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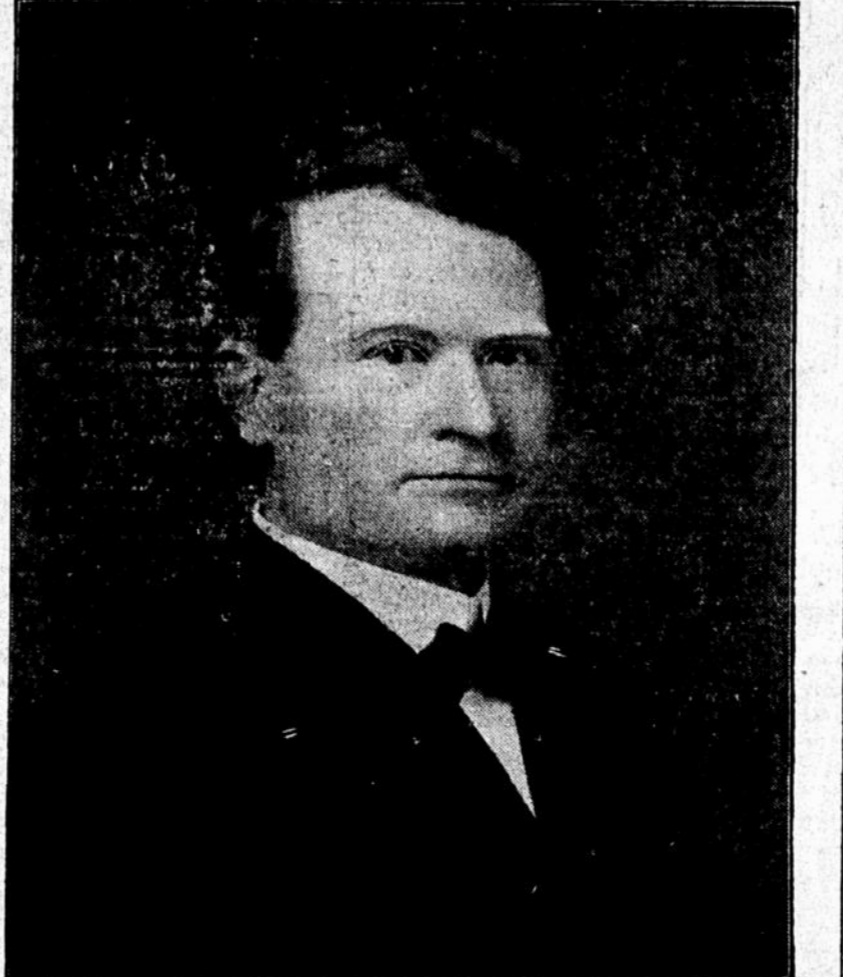
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MILLER FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY
It is a pleasure to announce the name of Jessie A. Miller, who is a candidate for re-nomination as county attorney for his second term. Mr. Miller has made a good record the past two years as the county prosecutor, always dealing fair and honest with the county and public. He is good attorney and stands well at the Polk County Bar. He is an active young republican worker and popular with the people. He will no doubt be re-nominated, and we hope re-elected by an overwhelming republican majority. Mr. Miller has treated all parties fair and merits your support and influence.

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JUDGE S. F. PROUTY, For Congressman of Seventh District.



In our judgment Judge Prouty has the necessary elements to make a great congressman from this state, and one of the most distinguished from this district. He is a young man with a good education, a fine lawyer, a good jurist, an eloquent orator and a true friend of the common people—born in poverty and began to paddle his own canoe, so to speak, every since he was ten years of age, a bare-footed lad going to school. In college he waited table and done janitor work; thus degree by degree did he go on until by his honest toil and good judgment he succeeded financially. There are indeed but few men better qualified in this district to represent it than Judge Prouty. He will not only become a strong member, but as he has all through his life, will become one of the active leaders in the lower house of the American congress. The people should nominate him and give him a chance, and we think that they will not make a mistake or be sorry for their choice.

BOONE ITEMS.
Mr. Joseph Robinson returned from Des Moines this week.
In our last notes to the BYSTANDER we mentioned as members of the K. P. lodge recently organized here, Messrs. Sam Johnson, Wm. Kuse, and Wm. Terry. As it was a mistake we take liberty at this writing to correct the same.
The choir has received new books and expects to do better work than heretofore.
On Monday evening Feb. 15, at their hall on Eighth street, the K. P. gave their first social event, a barquet. No regrets were sent in, but owing to unexpected circumstances three were absent from the hall. Hence the attendance was large and as no one took his departure until the wee hours, it can be easily surmised that everybody had a delightful time.
Miss Lizzie Jenkins has been quite ill for the last two weeks.
Mr. Charles Phillips has had a severe attack of tonsillitis.
Mr. Thomas Patton is sorely grieved over the loss of a very valuable dog which disappeared a few weeks since. The dog was well known by both black and white, and was seldom seen without Mr. Patton, being detained from home on duty one evening. Patton directed the dog to go home. The dog started immediately but never reached its destination. Everybody is theorizing as to what became of the dog, but his fate remains a mystery. Every means has been used for his recovery but to no avail.
The Ladies' Industrial Club gave a leap year party at the church last Friday evening. They had many guests, lots of nice things to eat and a good time in general. During the evening the following programme was rendered:
Opening chorus, "Loag of Jubilee," the choir and club; short invocation, pastor; opening address, Mrs. B. F. Taylor; response, Rev. J. E. Peterson; solo "New Moon, True Moon," Miss Bessie Coleman; recitation, "The Cottage Across the Way," Mrs. G. W. Brown; recitation "Faith," Miss Margaret Payne; music, Coleman orchestra; recitation "The Witch of Tunnel Ten," Miss Florence Payne; paper, "Leap Year Proposals," Chas. Coleman, Jr.; solo, selected, Mr. Luther Robinson; closing remarks, Mr. C. B. Coleman; instrumental solo, Mrs. Alice Peterson.
Miss Anna Terry was summoned to Des Moines owing to her sister, Mrs. Sarah Smith being seriously ill.
Mr. Chas. Phillips left Sunday night for Omaha.

