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CITY NEWS

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J. L. Thompson has been invited to address the Ladies' Equal Rights Club (white) of Des Moines on the 16th.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Coalson entertained Hon. Geo. H. Woodson last Sunday at dinner, an enjoyable time was had.

Mr. A. Rivers is ill this week.

Mrs, J. H. Patterson is quite sick this week, she has been ill for sometime.

The Utica Clothing store has employed D. C. Fielding, Ed. Weeks and Tracy Blagburn, they are good men and we hope they will please their employee-

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Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Williamson entertained Messrs Joseph Jones and Jackson Gordon of Chicago at a six o'clock dinner last Saturday.

Joseph Jones and Mr. Jackson Gordon who has been in our city the past few days returned to their home in Chicago, Ill. last Monday evening,

WANTED—One hundred miners steady work. Four foot coal. New mine just opened. Carbondale Minning Co.

Mrs. Wm. Fletcher who has spent all fall visiting in Omaha and other Nebraska cities returned home Wednesday looking well, she reports a pleasant trip.

Mrs. Morris Mills met with a very serious accident last Saturday by slipping on the porch and spraining her ankle, which has layed her up all of the week.

The weddnig bells will soon ring again: The contracting parties are all from the West side. The young man has leased a house and will begin at once to furnish it.

The committee has arranged everything for the entertainment to be given by Miss Henrietta Vinton Davis on the 23rd. The price of admission will be reduced to 15 cents to all.

Messrs C. C. Ney and W. Jackson of Centerville have opened up a first class tonsorial shop in the Iowa Hotel, they will make this city their home. Mr. Ney's family will not move up here until next year.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. C. Young who have made this city their home for several months, moved to Ottumwa this week, where they expect to make their home awhile. They will be greatly missed by the society people of the city.

When in Muchakinock, Iowa stop at **MRS. ADDIE JOHNSON'S RESTAURANT** for good meals or short orders; also Ice Cream, Prompt attention given to all orders.

The Men's Sunday Club has changed its name to the Ladies and Gentlemen's Sunday Afternoon Club. There was a good crowd out last Sunday the question discussed by Mr. J. H, Rogers and Henderson, Attorney J. B. Rush and H. Gould next Sunday the club will be addressed by Rev. J. Underwood every one are cordially invited to attend.

A very nice birthday party was given on little Ralford Jackson last Thursday evening at the parents home 305 2rd street. It was little Ralford's third year. those present enjoyed them selves, Refreshment was served, his grandmother from Mt. Pleasant was present. He received some very nice presents.

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The Paul Laurence Dunbar lyceum will meet in regular session at its room over 211 West 4th street Monday evening for the transacting of important business of the society as well as the election of officers for the ensuing term A full attendance is desired by the President A. Pearson.

Mr. R. N. Hyde one of our successful business men in company with J. L. Thompson drove Messrs Joseph Jones and Jackson Gordon over the city last Sunday in his beautiful trap, later lunch was served at his home on Grand Avenue by his wife and daughter.

There was a large crowd out to welcome home the 51st regiment especially the two companies that was from Des Moines. The Muchakinock band of 26 pieces passed through here last Sunday enroute to Council Bluffs to meet the 51st Iowa which is just from the Philippines, they returned Monday evening and the few minuets the train waited they rendered some of their excellant music.

NOTICE—There having been so many inquires made of us for good girls from the leading families that a member of this company will undertake to secure good places for good girls. Wages from $3.00 and upward. Address B. care of the Bystander.

The H. B. S. met with Mrs. C. A. Clegget last Thursday officers were elected as follows: President, Mrs. L. Palmer; Vice-Presicent, Mrs. E. T, Banks; Secretary, Mrs. M. Warick, Assistant Secretary, Mrs J. T, Blagburn; Treasurer, Mrs. L Hamilton; Oricle Staff, Mesdames Lewis and Wilburn. Mrs. Lewis read the paper of the afternoon, the hostess served lunch. The next meeting will be with Mrs. L. Denney. The programme will be "Each in her own way"

SONG SERVICES.

The new choir recently organized at the A. M, E. church gave their first public service last Sunday evening to an over crowded house, while the members that compose this organization are not new to Des Moines people but the old veterans re-organized with Prof. Geo. I. Holt as the leader, as we published the name of this choir last week hence we will omit them. Their singing was excellant considering that the choir had only been practicing together three times. It met the expectation of all and the large audience that greeted them is in itself evidence of the general approval as skill and merit will always be appreciated in Des Moines Rev. B. F. Crozier (white) an old veteran in the ministry assisted in the services, his prayer was beautiful. Attorney Geo. H. Woodson made a few remarks at the close of the service

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PROUD IOWA.

