727 (evenings).

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SMALL MO. Farm—$10 cash and $5 monthly; no interest or taxes; highly productive land; close to 2 big markets. Write for photographs and full information. Munger, A-119 N. Y. Life Bldg., Kansas City, Mo.

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WANTED—Renter for 640-acre ranch, western Nebraska; 400 acres alfalfa; a good property; cash rent, $1,250; references required. Aug. Burger, 548 Bee Bldg., Omaha.

WE FARM the farm we sell you.
THE HUNGERFORD POTATO GROWERS' ASSN.,
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WET land made dry enough for crops or no pay, is our way of draining land. No tract too large or too wet. Guarantee Drainage Co. Oakland, Neb.

SOME bargains in Kimball county farms; improved and raw land; land that raises 15 to 25 bushels of wheat per acre; $10 and up. Farmers' Land Co., Kimball, Neb.

South Dakota Lands.

FOR SALE—Three improved quarters of land, near town in Gregory county, South Dakota. Two improved half sections in Brule county, South Dakota; all good alfalfa, corn and grain land; will take some trade. 120 acres near Shenandoah, Ia. Ask the owner, G. A. Shadle, Shenandoah, Ia.

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40 INCHES RAINFALL
well distributed and a mild, even climate, in the Trinity River valley, East Texas, where we are selling good corn and alfalfa land for $25 per acre. This is an ideal place for all kinds of stock raising and a good, healthy climate to live in; good schools and churches, good markets and shipping facilities.
We are going down February 20 and want to show you. W. S. Frank, 201 Neville Blk., Omaha, Neb.

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WE OWN 150,000 ACRES.
$7.50 to $25.00 per acre.
Reasonable terms.
GRIMMER LAND CO.,
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GUARANTEED TIRES.
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We make one new tire from two old ones.
GUARANTEED 3,000 MILES.
We Buy and Sell
USED CARS—TIRES.
Live agents wanted. If you are a hustler write for our agency proposition.
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215 S. 24TH ST., Crosstown Garage, D. 4442. Single cyl. Harley motorcycle, $25; 1911 Parry touring car, used very little, new tires, perfect running order, $125; windshields, $5, etc.

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Terms if desired.
Prompt attention given to all interested out-of-town buyers.

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Cadillac "8" Touring.
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ALL TO BE SACRIFICED.

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Cash rebate on your auto insurance policy if your car is equipped with
PERRY LOCK.
Phone Douglas 3217. 894 Brandeis Bldg.

1—1913 PAIGE, electric equipped, $210.
1—1914, 6-50 Maxwell speedster, $400.
Several second-hand Franklins.
TELL & BINKLEY,
2218 Harney St. D. 1570.

WE will trade you a new Ford for your old one.
INDUSTRIAL GARAGE CO.,
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USED CARS AT REAL PRICES.
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We are establishing
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WILL pay CASH FOR several used TWO-CYLINDER CARS. Phone Harney 5768 and ask for JOHN.

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CASH for any Ford. Webster 2168 evenings. Red 7401 days.

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EXPERT auto repairing, "service car always ready." Omaha Garage, 2910 Harney St. Tyler 559.

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THE Salvation Army Industrial home solicits your old clothing, furniture, magazines. We collect. We distribute. Phone Doug. 4125 and our wagon will call. Call and inspect our new home, 1110-1112-1114 Dodge St.

MISS LARSON—Baths, massage and manicuring. Scalp and facial massage. Staats Institute, 1506 Harney St. D. 7097. Open evenings and Sundays.

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LUELLA WEBSTER, massage and manicuring. 518 Paxton Blk. Red 2400.

MISS S. BENJAMIN, manicuring, facial, scalp treatment. Staats Ins. 1506 Harney.

MISS NASH BRUGMAN, scientific masseuse and baths. 203 Karbach Blk. Red 2727.

ALL Right Private Maternity Home, 5011 Miami St. Webster 2908.

SCIENTIFIC massage. 520 Bee Bldg. Phone Douglas 6372.

E. BROTT—Magnetic massage. 2424 Cuming.

MISS GILE, mass., chiropody. 1322 Farnam.