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CEARD RAPIDS NOTES.
Mrs. Laura Raspberry, the oldest colored citizen in this part of the state, died last Wednesday morning at 4 a. m. after a long and painful illness, borne with great patience and christian fortitude. The funeral was held Friday at 2:30 from Bethel A. M. E. church, Elder Clemens officiating, aided by Rev. Richard Holly. The deceased had been an active member of the church during her residence in our city and out of 98 years of her life she had lived 86 years a christian.
A large concourse of people paid their last tribute of respect to this venerable

GALESBURG.

Dear Editor: For fear you may think we are asleep or froze out I'll pen you a few items.
February 16th the third anniversary of St. James' chapter of the Masonic fraternity was celebrated, a fair crowd being present. Mr. Geo. Grant Fletcher, Geo. Reimond and Geo. Kidd, committee. Refreshments and a good time by all.
The A. Y. C. was very pleasantly entertained last Thursday by Mrs. Henry Wells. This week Friday Mrs. Sadie Harris will entertain. Mrs. Geo. G. Fletcher and Mrs. Cora King have joined the A. Y. C's.
Mr. and Mrs. Crew returned last week from Denver, Colo.
Last evening the A. M. E. members were called to elect trustees, but owing to some misunderstanding it was postponed for some other date.
Martha Washington received her many friends in the Second Baptist church last evening. We had the pleasure of seeing some of the curls. Sunday Rev. Douglas will be installed as pastor of said church.
Galesburg readers are glad to see the sweet little face of our editor's baby and to know she has taken the prize.
Writer was late to church Sabbath, but in time to catch some important thoughts along the line of Christian politics for the pulpit and pew; also enjoyed a most glorious meeting. If anybody thinks Allen chapel is dead please step in Sunday morning and you will find you are mistaken. Why not Christians take a deep interest in politics. I would like to take up the
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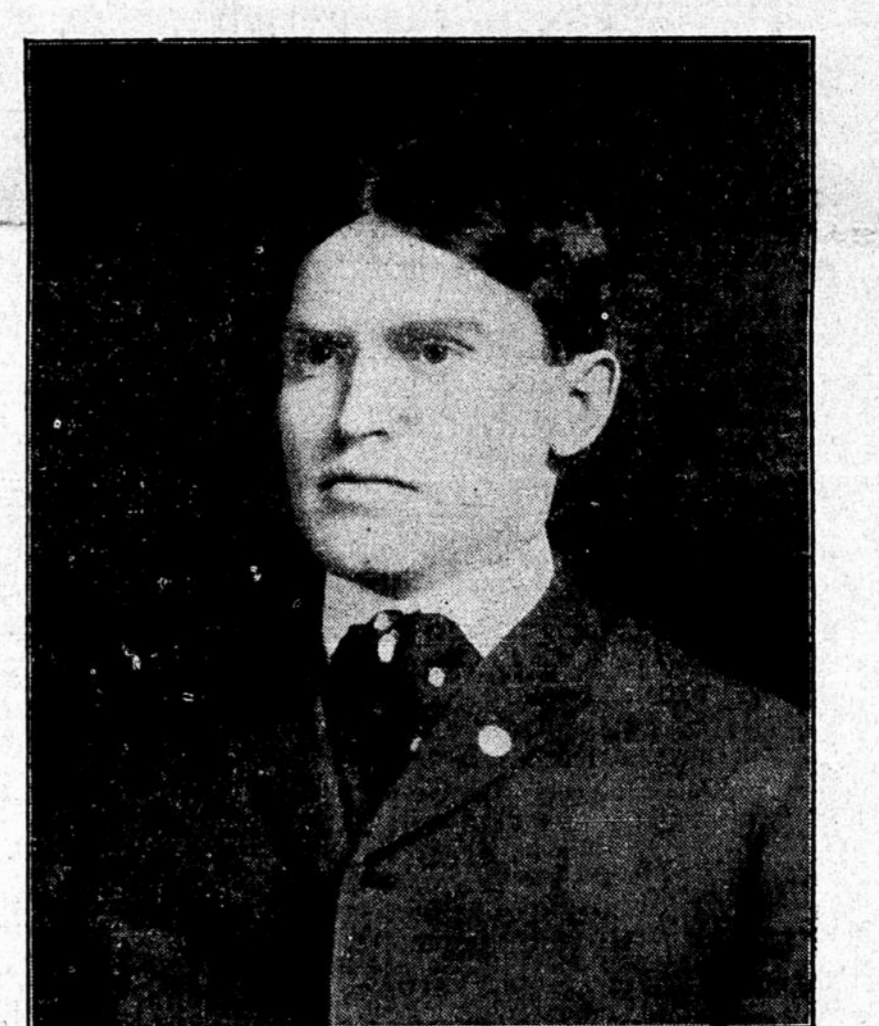
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Saturday Night, 27th

AT THE AUDITORIUM

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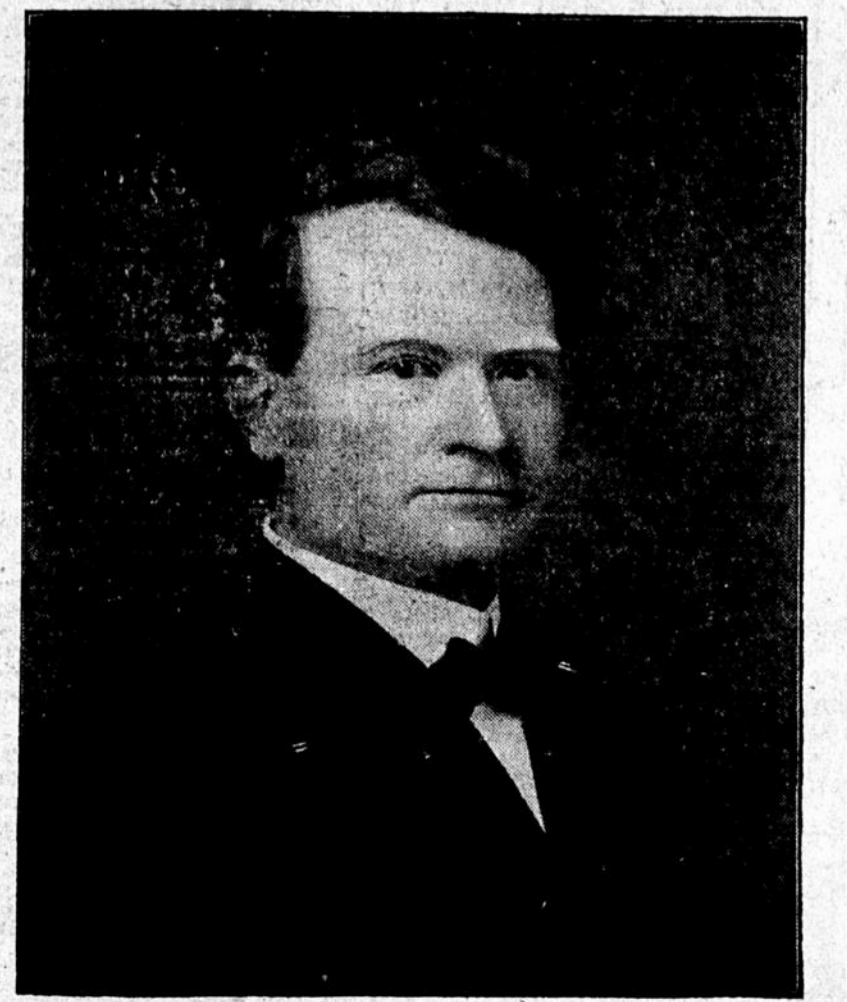
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MILLER FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY.
It is a pleasure to announce the name of Jessie A. Miller, who is a candidate for re-nomination as county attorney for his second term. Mr. Miller has made a good record the past two years as the county prosecutor, always dealing fair and honest with the county and public. He is good attorney and stands well at the Polk County Bar. He is an active young republican worker and popular with the people. He will no doubt be re-nominated, and we hope re-elected by an overwhelming republican majority. Mr. Miller has treated all parties fair and merits your support and influence.