Iowa is Marching in the old Republican Column.

60,000 MAJORITY

The Legislature Overwhelmingly Republican.

From completed unofficial returns from last Tuesday's election Iowa remains safely in the Republican column, where she has always remeined (except a 4 years vacation.) Governor Shaw's plurality is 58,000, the largest ever given a governor in Iowa. In the legislature the republicans made great gains. On joint ballot the republicans will have 117 of the 150 members.

In Ohio the Republicans carry the entire state ticket by nearly 50,000; also in New Jersey by 20,000 and away down in old Kentucky the grand old party was successful by about 8,000 plurality, if not counted out by the Democrats. In brief the Republicans carried every state where there was an election held except Nebraska, Mississippi, Virginia and Maryland where the Democratic majority was greatly reduced.

POLK COUNTY REPUBLICAN.

Again as usual Polk county rolls up a republican majority of over 2,000. Mr. Geo. Mattern (as we had previously predicted) lead the ticket by 3,676. Judge Carr and Stewart followed closely with all the rest running up with the ticket, except Mr. John McKay and James Brenton, the former running only slightly behind, but the latter run a good deal behind ticket, which we were sorry to see as Mr. Brenton has made one of the best Superintendents Polk county has ever had and is kind and courteous to all. His majority will exceed 1800. The proposition to move the court house to the Fifth street property was defeated.

REPUBLICAN VICTORY.

The over whelming Republican majorsty of last Tuesday's election in nearly all the states that held state elections, is a strong vindication of the Republican principle and administration. The people undoubtly endorse the President's course in the Philippines. It was simply an endorsement of the splended and wise management of our country, so that to-day instead of soup houses, marching army of starving people; we see well dressed, happy, contented class, with plenty of work and good wages, with Kentucky still remaining with our party. It may be the neucles around which other southern states may have hope and fall in line. From the time in '96 when J. W. Bryan bolted the true principle of democracy and disrupted the party on the money question, the party has constantly met with great defeat, even in the once democratic strongholds. In '97 they met with overwhelmning defeat by adhearing to the Bryanism and free silver. Than again in 1898 they met their Waterloo and on last Tuesday the cyclone was so great that it was a perfect landslide on Bryanism, imperalism and silverism If the Republican party will only remain loyal to its principles and adhear to the express will of the untrampled citizens it will succeed.

DIED FROM SHOCK.

James Lynch, Colored, Run Over in Central Yards.

Coroner's Jury Gives Verdict That Death Was Due to His Carelessness.

(Special to the BYSTANDER)

Ft Dodge, Iowa.

James Lynch, the unfortunate colored man who was run over by the cars in the Central yards Tuesday afternoon after being removed to the Fisher house was operated on last evening by the company surgeon, Dr. Ristine. It was found necessary to amputate both legs the one being nearly sereved and the other being so badly mangled that it was out of the question to save it. The victim succumbed during the night, and Coroner Rose was called upon this morning to secure a jury and rendered a verdict in accordance with the facts. After examning several witnesses the jury brought in the following verdict: That the deceased cameto his death by being accidentally run over by the cars in the Central yards on October 31st and that his death was due to his own carelessness. The man was 21 years of age and was born and raised at Madison, Madison county Mississippi. The body was taken to the undertaking rooms of M. Young, and will be sent to his home in Mississippi for burial.

WHY NOT.

Ella Wheeler Wilcox, who has turned dramatic critic, has some well refined ideas on the sentiment of "coon songs," which are so rampart on the stage at present. She says;

I wonder the better order of freedmen do not rise in a body and protest against indecent tone of most of the "coon songs." They are devoid of sense of morality, and make the colored men and women seem to be fools, The airs of the songs are often catchy and full of haunting bits of melody, even of harmony, and it is because of this, no doubt, that they accepted and sung by people everywhere who do not stop to consider the sentiment.

It is a curious thing that during the time when the colored man was in slavery he inspired exquisite stanza of verse in the brains of our poets and song makers. "Old Kentucky Home," "Suwanee River," "Massa's in the Cold, Cold Ground," and many others of the kind are full of pathos, refinement and beauty. Now that the slave has become a freedman and is given opportunity with his follows, why should he inspire our song writers to only such vulgar and coarse doggerel as most of the "coon songs" of the time undeniably are?