Manicuring and mass. 1623 Farnam. Rm. 19.

POULTRY AND PET STOCK

THOROUGHBRED Boston bull pup; corkscrew tail; 6 months old; nicely marked. Very reasonable. Phone Harney 6067.

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REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

South Omaha Land company to Herman A. Thielke, Thirty-sixth street, 65 feet south of E street, east side, 130x150 ..$400
Robert A. McCague to Madaline C. Daly, California street, 150 feet east of Forty-third street, south side, 50x122.6 .. 1
Rosetta M. McLennan and husband to Mary J. Ryan, Thirty-fourth street, 60 feet north of Fort street, west side, 40x130.5 187
Carrie Snowden and husband to Antony Hassebrook, Cuming street, 56 feet east of Forty-sixth street, south side, 56x128 1
Joan T. Lyons and husband to Annie C. Gould, Fifty-first avenue, 275 feet south of Dodge street, west side, 50x125 1
Martha A. Miller to Lorena Merrill, Twenty-seventh avenue, 226 feet north of Fort street, west side, 40x120 1
Grover & Layman Realty Co. to Annie Davis, southeast corner Fifty-fourth and Sprague, 81x132 295
Magic City Realty company to Anna Klucznik, S street, 150 feet west of Twenty-seventh street, south side, 50x130 350
Homestead company to Emil J. Mohr, jr. Harrison street, South Omaha, 137 feet west of Thirty-third street, north side, 40x126 136

LEGAL NOTICES.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING PAPER FOR THE PUBLIC PRINTING AND BINDING.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received until 10 o'clock a. m., February 17, 1917, at the room of the Joint Committee on Printing, in the Capitol, Washington, D. C., for furnishing the paper for the public printing and binding from the 1st day of March, 1917, to the 28th day of February, 1918. The proposals will be opened before and the awards of contracts made by the Joint Committee on Printing to the lowest and best bidders for the interests of the Government whose bids are in conformity with the requirements of the proposals. The committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to accept any bid or any part and reject the other part, if, in its opinion, such action would be in the interest of the Government.

Blank proposals containing the instructions, schedule, and specifications, accompanied by standard samples, may be obtained by addressing Cornelius Ford, Public Printer, Washington, D. C.

Contracts will be entered into for supplying the quantities required, whether more or less than the estimates.

The approximate estimated quantities set forth in detail in the schedule comprise:

210,000 pounds news-print paper; 11,890,000 pounds machine-finish printing paper; 20,000 pounds antique-laid printing paper, 1,995,000 pounds sized and supercalendared printing paper; 300,000 pounds halftone printing paper; 200,000 pounds tablet writing paper; 851,000 pounds writing paper, machine-dried; 8,000 pounds writing paper, tub-sized, loft-dried; 41,000 pounds ledger paper, colored, tub-sized and loft dried; 750 pounds ruled manila tissue; 5,000 pounds white tissue paper; 2,000 pounds cream and white stereo tissue paper; 275,000 pounds cover paper; 160,000 pounds Kraft wrapping paper; 835,000 pounds manila paper; 20,500 pounds manila tympan paper; 130,000 pounds manila board; 35,000 pounds cardboard; 780,000 pounds bristol board; 19,000 pounds index bristol board; 2,000 pounds white paraffin paper; 60,000 pounds monotype keyboard and casting-machine paper; 18,000 pounds plate-wiping paper for embossing presses; 3,000 pounds lining and stripping paper; 360 reams lining paper; 1,500 pounds paper-oil; 3,000 pounds red pressboard; 1,000 sheets parchment, 15 by 21 inches; 1,050 pounds newsboard; 100,000 pounds chip board; 308,000 pounds strawboard; 75,000 pounds boxboard, lined; 850,000 pounds binder's board; 40,000 pounds trunk board.

In cases where more than 1,000 reams are called for proposals will be received for 1,500 reams or more.