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JUDGE S. F. PROUTY, For Congressman of Seventh District.



In our judgment Judge Prouty has the necessary elements to make a great congressman from this state, and one of the most distinguished from this district. He is a young man with a good education, a fine lawyer, a good jurist, an eloquent orator and a true friend of the common people—born in poverty and began to paddle his own canoe, so to speak, every since he was ten years of age, a bare-footed lad going to school. In college he waited table and done janitor work; thus degree by degree did he go on until by his honest toil and good judgment he succeeded financially. There are indeed but few men better qualified in this district to represent it than Judge Prouty. He will not only become a strong member, but as he has all through his life, will become one of the active leaders in the lower house of the American congress. The people should nominate him and give him a chance, and we think that they will not make a mistake or be sorry for their choice.

BOONE ITEMS.
Mr. Joseph Robinson returned from Des Moines this week.
In our last notes to the BYSTANDER we mentioned as members of the K. P. lodge recently organized here, Messrs. Sam Johnson, Wm. Ruse, and Wm. Terry. As it was a mistake we take liberty at this writing to correct the same.
The choir has received new books and expects to do better work than heretofore.
On Monday evening Feb. 15, at their hall on Eighth street, the K. P. gave their first social event, a banquet. No regrets were sent in, but owing to unexpected circumstances three were absent from the hall. Hence the attendance was large and as no one took his departure until the wee hours, it can be easily surmised that everybody had a delightful time.
Miss Lizzie Jenkins has been quite ill for the last two weeks.
Mr. Charles Phillips has had a severe attack of tonsillitis.
Mr. Thomas Patton is sorely grieved over the loss of a very valuable dog which disappeared a few weeks since. The dog was well known by both black and white, and was seldom seen without Mr. Patton, being detained from home on duty one evening. Patton directed the dog to go home. The dog started immediately but never reached its destination. Everybody is theorizing as to what became of the dog, but his fate remains a mystery. Every means has been used for his recovery but to no avail.
The Ladies' Industrial Club gave a leap year party at the church last Friday evening. They had many guests, lots of nice things to eat and a good time in general. During the evening the following programme was rendered:
Opening chorus, "Long of Jubilee," the choir and club; short invocation, pastor; opening address, Mrs. B. F. Taylor; response, Rev. J. E. Peterson; solo "New Moon, True Moon," Miss Bessie Coleman; recitation, "The Cottage Across the Way," Mrs. G. W. Brown; recitation "Faith," Miss Margaret Payne; music, Coleman orchestra; recitation "The Witch of Tunnel Ten" Miss Florence Payne; paper, "Leap Year Proposals" Chas. Coleman, Jr.; solo, selected, Mr. Luther Robinson; closing remarks, Mr. C. R. Coleman; instrumental solo, Mrs. Alice Peterson.
Miss Anna Terry was summoned to Des Moines owing to her sister, Mrs. Sarah Smith being seriously ill.
Mr. Chas. Phillips left Sunday night for Omaha.

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GEDAR RAPIDS NOTES.
Mrs. Laura Raspberry, the oldest colored citizen in this part of the state, died last Wednesday morning at 4 a. m. after a long and painful illness, borne with great patience and christian fortitude. The funeral was held Friday at 2:30 from Bethel A. M. E. church, Elder Clemens officiating, aided by Rev. Richard Holly. The deceased had been an active member of the church during her residence in our city and out of 98 years of her life she had lived 86 years a christian.
A large concourse of people paid their last tribute of respect to this venerable

GALESBURG.

Dear Editor: For fear you may think we are asleep or froze out I'll pen you a few items.
February 16th the third anniversary of St. James' chapter of the Masonic fraternity was celebrated, a fair crowd being present. Mr. Geo. Grant Fletcher, Geo. Redmond and Geo. Kidd, committee. Refreshments and a good time by all.
The A. Y. C. was very pleasantly entertained last Thursday by Mrs. Henry Wells. This week Friday Mrs. Sadie Harris will entertain. Mrs. Geo. G. Fletcher and Mrs. Cora King have joined the A. Y. C.'s.
Mr. and Mrs. Crew returned last week from Denver, Colo.
Last evening the A. M. E. members were called to elect trustees, but owing to some misunderstanding it was postponed for some other date.
Martha Washington received her many friends in the Second Baptist church last evening. We had the pleasure of seeing some of the curls. Sunday Rev. Douglas will be installed as pastor of said church.
Galesburg readers are glad to see the sweet little face of our editor's baby and to know she has taken the prize.
Writer was late to church Sabbath, but in time to catch some important thoughts along the line of Christian polittic for the pulpit and pew; also enjoyed a most glorious meeting. If anybody thinks Allen chapel is dead please step in Sunday morning and you will find you are mistaken. Why not Christians take a deep interest in politics. I would like to take up the