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Genuine Reach Boxing Gloves, per set	1.70

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MUSCATINE NEWS.

Mrs. Frances E. Walker has returned from Chicago where she attended the wedding of Miss Mabel Appleton, formerly of Muscatine.

There was a literary meeting at the A. M. E. C [illegible] Tuesday evening. Debate—Res [illegible] hat Jealousl [illegible] Part of Love. Affirmative, Mrs. Gordon and Mr. Wm. Shackelford. Negative, Miss Gertrude Lee and Mr. Samuel Barnes. The Judges' decision was in favor of the negative. There was also vocal duetts, solos and recitations rendered, after which refreshments were served. An enjoyable time was had by all present.

Mrs. Maria Erwin, a former resident of Muscatine, arrived from Hartwell, Ohio last week to join her husband and will make this her home. Mr. and Mrs. Erwin are two of the oldest residents of Muscatine. They are to be pitied as she is totally blind and he is almost blind.

Mrs. Samuel Barnes entertined at dinner Sunday a few of her friends

The young people will meet at the home of Mrs. Watson to organize a club Tuesday evening.

It rumored that we will have three weddings this month.

The colored citizens are wondering what Dr. Peter Tomley is fixing up the downstairs of the parsonage for.

If you wish to know what the colored people are doing all over the state subscribe for the BYSTANDER.

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KEOKUK NOTES.

Mrs. Thomas Mitchell was at home to about forty friends yesterday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Howard of Des Moines, Mrs. Guy of Topeka, Kan., Mrs. S. Harris of St. Paul, Minn., Rev. Bundy of Chicago and Rev. and Mrs. Reeves of the city. The decorations were of red and white crysantheums.

DAVENPORT REPORT.

Mrs. E. H. Hoskins who has been very sick for quite a while is very much improved, this will be gladly received by his many friends.

Mr, and Mrs. G. W. Chesterfield entertained at dinner last Friday at their cosy residence on High and Cherry streets a few of their friends in honor of Miss Creig of Versailles Kentucky.

Miss Henrietta Vinton Davis the famous Elocutionist from Washington D. C. made her appearance at the A. M. E. church Nov. First before a crowded house, she was very ably assisted by the choir and also Mr. Young of Kansas City who sang a very beautiful solo entitled The Girl I left in Dixie. Miss Davis recited six pieces with great success one which was written by an Iowa lady and three by P. L, Dunbar. Miss Davis is no doubt a great elocutionist.

Mr. Henry Applewhite one of the best known colored men of this city passed away Saturday November 4th., at 2:18 A. M. of consumption, he was buried from the Third Baptist church of which he was a member and was its first clerk twenty-one years ago he leaves behind him a wife and a host of friends to mourn his loss, among those who will miss him most will be the Hon. S. F. Smith as Mr. Applewhite had worked very faithfully for twenty-one years as house-man and coachman and was considered as one in the family rather than a hired man and was buried on Mr. Smith's private lot in Oakdale Cemetery, before he died he left a request that Rev. Murff of Galesburg, Ill., preached his funeral assisted by Rev. G. S. Rollins of the Congregation church this city, Dr. Weddsll of Calvary Baptist this city and other noted white ministers, he also selected the song to be sang at the church and cemetery and his wishes was carried out just as he had planned; he left a house and lot and an insurrance policy and other valuables all to his wife, as they have no childeen, but he will be missed by many.

Mrs. McCleliand of Ft. Madison is in the city having been called to the bed side of her daughter Mrs, E. H. Hoskins.

On the second was Mr. Applewhite's birthday but he was to sick to celebrate it so his host of friends did not forget his 49th birthday and brought him many valuable presents among them was five silver dollars presented to him by the Ladies' Sewing Circle of the Third Baptist church.

Rev. Christy the new Methodist Minister seems to be the right man in the right place.

Rev. D. E. Murff our former pastor of the Third Baptist church but now of Galesburg was in the city Monday and Tuesday to attend the funeral of Mr. Applewhite.

The Third Baptist church was crowded to its fullest capacity and many stood all around the doors and windows on the 9th, to pay their respect to Mr. Applewhite.

CLINTON ITEMS.

The stewardess board will meet on Thursday afternoon in regular session with Mrs. A. A. Bush.

Rev. P. P. Tayfor left for Rockford Saturday after a weeks visit with his family.

We would like to know whether the A. M. E. church will give a dinner on Thanksgiving thus far [illegible] is no movement along that [illegible]

Rev. Holly is anticipating the return of his wife this week from her visit in Chicago.