By direction of the Joint Committee on Printing:
CORNELIUS FORD,
Public Printer.
Washington, D. C., February 2, 1917.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of The Bee Publishing Company will be held at the office of said company, Omaha, Nebraska, at 4 o'clock p. m., on Monday, March 5th, 1917, for the election of the Board of Directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

By order of the President.
N. P. FEIL, Secretary.
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NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that the regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the South Platte Land Company will be held at the office of said Company, Room 701, First National Bank Building, Lincoln, Nebraska, at 11 o'clock a. m., on the Seventh day of March A. D., 1917.

Lincoln, Nebraska, March 6th, 1917.
C. H. MORRILL, President.
W. W. TURNER, Secretary and Treasurer.
S47-F6d30t

MINIATURE BABEL RIGHT IN OMAHA

Pacific School Plants Americanism in Pupils Who Speak Ten Languages.

VERY FEW ARE BASHFUL

By A. R. GROH.

Down at the Pacific school, Twelfth and Pacific, I heard kindergarten children, yesterday, talking fluent Italian, Syrian and Hungarian.

I heard others, a little larger, talking Austrian, Roumanian, Russian, Jewish, German and Danish.

This is certainly a "school of languages," isn't it?

Miss Campbell, the principal, took me around to the different rooms.

Black hair and black eyes are the predominating colors. More than half of the pupils are of Italian, Syrian, Roumanian or Armenian birth.

Here is the kindergarten where Miss Boutelle presides over three dozen dark-eyed, chubby tots seated around tables on little chairs.

They sing me the "Good Morning" song, and then Sebastiana Tutori, a little girl in a blue dress, is introduced. She speaks Italian. Mikie Lehotyak is next. He makes a few remarks in Austrian. And then Eddie Mehan, a Syrian with an adopted name, toddles over from the far corner of the room in his long, blue overalls to say "Good morning" in Syrian.

Suspendered Salvatore.

In Miss Wilbur's room, the "First A," we meet suspendered Salvatore Salerno. Him Miss Campbell asks to say "good morning" in Italian.

"Good morning in Italian," says the blushing Salvatore obligingly.

Sebastiano Bonnito is then called and Alfio Viconti, and Mary, and wears earrings, a bracelet and two rings, and Carmela, with beads around her dark throat. The soft Italian words fly fast as this juvenile congress gives a demonstration of the native tongue.

In Miss Sheahan's room, the "Second B," Elias Babior comes forward and says, "Give me some bread and butter" in Jewish. Mary Lehotyak blushingly pronounces what sounds like "Yora gelt," which she explains is "Good morning" in Hungarian. Mary Palupa obliges with some conversation in Bohemian and Sophia Elias speaks Syrian for us.

Syrians Not Shy.

In Miss Pritchard's room the call for Syrians brings eight youngsters to their feet. An irrepressible one on the rear seat hurries up the aisle.

"I talk Syrian," he says. "My name's Mitchell Hathoot—capital M-i-t-c-h-e-l-l- capital H-a-t-h-o-o-t."

All right, Mitchell, you may be seated.

Sam Marcus qualifies as a fluent master of the Roumanian tongue, Harry Sidman of the Jewish and Ella Paulsen and Ruth Hale of the Danish. Ruth, asked to tell how old she is in Danish, blushingly explains that "it sounds funny," but finally pronounces the words and takes her seat amid delighted giggles from the others.

Another youth, disappointed perhaps at being master of no tongue but English, solemnly announces, "My mother's an Irishman and my father's a German. I don't know what I am."

There are also several colored children. Theodore Davis occupies a prominent seat in one room right in front of teacher's desk. Theodore is a bright and studious and solemn youth, and has attained to the enviable position of "teacher's helper."

Grand Jury is Closing Its Probe of Omaha's Vice

The grand jury is believed to be nearing the end of its program. Rumor has it that the star chamber body which has been in session for the last couple of weeks, keeping large number of a certain class of none too law-abiding citizens on the anxious seat, has about run out of material to work on.

There have been investigations and investigations, and indictments and indictments, and now, 'tis said, the sixteen mysterious closed-door jurors are sighing for new worlds to conquer.

A late indictment was that of William Washington, arrested by the police while he was on parole from the state penitentiary.

Washington served seven and a half years of a fifteen-year sentence on a murder charge. The grand jury has indicted him for forgery.