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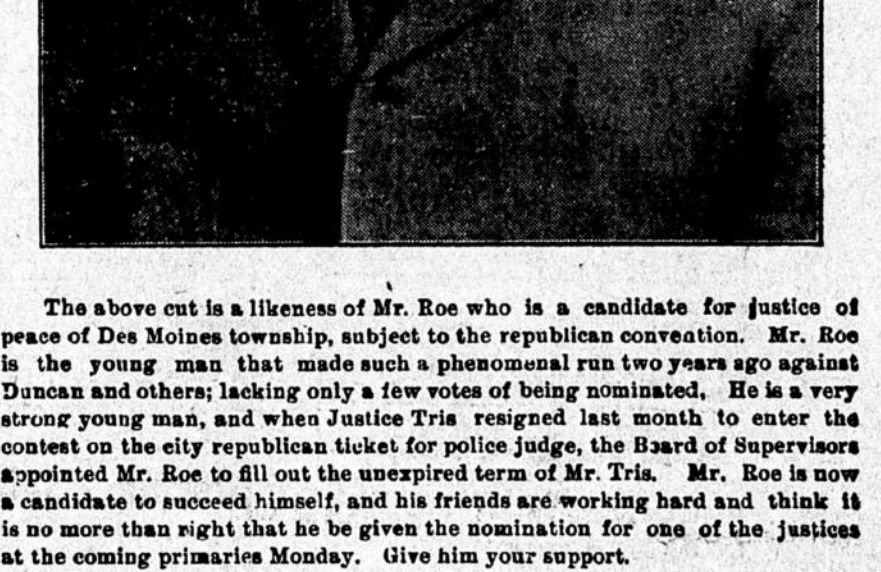
GRAND PROUTY RALLY

Saturday Night, 27th

AT THE AUDITORIUM

All Colored Voters are requested to be Present.

ZELL ROE, For Justice of Peace.



The above cut is a likeness of Mr. Roe who is a candidate for justice of peace of Des Moines township, subject to the republican convention. Mr. Roe is the young man that made such a phenomenal run two years ago against Duncan and others; lacking only a few votes of being nominated. He is a very strong young man, and when Justice Tris resigned last month to enter the contest on the city republican ticket for police judge, the Board of Supervisors appointed Mr. Roe to fill out the unexpired term of Mr. Tris. Mr. Roe is now a candidate to succeed himself, and his friends are working hard and think it is no more than right that he be given the nomination for one of the justices at the coming primaries Monday. Give him your support.

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IN A PRAIRIE LAND.

Editorial Correspondence.
Moore Jaw, Assiniboia.
Farmers' Review,
Chicago, July 22, 1903.

Most of the prairies in the United States have ceased to exist. Man has broken them up with orchards, forests and farm buildings. But in Western Canada the prairies still stretch grandly from horizon to horizon as yet unmarred by the hand of man, save where the iron road has been laid. To a city man there is something deliciously restful about the vast grassy solitudes.

Numerous clumps of trees mark the course of the Assiniboine river, which keeps in sight of the railroad for some distance.

"Grass in one of the notable things about all the landscapes of Western Canada. It is a remarkable fact that the entire length of the Canadian Pacific railway from its eastern terminus to the Rocky Mountains is over plain where the grass grows. The sage brush appears at some points, but never to the exclusion of grass. There is thus not a mile of this country that cannot be used for some agricultural purpose—either for tillage or ranching.

"Moore Jaw is a town of over 2,000 inhabitants, and one of the most important places in Assiniboia, being the center of a very good farming country and a great grain and stock shipping point.

"Near Moore Jaw agriculture and ranching go hand in hand; for near the town was seen a herd of beef cattle several hundred in number. On another side was seen a good sized herd of dairy cows, the property of the citizens in the town.

"In riding over the prairies we saw many good fields of alfalfa. The great need of the country is timber, which grows readily where planted, as was demonstrated by the shelter belts on some of the farms, and the trees on the residence lots in the town.

"Stories were told the writer of men who last year cleared from their wheat crop more than the land on which it was grown originally cost them. This is easy to believe, in view of the large crop and high price for wheat last year."—Henry F. Thurston.

By sending your address to any agent of the Canadian Government you will have mailed to you a copy of an atlas, railway rates, etc., giving full information regarding Western Canada.

When the office won't settle, a man thinks he has good grounds for a kick.

The preacher who, in his heart has the spirit of the "Sermon on the Mount" is on a mount where he can read a sermon to the heart, full of the spirit.

Commander Peary, the Arctic explorer, was asked to account for the enduring enthusiasm for pole chasing. "Because," he sentimentally answered, "it is full of pleasure and anticipation, unmarred by the disappointment of realization."

Princess Mathilde and Gerome, the artist, were once invited to dinner at the same house. The princess arrived punctually; the painter carried until the guests became impatient. At last the princess suddenly said: "Why, I nearly forgot. Only this morning I received a telegram from Gerome, who is in Spain. He is unable to come to-night." "But why did you not tell us before, princess?" cried the guests together. "Because I was not yet hungry."

The story is told of a meeting of creditors who were trying to settle the affairs of a merchant who had failed for a large amount. He insisted that his assets were absolutely nothing—that his wife owned the house in which he lived; that the family farm was the property of his daughter; that the store belonged to his son. "I have nothing," he said, "except my body, which you can divide among you." "Well, shentleman," spoke up a Jewish creditor, "if you do dot, I speak right now for his gall."

A London playgoer, who had drunk deeply at his dinner, appeared at the box-office of one of the principal theatres, and put down a sovereign, asking for the best seat in the house. His condition was so evident that the man in the box-office politely declined to sell him a ticket. "What's what?" demanded the applicant, "what's your matter with me?" "Well, if you really want to know," responded the ticket-seller, "you're drunk." The frankness of this reply had rather a sobering influence upon the playgoer. He gathered up the sovereign with dignity. "Of course I'm drunk," he said cheerfully, as he turned to go; "I wouldn't come to see this play if I were sober, would I?"

Cheap Excursions to the South.
On February 16, March 1 and 15, the Kansas City Southern railway will offer to the public the extremely low rate of \$10.00 for the round trip to all points on the Fort Arthur Route, including Beaumont, Port Arthur, Lake Charles, Shreveport, Texarkana, Port Smith, Meza, De Queen and all intermediate points. The twenty-one days from date of sale, with stopover privileges at all points south of Kansas City on the points trip. Any information desired by the public relative to these cheap excursions will be cheerfully furnished upon application to S. U. Warner, G. P. and T. A., Kansas City, Mo.