The ladies of Clinton lodge A. F. A. M. tendered the members of that society a surprise on Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henderson on Second Avenue. The gentleman were invited to the Henderson's residence where it was found well laid plans had been perfected for their entertainment, after a season of social pleasure the guests sat down to a supper of four coursess, the following ladies acting as hostess, Mesdames Wm. Allen, M. O. Culberson, Wm. Henderson Wm. Emerson, Jesse Mitchell, A. W. Ellington. F. E, McNiel and Wm. Richardson, the guests present were Rev. and Mrs. P. P. Taylor and Rev. Holly.

Mr. and Mrs, Jesse Mitchell of Fulton were in Clinton last week calling on friends.

Fred Aikens of this city a member of the senior class of the High School is holding a prominent position with the High School foot ball team this season.

CEDAR RAPIDS BUDGETARIAN.

We are sorry to note the illness of Miss Lucy Bland who has been confined to her bed for about one week, we trust she will soon recover.

Rev. Bass preached two excellent sermons Sunday to a crowded house both morning and evening. It being trustees' rally, the collections were good.

Little Leanor Lavell is suffering with a severe cold.

Dame rumor has it that one of our young men will soon lead to the alter one of Galesburg's fair damsels we will only wait and see.

The Sunday School board held their regular monthly meeting on the 5th with Mrs Geo. H. Wade, they added to the list of teachers Mrs. Flora Roberts who will be valuable assistance in the Sunday School.

The Ladies Industrial Circle will be entertained this week by Mrs. Hattie Raspberry. Visitors are always welcome.

The Ladies of the Stewardess board met Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Hawkins to arrange for a Thanksgiving dinder. It is their aim to make it a grand success both financially and spiritually, and ask the hearty co-operation the entire members and friends in assisting them in doing so.

Please be ready to settle up your back subscription to the Bystander as the agent will see you soon, and we know you would not like to be without it so interesting it is that those who are not supscribers feel the necessity of borrowing their neighbors so they may be up with the times.

Mr. Worthington who formerly resided in our city was a Sunday visitor on He was entertained at dinner by Mrs. Annie Oliphant. Mr. Worthington had the sad misfortune of losing his wife who died about, a month ago, he has our sympathy.

We learn that Miss Henrietta Vinton Davis is meeting with much success in her tour through the State, may she always be successful.

FT. DODGE LETTER.

On Tuesday evening Oct. 31, the colored people who came from the Southern states to work on the railroad near Fort Dodge left for home Wednesday While getting ready to start into the cars the engine gave a very hard bump against the cars and one of the men by the name of James Lynch from Mississippi was standing between the cars on the platform and was thrown underneath the cars. Both legs were cut off. He was carried to the Fisher hotel and lived but a short time. The remains will be sent to his mother in Madison, Miss., Thursday evening.

Mrs. Douglass Follow and Solomn Follow are anticipating spending the winter in Chicago.

Mr. Frank Davis is improving in health.

Mr. Wright who has been here a few days on business left Thursday for Des Moines.

Mrs. Rosa Tolliver is contemplating going to Muchakinock for a short visit with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Lucinda Bell, the mother-in-law of W. H. Jamison, is 109 years old and as spry as a 20 year old girl.

BURLINGTON BRIEFLETS.

Mr. Ross, father of Mrs. D. Early died of paralysis at her home on Wednesday, his remains were taken to Frankfort Mo. on Friday for interment.

Mrs. J. Dunaway and family after residing for a number of years in our midst moved to Galesburg last week,

The wedding bells will soon ring out in our city again so it is said and this time it will be one of our elderly widows,

Quarterly meeting was held at the A. M. E. church Sunday. Rev. Rhineheart was here and delivered two very interesting sermons, there was a large attendance and good collections all day.

Presiding Elder Bundy was here Tuesday to hold the Quarterly Conference.

Mrs. S. L. Tigge is visiting her mother in Canton, Mo.

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ELECTION RETURNS.

IOWA REPUBLICAN BY ALMOST 60,000 PLURALITY.

Republicans Also Carry Ohio, Massachusetts and Kentucky—Maryland and Nebraska Are Democratic.