The principal grand jury probe Thursday morning was into the facts concerning a raid made on a hotel by the police Wednesday night. Several policemen were called behind the "speak-easy" doors to testify.

Another grand jury witness was H. W. Harrington, who is understood to have testified in regard to a recent property deal in which he alleges he was defrauded.

Lads in Their 'Teens Stage Holdup in Drug Store

Two baby bandits, without even the suggestion of hair on their faces, did the bidding of an older robber Wednesday night shortly after 11 o'clock when the trio, with guns drawn, walked into the drug store of K. L. Patrick at Twentieth and Leavenworth streets and ordered the proprietor to throw up his hands.

The boss of the trio leveled an automatic at Patrick and ordered the boys with him to search the place and the proprietor.

Patrick says the oldest robber was about 30 years old. He is confident that the other two were not out of their 'teens.

Children's Coughs and Colds.

For many years Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has been a favorite with mothers for their children. That it has well merited the esteem in which it is held is shown by the following extract from a letter to the manufacturers by Mrs. T. H. Still, Charleston, Ill. "Last winter our little boy 2 years of age had a severe cold that settled on his lungs and we were greatly worried over his condition. He had a very persistent cough that hung onto him despite all the treatment we gave him, until I got him a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. This preparation relieved him almost immediately and two bottles of it cured him."—Advertisement.

Persistent Advertising Is the Road to Success

Teuton Women in Omaha Are With Uncle Sam Always

American women of German and Austrian birth have adopted the following resolution and instructed their secretary, Mrs. Bertha Getzschmann, 1608 South Tenth street, to make it public:

"The American women of German and Austrian birth, like all American women, do not want war and feel confident that this country will not enter into the horrors of war, as the nation's leader was elected to his lofty and important position on that very ground.

"'He kept us out of war,' was the cry in the suffrage states and these states gave him the deciding vote.

"Regarding the question what we would do if that terrible calamity should befall us, we say that this is a very unnecessary question and bordering almost on insult—for we would stand by this country and do our duty, the same as all patriotic women. We may not agree with the view and the actions of the administration, and we know for a fact that its attitude has not been perfectly neutral towards all the European belligerents, but whatever opinions we may have they will not prevent us, if war should come, from seeing our duty to this country—and doing it."

Creighton Medical College Gets Rating in A Class

Creighton Medical college has been officially recognized by the American Medical association as entitled to the rating of "A," which has been accorded to only sixty-eight out of ninety-four medical colleges.

The board of regents of the state of New York has also conceded to Creighton medical college the "A" rating.

Dr. J. R. Clemens, dean of Creighton Medical college, recently attended the meeting in Chicago of the American Medical association and ten days ago the association sent examiners here to rate the school.

Mrs. Stapenhorst, Here for Forty-Six Years, is Dead

Mrs. Fredricka Stapenhorst, 66 years old and a resident of Omaha for the last forty-six years, died at her home, 2718 Jackson street, Wednesday night. She was born in Oldenburg, Germany, and is survived by three sons and two daughters—William H., Frederick W., Theodore Harry, Mrs. Macy Dinneen and Mrs. Laura Gerhard—a brother, Frank J. Buehler of Kansas City and six grandchildren. The funeral will be held from the residence Friday morning, with interment at Holy Sepulcher cemetery.

Death Calls J. A. Fuller, Omahan for Thirty Years

J. A. Fuller, aged 60 years, died Thursday morning at his home, 4004 Harney street. For thirty-two years he had lived in Omaha. For a long time he conducted a drug store at Fourteenth and Douglas streets, but for the last ten years was special agent in this district for the Standard Oil company. Mr. Fuller is survived by a widow, three sons, Dr. John A. of Las Vega, Nevada; Lieutenant George C., of the United States navy; Richard H., at home; one daughter, Minerva B., at home.

Has Cane Bent Over His Head and Then is Fined

When Charles Burch, who gives Fremont as his home, selected Mrs. D. N. Cooper, 1611 Cass street, as the subject of his uninvited attentions he made a poor choice. Mrs. Cooper bent a cane over Burch's skull with such telling effect that the cane broke in two. Officer Nichols arrived on the scene in time to capture the frustrated Burch and throw him into the hoosgow charged with insulting women on the street. Burch was given a fine of $25 in police court.