A politician must be very careful in pulling his wires, or he will get short circuited.

THE RISK OF BEING STRUCK BY LIGHTNING IS FIVE TIMES GREATER IN THE COUNTRY THAN IN THE CITY, AND TWENTY TIMES GREATER AT SEA THAN ON A RAILROAD.

If every man got his deers he would be kept too busy to worry about the soup.

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One way to keep peace in the household is to forget what you intended to say about the steak.

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It's a mighty poor way of showing partiality to save up all the wings for the star boarder.

Alfalfa Clover.
For years the editor has been urging farmers to sow Alfalfa Clover, and glad he is that thousands of wide-awake farmers scattered all over America, are doing this now, to their great benefit and satisfaction.

Alfalfa Clover.
I have 60 acres in Salzer's Alfalfa Clover. It is immense. I cut three crops this season and have lots of pasture besides.

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She—Did you appreciate the sermon, dear? He—Very much. I needed the sleep greatly.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.
For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, and allays the pain.

Men have a more acute sense of smell than women.

In Winter Use Allen's Foot-Ease.
A powder. Your feet feel uncomfortable, itchy, and receive their big catalog and lots of farm seed samples free. (W. N. U.)

Men have a more acute sense of smell than women.

Lewis' "Single Binder" straight cigar. Made of ripe, mellow tobacco, so rich in flavor that many who formerly smoked 10 cigars now smoke Lewis' "Single Binder." Lewis' Factory, Peoria, Ill.

A gentleman in Howard, Kansas, possesses a name which may bear a relation to his trade. This name is Mr. Hugg, and he advertises that it is his business to press ladies' garments.

The farmers of Illinois favor the reduction of the width of country roads from sixty to forty feet. They assert that a great area of road land in the State is waste that is wasted. The surplus land on each side of the road is allowed to grow up with weeds, the seed of which blows over into rich fields. They believe that a much better road would be kept up if made narrower, allowing the surplus to be put to good use.

A remarkable case is that of Mrs. Rosa Perkins, of Huntington, Mass. Her age is eighty-five, and she has been almost totally blind for several years. Within the past three months she has regained her sight, and is now able to read without glasses. Her hair, which had fallen out to such an extent as to leave her almost bald, has taken a fresh start and her hair is now covered with a luxuriant growth of glossy black.

A singer's diet has to be as carefully considered and limited as that of an athlete in training. Madam Melba is fond of confectionary, but she never eats any. Madam Nordica confesses to sometimes having a childish craving for an abundant feast of sweets and pastries, yet she denies herself both. Madam Patti rarely eats all that her appetite craves, shuns sweets and pastries, and believes that her good health is mainly due to her abstemiousness in this respect.

How the Pastor Saved a Life.
A man near Fort Gay, W. Va., made an entire failure in getting strength from the kind of food he ate and not knowing that the trouble was with the food kept on losing health until the doctors gave him up to die.

It was supposed to be consumption because he was wasting away steadily and slowly dying. His minister called from time to time and one day brought along a package of Grape-Nuts; thinking from what he knew of the famous food that perhaps it might help him. The sick man took it at once and from that day began to get well. In writing he says: "I walked to town to-day 3 miles. Have gained over 40 pounds in about 3 months and my neighbors don't know what to say. I frequently am told it was as if I am raised from the dead. Everybody here knows of my case, you can tell people to write to the Postmaster of Rev. D. D. Bryan. It will make a sworn statement that Grape-Nuts saved my life." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

This is another illustration that where all other food fails one can be brought back to health and strength on Grape-Nuts. "There's a reason."

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PANAMA TREATY PASSES SENATE

Much Discussed Measure Is Finally Ratified by a Vote of 66 to 14.

NO AMENDMENTS WERE MADE
Final Result of the Vote Was a Foregone Conclusion—All Republicans and Fourteen Democrats Voted for Ratification.

Washington, Feb. 20.—Senate.—Panama was the subject of three speeches in the senate today and was the only subject of general importance that received any attention. Mr. Spooner completed the speech begun on Thursday and Mr. Morgan and Mr. Money both made brief addresses. Mr. Morgan spoke in opposition to the treaty as usual and announced that he would not be heard again on the treaty. Mr. Money announced his intention of voting for the ratification of the canal treaty, but criticized the part taken by the United States in connection with the secession of Panama.

Washington, Feb. 22.—Senate.—The feature of today's session of the senate was a speech from Mr. Hoar in explanation of his former speech on the Isthmian canal situation. He explained the criticisms of his utterances at that time, saying that he had been misunderstood and misrepresented, and contended that his intention on that occasion had been to secure full information concerning the Panama revolt and not to cast reflections on the president. On the contrary he had the highest regard for that official and intended to vote for the treaty.

House.—The naval appropriation bill today encountered opposition on the republican side of the house. Mr. Burton of Ohio, chairman of the river and harbor committee, announced in a vigorous speech that he would support a bill which declares that the United States, which in his view, should be the leader in all world's for peace, is going to double, triple and quadruple its naval establishment, and that the highest regard for that official and intended to vote for the treaty.

Washington, Feb. 23.—Senate.—The United States senate today ratified without amendment the treaty with Panama for a canal across the isthmus of that name by a vote of 66 to 14. The result was a foregone conclusion, the interest in the matter being only in the division of the vote on the democratic side which was not known definitely until the roll was called, all the republicans being present and voted for the treaty; fourteen democrats voted for ratification and fourteen against. Two democrats, Clark of Montana and Stone of Missouri, were paired in favor of the treaty and three democrats, Overman, McClaurin and Martin, were paired against it, so in the total vote sixteen democrats voted for the treaty and seventeen against it. The democrats who were present and voted for the treaty: Bacon, Berry, Clarke of Arkansas, Clegg, Cockrell, Foster of Louisiana, Gibson, Latimer, McCreary, McHenry, McHenry, Money, Simmons and Tallaferra. The only other vote was on the amendment offered by Mr. Bacon, providing for an arrangement to compensate the Colonians for the loss of the territory of Panama. This was rejected by a vote of 24 to 49. It was a party vote on the affirmative side and also on the negative side with the republicans. Four democrats were absent when the vote was taken and no pairs were announced for them. Some republicans also were absent on this vote.