DES MOINES, Nov. 9.—Practically complete unofficial returns from Iowa indicate that Governor Shaw is reelected by 56,000 plurality. The remainder of the republican ticket runs close to Governor Shaw. The extent of the republican gains will be better appreciated, perhaps, when it is stated that there will probably be only eighteen democrats in the next house. In the last house there were thirty-eight, so that the democrats lose more than half in the lower body. By a curious state of facts, however, the democrats gain three in the senate, so that they will have fifteen in the next senate, as against twelve in the last senate. The middle-of-the-road populists cast a very small vote, but the prohibition ticket, headed by Atwood, will poll just about 10,000, the heaviest vote it has received in a number of years.

KENTUCKY.

Louisville, Nov. 8.—No matter what result the face of the returns of the election show, a contest is very likely to occur. Additional returns continue to show republican gains, and basing an estimate upon the normal complexion of the precincts still unreported, indicate a plurality of 6,000 or 8,000 for W. S. Taylor for governor. The belated returns are mostly from mountain counties, which are strongly republican. The Goebel people cling to their claim of a plurality of 5,000 in the state, these figures being the estimate made by the nominee himself. At republican headquarters in this city Taylor's plurality is placed at 8,000. In neither case is it possible to get the figures upon which the claim is based. The legislature is democratic.

MARYLAND.

Baltimore, Nov. 9.—Unofficial returns show that the democrats swept practically everything before them. John Walter Smith, Dr. Joshua Hering and Isidor Rayner, their candidates for governor, comptroller and attorney general, respectively, were elected by approximately 11,300 majority.

OHIO.

Cincinnati, Nov. 9.—Unofficial returns have been received by the Western Union from all counties in Ohio, with a few scattering precincts estimated. The footings give Nash, R., for governor, a plurality of 49,205. Jones' vote aggregates about 100,000.

NEBRASKA.

Lincoln, Nov. 9.—Complete county returns do not materially change the early estimates of the results of election. The fusionists carry the state by 12,000, perhaps more, on the face of the returns from nearly half the counties. They elect William Neville to congress over Moses P. Kinkaid in the sixth district, but by a reduced majority, and gain slightly in judicial districts.

NEW YORK.

New York, Nov. 9.—Returns received from up the state increase the republican assembly membership to 93, against 57 democrats, a republican gain of 12. Democrats are jubilant over the victory in Boston, which after giving the republicans a plurality for governor the past three years, gave Paine, dem., a plurality of 62,000.

PENNSYLVANIA.

Philadelphia, Nov. 9.—Complete returns from 60 of the 67 counties in the state, and including Philadelphia, and with carefully revised estimates from the seven missing counties, show a plurality of 109,465 for Barnett, rep.

NEW JERSEY.

New Dork, Nov. 9.—Taking the highest candidate for county office on each ticket in all the counties, the republican plurality in New Jersey is well above 20,000. In each county the republican plurality is about 16,000. A year ago Voorkes, R., for governor, had 5,499 plurality.

SOUTH DAKOTA.

Sioux Falls, Nov. 8.—Additional reports received this evening from points in the state make but little change in the republican majority, increasing it from 3,875 to 4,017.

MASSACHUSETTS.

Boston, Nov. 9.—Figures to-day are practically as announced last night. The plurality of Crane, rep., for governor, is within a few votes of 65,125.

ROOM FOR VERY GRAVE FEARS.

Triumphant Utterances of the British Press Not Justified.

LONDON, Nov. 9.—Beyond the crop of ever-recurring rumors, mostly without foundation, there is little news from the front. An official dispatch from General Buller shows that Ladysmith was still in fighting trim Sunday and anticipating the recommencement of the bombardment Monday. There is nothing, apparently, to justify the triumphant utterances in the British press. While it is admitted there is some room for congratulation, there is, it is added, room for grave fears. The announcement yesterday that 3,000 Boers, with big guns, left Pretoria on the way to the southern border, is said to merely be a ruse to hide the real destination of this force, which it is believed is Ladysmith. Those best qualified to express an opinion on the subject believe that the quiescence of the Boers is ominous, and that they expect shortly to hear of large accessions of Boer guns in position, and a severe bombardment of the beleaguered camp.

FIGHTING AT LADYSMITH.

Boers Reported Repulsed in Two Hard Fights.

ESTCOURT, Natal, Nov. 4.—A reliable messenger has arrived from Ladysmith, passing the Boer lines during the night who reports that heavy fighting occurred on Thursday around Ladysmith The hottest engagement was on George Tatham's farm, on the Orange Free State side of Besters. The British drove the Boers back to their camp. The enemy suffered great loss, and thirty mounted Boers were captured.

The fighting was resumed Friday, the Boers firing from Nosdwathshana Hill. Again they were driven back, with a loss, to their camp. It is reported that the Boers lost 800 in killed and wounded and captured in Thursday's battle on Tatham's farm, near Ladysmith.