Wife Beaters Sentenced In the South Side Court

Wife-beating as an indoor sport has its risks, according to three verdicts handed down by the judge in the South Side police court. Henry Konrad, 5412 South Twenty-eighth street, got ninety days with suspended sentence. J. Schnhiewicz, 3419 T street, got ninety days without any suspension. Dennis Murphy of 4315 Douglas street got five days. The three men were charged with assault upon their respective wives.

Baptists Gather Here For Two-Day Institute

Baptists of Omaha and vicinity attended Wednesday the first of a two-day institute at the First Baptist church. Rev. A. A. DeLarme, pastor, led a long service. E. E. Barnhart of Jamestown, N. D., spoke on the efficacy of Bible study. Mrs. R. B. Favoright of Beatrice and J. D. Collins of Lincoln also spoke.

Police Asked to Watch For Two Lincoln Lads

Omaha police have been requested to keep a sharp lookout for two 14-year-old Lincoln lads, Dan Taylor and Edwin Corn, who have disappeared from their homes in the Capital City and are believed to have come to Omaha in search of adventure in the big city.

Jardine's Hand Sizzles When He Grabs Iron

City Commissioner Jardine has learned that it is not conducive to peace of mind to grab the hot end of a soldering iron. The heated instrument which aroused his interest was being used by telephone workmen in the city hall. The commissioner is nursing one of his hands.

Breaks Leg in Fall Down Steps at the City Hall

Joseph Carr, night watchman of the water department offices in the city hall, suffered a broken leg when he fell down an iron stairway which connects first and second floor water offices. He was taken to Ford hospital for attendance. The accident occurred during the night.

Breathing Becomes Easier

After a few doses of Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey, inflammation is arrested, you cough less and breathe easier. Only 25c. All druggists.—Advertisement.

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Muddy Missouri Flows Over the Land Which Figures in Brisk Real Estate Deals.

C. C. WYER SELLS NINETEEN

Omaha is some real estate city; at least it has just claim for recognition among the boomiest municipalities in the world when public records show that land is seemingly at such a premium that ambitious and soil-seeking investors let loose of their cash and "other valuable considerations" for lots underneath the swirling waters of the muddy Missouri river.

Recent real estate transactions recorded in the office of the county register of deeds evidence the fact that Missouri river lots are enjoying the briskest trade in their history. Notwithstanding the fact that to get to the lots a "prospect" would have to be taken there in a rowboat, launch or some other craft, the filings in the registers of deeds office indicate that purchasers are not lacking.

They're On Map.

Some of the lots may be sandbars and some may be on the bottom of the stream, but in reality they are all in the Missouri river and have been for many years, ever since the Big Muddy on one of its erratic rampages changed its channel. These lots would be the last parcels of land in the world to require irrigation.

These lots, in the south part of town and originally a part of Grandview addition, are shown in the lithograph maps of Poppleton and Byers additions of 1857. True enough, they were honest-to-goodness, high and dry lots at one time, being such in 1878, when the late N. P. Dodge, sr., transferred them to Miss Annie Dodge, his niece, daughter of the late General Grenville Dodge of Council Bluffs.

But the changeable Missouri long since has cut into that part of Grandview addition and now the dirty waters of the famous stream eddy and swirl over what once bid fair to become a residence district, or perchance, fashionable suburb. Its only chance now is to become a "watering place," and from the general outlook "fashionable" wouldn't fitly describe it.

Jack Johnson Buys One.

One of the recent transactions, as shown by deeds filed in the registrar's office, was twenty-eight lots from Annie Dodge to John A. Johnson of the South Side. The deed was recorded February 2, 1917.

The records show that C. C. Wyer transferred four lots in this somewhat damp neighborhood to Ida M. West on January 26, 1917, the lots being transferred back gain on February 6. The Wests—the husband being C. W. West, who was fined and later sentenced to jail in the federal court wild horse case—are said to have traded a fairly valuable chicken ranch in the south for the "estate" in the Missouri river.