House.—Although the house devoted the entire day to consideration of the naval appropriation bill, the five minute rule, small progress was made. Amendments were offered in profusion for the perfection of the measure from a democratic standpoint, but all save an appropriation for the Charleston navy yard were rejected.

Washington, Feb. 24.—Senate.—The United States senate today passed the bill appropriating \$20,000 to reimburse the state of Iowa for moneys expended in equipping troops for the Spanish-American war. The expenditures were made by Iowa in providing equipment for the regular guardsmen who later became regular enlisted troops of the federal government. There was no provision at the time for paying the state and it became necessary to put in a special claim before congress. Several other states have similar claims. The senate spent most of the day in considering the agricultural appropriation bill.

House.—Two storm centers were encountered in consideration of the naval appropriation bill in the house today. First, the great lakes training station went under a bill on a point of order after a wordy battle. The building programme proposed in the bill then met criticism and blocked further progress of the measure for the day. Mr. Burton of Ohio, the echoes of whose speech for peace on Monday had hardly died out, moved to strike out the provision for the only battleship authorized.

The man who likes club life never regards himself as the least bit selfish. Let us hope the winter will be a failure instead of the coal crop.

James Shea, a popular young lawyer of Washington, D. C., recently had as a client a negro who was accused of stealing chickens. Things were going in the darkest favor until he was placed on the stand. "Are you the defendant in this case?" asked the judge. "No sir," replied the negro, with an amazed look on his face and relating to his counsel; "I see the gentleman that stole the chickens, there's the defendant."

"The Available Energy of Timothy Hay," just issued by the Agricultural Department, will be followed shortly by "The Diplomatic Energy of John Hay," published by the Department of State.

"You never saw my hands as dirty as that," said a mother reproachfully to her little eight-year-old girl. "Cause, I never saw you when you were a little girl," was the prompt answer.

Magistrate—"Will you take this man to be your lawful husband, love, honor, and obey him?" Mirjanda—"Look your judge, I'll agree to wash an iron fire tigger, but I ain't gwine ter 'low him ter boss me."

PLAY TRICKS FOR WEALTH.

How Russian Merchants Win Valuable Concessions from the Czar.
Russia's desire to extend her trade to all parts of the Orient are many and some of them both daring and audacious. Frequently privileges are obtained for her merchants and caravans to pass into or through the coveted country for trade; to open stores and banks; to trade at ports and navigate rivers; to establish post routes with their various stations for exchange of drivers and horses, and to install consuls at various places. Concessions are secured for cutting timber or operating mines on certain tracts of land and rights are granted whereby Russia and her subjects may buy land and build consulates, stores and factories, and also dwellings for those who are connected with the various enterprises. Rights are also obtained or taken to protect the Christian subjects of an unchristian government.

Army reconnoitering expeditions are sent into the country with goods, disguised as merchants, or accompanied by a detachment of Cossacks and claiming to be purely scientific expeditions. Out of pure generosity concessions which when asked for are represented as unimportant, assume great significance after they are granted and are rigorously enforced and greatly expanded. What may pose as a legitimate and perfectly harmless business arrangement is extended, as later construed by Russia, to cover privileges far beyond anything the victim ever dreamed of. The concessions which Russia extracts from others are rarely accompanied with equal or adequate returns, and more often nothing is granted in exchange.

THE THOUGHT OF "MOTHER."
Influence That Carried Youngster Through Hard Position.
Writing in the Princess of a mother, Tennyson exclaimed that though "an angel," she was "a dearer being, all dim and aghast instincts, breathing Paradise."

The poet's thought is illustrated by a little story told by the Rev. Joshua Cooke in an article on the mule-deer, contributed to "The Big Game of North America."

The clergyman's oldest son, a ranchman in Oregon, stands six feet in his stockings, and is a powerful man, a good shot, a fine hunter, warm-hearted and generous. One day a fellow ranchman entered his cabin and said:

"Mr. Cooke, my old mother is dead. She was a Christian woman, and I don't want to put her in the ground like the cattle we bury. There isn't a mile to the holy city. Your father is a minister; you have taught in our Sabbath school."

It was a new experience; the big boy thought a moment, and then said: "Whitehead, I never did anything of the kind, but if it was my mother—and I have one whom I worship—I should feel as you do. Your mother shouldn't be buried like a dog. I'll come."

Afterward he wrote to his father: "I recalled the words I had so often heard you pronounce over the dead. All alone I read a passage of Scripture, sang a verse of a hymn, said a short prayer, said the 'dust to dust,' and all was over. It was a tight place, father, all the men and women of the valley were there, but I thought of mother, and it carried me through."—Chicago Record-Herald.

The fowl that has seen a dozen springs may yet be anything but a spring chicken.

A careless thief stole eight turkeys from the farm of John Kridler, near Lebanon, Pa. The farmer, however, thinks he received a good price for them, as the robber dropped a wallet containing ten twenty-dollar bills. It is supposed the thief obtained the money while plundering some residence in the neighborhood.

Get the Right Kind.
Galveston, Texas, Feb. 22nd.—Mrs. L. E. Burton of 507 Glad street, this city, writes the following letter: "I have been awfully troubled with my kidneys; I was in a bad fix and had been doctoring with the Doctors, but was getting no better. I tried a remedy called Dodd's Kidney Pills and I found they did me lots of good. I had a slight return of my trouble and I went to the Drug Store and called for Dodd's Kidney Pills. They said there was no such pills. I told them there was. They said they had the best pills that were made and persuaded me to try a box of another kind, not Dodd's. As I needed some medicine, I bought a box, but they did me no good so I went elsewhere and got the real Dodd's Kidney Pills and very soon was completely cured. I took a box up to the Drug Store and showed them that there was such pills and asked them to order some, but as I haven't needed any more I haven't called to see whether or not they got them."

Lots of pretty poetry goes through the mails as first-class matter.

The tallest and shortest people of Europe, the Norwegians and the Lapps, come from countries which adjoin each other.

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Teacher—Johnny, can you tell me what classical music is? Johnny—Yes mam. It's any kind a fellow can't whistle.

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PERUNA FOR COUGHS and colds in children.
SISTERS OF ST. JOSEPH
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IN EVERY country of the civilized world the Sisters of Charity are known. Not only do they minister to the spiritual and intellectual needs of the poor, but they also minister to their bodily needs.