Martin Quick transferred twenty-two lots to John Weber last March. The deed shows a consideration of $400, but Weber told employes in the registrar's office that he traded a house and lot and gave a $1,600 mortgage as his part of the transaction.

Many More Buyers.

Some of the recent deals in choice Missouri river lots, as recorded in the Douglas county register of deeds office, are as follows:

C. C. Wyer to R. J. Dumont, April 17, 1916, two lots in block 438.
C. C. Wyer to A. P. Lillis, December 14, 1916, two lots in block 442.
C. C. Wyer to Oscar Yates, December 14, 1916, two lots in block 442.
C. C. Wyer to Joseph Martin, December 14, 1916, one lot in block 442.
C. C. Wyer to A. G. Alvord, December 16, 1916, two lots in block 449.
C. C. Wyer to O. B. Whitsel, December 16, 1916, two lots in block 449.
C. C. Wyer to M. J. Oberly, December 27, 1916, one lot in block 449.
C. C. Wyer to David Etherton, December 23, 1916, two lots in block 450.
C. C. Wyer to George Casey, December 27, 1916, two lots in block 450.
C. C. Wyer to F. E. Garrety, December 12, 1916, one lot in block 454.
C. C. Wyer to John J. Madden, December 12, 1916, two lots in block 454.
C. C. Wyer to Pete Dickey, December 12, 1916, one lot in block 454.

Advertising circulars, calling attention of real estate men and investors to the lots "near" the "glorious Missouri river" are in existence. They were signed by F. R. Siltz, who is now dead. The circulars portrayed in glowing terms the beauties of the locale and said that owners were asking $200 for corner lots and $150 for inside lots.

Dr. Mullin Has Good Money Which He Can't Give Away

Money that he can't give away is in the possession of Dr. T. R. Mullin, 205 Brown block. He is anxious to part with it and has advertised the fact that he has it. But nobody seems to want it.

Dr. Mullin saw a girl drop her purse on Sixteenth street. He hastened to pick it up. When he had the purse he couldn't find the girl, who had disappeared into some store. The purse contains what was probably her week's wages and she can get the money by merely telling how much she lost and what sort of purse.

Infant Mortality In Omaha is Third Lowest of Cities

The New York milk committee, a branch of the city's health department, after gathering statistics, has compiled and sent out a statement showing the rate of infant mortality in 241 cities scattered over the United States. This statement shows that here in Omaha the infant mortality is 47.1 per 1,000. There are but two cities named where the death rate is less. One is La Crosse, Wis., with a death rate of 30.6 and the other, Ogden, Utah, with 39.8 per 1,000.

The highest death rate noted among infants is Passic, N. J., 193.5 per 1,000. Then comes Nashville, Tenn., with 182.8, and Montgomery, Ala., with 182.1 per 1,000.

Even Denver, looked upon as a health resort, the death rate among the little folks is 93 per 1,000, and in Mineapolis it is 71.

Three Held by the Police For Violating Dope Laws

Three persons, alleged to be violating the laws which prohibit the traffic of drugs, dope and hop, were caught in the police drag net Wednesday night.

James Johnson was captured at 415 North Thirteenth street. The arresting officers allege they found a bottle of dope on his person.

Eddie Burdich, messenger boy living at 1481 Pinkney street, and Nettie Bradshaw, negress, were nipped at the same time. Burdich is accused of giving dope to the negro woman and, according to police, she identified the messenger as the man who gave her dope found on her by the officers.

All three are held for the government.

Business Men Oppose Insurance Bill in House

House Roll No. 277, pending in the state legislature, is opposed by the farm loan committee of Omaha business men which met at noon at the Commercial club. The bill seeks to compel insurance companies doing business in Nebraska to invest in Nebraska securities an amount equal to Nebraska's pro rata share of the company's legal reserve. The committee expressed the opinion that wherever this has been tried it has resulted in driving the companies away from the state.

Omaha Again Gets the Implement Men's Meet

The Mid-West Implement Dealers' association is coming to Omaha for its 1917 meeting. This was decided upon at a meeting of the directors in Omaha Wednesday. President Gallagher of Coleridge presided. Although Lincoln made a bid for the next convention and implement show, the directors felt that