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With so many children to take care of and to protect from climate and disease these wise and prudent Sisters have found Peruna a never-failing safeguard.

Sisters of St. Joseph, of the Deaf Mute Institute, 1840 Cass Ave., St. Louis, Mo., writes: "We appreciate Peruna very much. It certainly does good work with catarrh and also with colds and la grippe. We have faith in Peruna and have used it many times with the same results. We do not like to be without it. It has certainly kept us from being very sick. It did a world of good last winter for our little ones. Thanking you for your kindness to us and our afflicted ones, we remain, yours gratefully, SISTERS OF ST. JOSEPH."

Dr. Hartman receives many letters from Catholics, catarrh, cold, cough and bronchitis.

Another recommendation from a Catholic institution in the Central States is written by the Sister Superior reads as follows: "A number of years ago our attention was called to Dr. Hartman's Peruna, and since then we have used it with wonderful results for grip, coughs, colds and catarrhal diseases of the head and stomach.

For grip and winter catarrh especially it has been of great service to the inmates of this institution."

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Clubs and Club Women.

Address all communications for three columns to the department editors, Mrs. Helena Downey, President of the Iowa State Federation, 711 Des Moines street, Ottumwa, Iowa.

Iowa is again alive to the fact that its club women are soon to go forth on their yearly pilgrimage for inspiration and renewed hope...

The executive board, composed of the seven general officers of the federation will meet in Ottumwa March 8 to arrange for the annual meeting...

The meetings of the F. E. H. club have been interesting and encouraging this winter. We have done a great deal of charitable work...

Program for our next monthly meeting: Paper, Mrs. Ella Haley; solo, Mrs. Belle Banister; recitation, Mrs. James; address, Mrs. Olivia Gross.

The Ladies' Culture club is in a very prosperous condition. We have fifteen members and it seems to be the ambition of every member to make our club a success.

There is much activity among the clubs here as the time approaches for the convening of the federation. We have pledged ourselves to do all we can to make a successful meeting...

The board of directors is now seeking a suitable lot preparatory to the erection of a club house. Mrs. Corbin entertained the S. A. L. club at her new and beautiful home on Grand street.

The next meeting will be held February 25 at the residence of Mrs. Curd in Moline. Subject for discussion, "Can Club Women Do Justice to Their Homes. Discussion opened by Mrs. Calloway. Paper, "Does Club Work Interfere with Religious Duties?" Mrs. Corbin.

One of the most interesting club meetings this winter was that of the Toussaint L'Overture club at the residence of Mrs. Fred Watrous. A large number of guests were present, nearly every club being represented.

The Silver Autumn Leaf club and Toussaint L'Overture club have been entertaining each other with programs this winter. The S. A. L. appears before them in March.

The officers of the S. A. L. club are: President, Mrs. Richardson; vice president, Mrs. Ella Woods; secretary, Mrs. Lenore Wells Shepard; treasurer, Mrs. Corbin.

The Woman's Social club is flourishing as only weeds flourish. The lit-TWO—Bystander every program has been entertaining and instructive.

Interest in Ottumwa is centered just now on the meeting of the executive board March 8. The three clubs have united in making preparation and will endeavor to raise as much of the board's expenses as they can.

well attended and are instructive. Negro History and Parliamentary Usage are their studies. Mrs. H. H. Sports instructor.

The Benevolent club is the largest club in the city and boast of the "fattest pocketbook." Their studies in Household Economics are very helpful.

The New Century club is not dead nor sleeping, but we are truly living up to our motto, "Lifting as we climb." One of the most enjoyable meetings we have had was a reception to our husbands and gentlemen friends...

The program was as follows: Opening solo, by the Club; scripture reading, Mrs. C. G. Lee; instrumental solo, Miss Jennie Hardy; select reading, Miss Della Neal; vocal duet, Mesdames Allen and Jones; Sketch of Life and Career of Paul Lawrence Dunbar, Miss Jennie Hardy; paper, Afro-American Women in Club Work, Mrs. A. G. Clark; Quotations from Negro Poets.

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MOLINE, ILLINOIS.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Pollard and daughter Roberta were Davenport callers last Sunday.

Mrs. J. L. Jones and several other members of the St. Paul A. M. E. church attended the quarterly meeting at Wayman Mission in Rock Island Sunday.

Next Sunday is quarterly meeting in our city and a grand time is anticipated. We are glad to learn that Miss Georgia Ritchie is convalescent and will soon be among us again.

The King Solomon lodge of Rock Island and The Arsenal lodge of Moline tendered a reception at the King Solomon hall in honor of D. D. Lutz and Mr. Elliott of Chicago, who were here in the interest of the Masonic home of the state, which is soon to be erected in Rock Island.

Miss Cora Phoenix of Muscatine visited at the home of her brother, Mr. R. Phoenix.

Mrs. Robert Bradley is ill at her home with a grippe.

Miss John Curd is on the sick list.

Fort Madison Notes.

Mr. Hazel Wallace of Monmouth is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Wallace.

Idola, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. McKane, died at their home Thursday, Feb. 15. The funeral was held Saturday at 2 p. m. Rev. Holmes of the Second Baptist church officiating.

Messrs. Ed. and Carl Buckner of New Boston were business visitors Wednesday.

Misses Hattie and Minnie McKane of Denmark were in the city Friday. Quite a number attended the dance at Keokuk February 22. Among them were Mesdames Mattie Thomas, Lucile Woodson and Messrs. Floyd Robertson, Joe Adams and Thomas Smith.

Mr. H. L. Holmes is able to be out again after an illness of several weeks. Mrs. Elmira Crousen is very ill. Mrs. James Thomas is much better at this writing.

Mr. Oscar McClellan is recovering from an attack of influenza. Mr. H. W. Richard made several flying trips to Keokuk last week. We think he has an attraction in the city of three K's.

Mr. Arthur Weldon of New Boston was in the city last week. Mr. George Yeiser has purchased a fine farm near New Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Thomas of West Point are in the city. Mrs. Rhoda Harper is ill with influenza. Mrs. Ella Holmes returned to her home in Moline Wednesday after a visit of several days in the city.

There are always two parties to a contract, and yet in a majority of cases but one is expected to carry it out.

Announcement Cards

Please announce my name as a candidate for Congress from the 7th, district, subject to the republican congressional convention, and folk county republican primaries Feb. 29. S. F. Proaty.

I hereby announce my name as a candidate for county auditor subject to the republican convention. Lew Burnst.

Please announce my name as a candidate for constable of Lee Township subject to the republican convention. John Daley.

Please announce my name as a candidate for constable of Lee township, subject to the republican convention. W. W. Weaver.

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Please announce my name as a candidate for constable of Des Moines township, subject to the republican convention. O. C. Kiddie.

I hereby announce my name as a candidate for re-nomination for my second term as county attorney, subject to the republican convention. Jessie A. Miller.

Please announce my name as a candidate for clerk of county court, subject to the republican county primaries. B. F. Coffin.

I hereby announce my name as a candidate for justice of peace of Des Moines township, subject to the republican convention. Zell Roe.

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In the District Court of the state of Iowa in and for Polk County.

In Equity. A. E. Swim, Plaintiff, vs. John Boesker, John Boesener, Reuben H. Linvill, Reuben H. Linvill, Sheldon S. Spearer, John Leichy, John Leichy, John Leichy, Madalina Leichy, Madalina Leichy, John Aaron Sehal, J. Adam Sehal, McCormick Harvesting Machine Co. John Hunter, Mrs. John Hunter and the unknown claimants to the following described premises situated in Polk County, Iowa, to-wit:

Part of the Northwest Quarter (N. W. 1/4) of the Southwest Quarter (S. W. 1/4) of Section (6), Township Eighty (80) North, Range Twenty-four (24) West of the 5th P. M., describe as follows: Beginning at a point 17 rods south of the northeast corner of said forty-acre tract, thence north 17 rods to the place of beginning; said premises also being known as Lot One (1) of the Official Plat of said forty-acre tract.

Also, part of the Northeast Quarter (N. E. 1/4) of the Southeast Quarter (S. E. 1/4) of Section One (1), Township Eighty (80) North, of Range Twenty-five (25) West of the 5th P. M., described as follows: Beginning at the northeast corner of said forty-acre tract, thence west 80 feet, thence southeasterly to the southeast corner of said forty-acre tract, thence north to the place of beginning.

And, fourteen (14) acres off the north side of the southeast 1/4 rod south of the Northeast Quarter (N. E. 1/4) of Section Twelve (12), Township Eighty (80) North of Range Twenty-five (25) West of the 5th P. M. Defendants.

ORIGINAL NOTICE. To each of said defendants: You and each of you are hereby notified and advised that the undersigned, the Clerk of the District Court of Polk County, Iowa, the petition of plaintiff, claiming that he is the absolute and unqualified owner of the following described premises situated in Polk County, Iowa, to-wit:

Part of the Northwest Quarter (N. W. 1/4) of the Southwest Quarter (S. W. 1/4) of Section Six (6), Township Eighty (80) North, Range Twenty-four (24) West of the 5th P. M., described as follows: Beginning at a point 17 rods south of the northeast corner of said forty-acre tract, thence north 17 rods, thence west 4 rods, thence southeasterly to the place of beginning; said premises also being known as Lot One (1) of the Official Plat of said forty-acre tract.

Also, part of the Northeast Quarter (N. E. 1/4) of Section One (1), Township Eighty (80) North, of Range Twenty-five (25) West of the 5th P. M., described as follows: Beginning at the northeast corner of said forty-acre tract, thence west 80 feet, thence southeasterly to the southeast corner of said forty-acre tract, thence north to the place of beginning.

And, fourteen (14) acres off the north side of the southeast 1/4 rod south of the Northeast Quarter (N. E. 1/4) of Section (12), Township Eighty (80) North, of Range Twenty-five (25) West of the 5th P. M.

And praying that it be adjudged that John Boesker and John Boesener, whose names appear in the chain of title to said premises, are one and the same party; that it be adjudged that Reuben H. Linvill and Reuben H. Linville, whose names appear in the chain of title to said premises, are one and the same party; that it be adjudged that Madalina Leichy and Madalina Leichy, whose names appear in the chain of title to said premises, are one and the same party; that the several conveyances in the chain of title of title of said heretofore described property containing erroneous descriptions thereof may be reformed and adjudged to be conveyances of the property hereinbefore described, and as intended for the conveyance thereof; that it be adjudged that each and every of said defendants and that all unknown defendants to said premises may be barred and forever estopped from having or claiming any right or title to said premises, and that the plaintiff and his assignors be and they be reinstated in the chain of title to said premises, and that all unknown claimants thereto; that plaintiff may be adjudged to have an unimpaired and full title to said premises, and that all unknown defendants upon the broken chain of record title to said premises be removed; and for such other and further relief in the premises as to the court shall, under the circumstances and proofs, seem meet.

For further particulars as to plaintiff's title, and the claimants, and the several defendants, and the unknown claimants, you are referred to the petition.

And you are further notified that unless you appear thereto and defend before noon of the second day of the March Term, A. D., 1904, of the said Court, which will commence at Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa, on the 7th day of March, A. D., 1904, a default will be entered against you and judgment rendered thereon.

DUDLEY & COFFIN, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

In the District Court of the State of Iowa, in and for Polk County. State of Iowa, Polk County, ss: Be it remembered that on the 25th day of January, 1904, the above case came on for hearing before the court for an order approving a notice therein, and plaintiff having exhibited the foregoing notice, and upon consideration thereof in connection with the petition, it is ordered that the foregoing notice be approved, and that the same be published in IOWA STATE BYSTANDER, a newspaper published in Polk County, Iowa, for six consecutive weeks prior to the March Term of the Court aforesaid.

HUGH BRENNAN, Judge.

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF RIGHT OF REDEMPTION. To J. G. Caton: You, and each of you, are hereby notified that on the 7th day of December, 1903, the following described real estate, situated in Polk County, State of Iowa, to-wit: Lot 22, Block 7, York's Choice, an Addition to the City of Des Moines, Iowa, was sold by the treasurer of said Polk County, for the taxes then due, delinquent and unpaid thereon for the year 1896, to G. W. Matern, of the County of Polk, State of Iowa; and that a certificate of sale was duly issued by said treasurer to said purchaser pursuant to said sale; that said certificate of sale has been assigned to and is now held by the undersigned; that the right of redemption from said sale will expire, and a tax deed be made by said treasurer to me, (L. M. Mann) for said real estate, pursuant to said law, unless redemption therefrom is made within 90 days from the completion of said service of this notice.

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