THE NEWS IN IOWA

BERRY BEATEN.

Clarke County Was Not Enthusiastic Enough.

INDIANOLA, Nov. 9.—W. H. Berry, of Indianola, was defeated for re-election to the state senate from the Warren-Clarke district by 150 votes. His defeat was brought about by Clarke county, upon which the nomination of Berry was forced by Warren. Clarke was entitled to the senator this year by the rule of rotation always followed in this district, but Warren was able to nominate and refused to give up the nomination. Consequently, Clarke county made a bitter fight on Berry, which resulted in the election of W. D. Talman, of Osceola, a democrat. Berry is a strong Cummins man. M. L. Temple, of Osceola, was elected to the house from Clarke county by 66 votes over A. W. Nowers, democrat. Nowers was in the last house, to which he was elected over Temple because of the latter's espousal of the Temple amendment cause. After the Temple amendment became a law two years ago, it was decided to make another fight for Temple's election.

STRIKE RICH COAL VEIN.

Iowa Town May Now Get a New Railroad or a Spur.

DES MOINES, Nov. 8.—Savanah, a small town in the southwest part of Davis county, Iowa, promises to become a splendid coal station, a mine having recently been opened there at a depth of less than 100 feet. The vein is about 5½ feet and promises to yield an abundance of the mineral. The Burlington railroad is talking seriously of running a spur from its Kansas City branch from Bloomfield to Savanah and thoroughly developing the coal field at that place. In the event this is done there is a likelihood the road will extend on through Mark and Monterey to Glenwood, connecting it with the K. & W. at that place. Savanah, Monterey and Mark are small inland towns, located in a rich country. The line, if built, will be about twenty-three miles in length.

YANCY AND SMITH SENTENCED.

Given Terms in the Penitentiary for Murderous Assault.

AMES, Nov. 6.—Charles Yancey and Charles Smith, the notorious Omaha crooks, who were tried in the district court of Story county, charged with assault with attempt to murder Conductor Hicks, of Clinton, on the night of August 13, at Kelley, Iowa, while he was attempting to put them off for refusing to pay their fares, were found guilty as charged in the indictment and sentenced by Judge Birdsall. Yancy was given five years and Smith, who did the shooting, was given ten years in the penitentiary.

STATE AUDITOR'S REPORT.

Merriam Completes His Message to the Governor.

DES MOINES, Nov. 7.—State Auditor Merriam has made public the text of his message to the governor, in introducing the biennial report. The document congratulates the state on the improved condition of finances, and recommends a number of reforms. One of these is that 33 1-3 per cent be made the basis of valuation for taxation in the future, instead of 25 per cent. Other suggestions relate to the method of collecting taxes, to the care of the state school fund, etc.

HELD ON TWO CHARGES.

C. D. Roseman Arrested for Securing Money by False Pretenses.

MONTEZUMA, Nov. 9.—C. D. Roseman, who was arrested on the charge of embezzlement, was released on bail, which was furnished by W. J. Johnson of Malcom. Before the time of trial arrived he was again arrested on a charge of obtaining money under false pretenses. This charge was made by W. F. Tibbals. Bail was again furnished and the hearing of the first case postponed so he can answer to both charges on the 16th.

A FIREMAN FATALLY HURT.

Leaned From the Cab and Struck a Coach on Sidetrack.

FORT DODGE, Nov. 9.—Frank Morton, a fireman from the Waterloo division of the Illinois Central, was very seriously injured in the yards at this place. He was leaning out of the cab and was struck by a passenger coach which had cleared the switch far enough to clear. He was injured from the waist up. His ribs were broken and his head and body cut and bruised. His injuries may prove fatal.

BODY WILL BE EXHUMED.

Rumor That R. C. Crawford was Murdered.

MIDDLETOWN, Nov. 9.—A sensation has been created by the rumor that R. C. Crawford, a wealthy resident who died recently, is believed to have been been murdered. His son will have his remains exhumed and the stomach examined for poison. Mr. Crawford was found dead in his barnyard, supposedly from heart disease. He left a large estate.

CO. F. WELCOMED.

In Jam at the Depot a Man Was Fatally Shot.

OSKALOOSA, Nov. 7.—Ten thousand people welcomed home Co. F, of the Fifty-first Iowa at midnight last night. There were two thousand people in line. The town was handsomely decorated and brilliantly illuminated. In the jam at the depot, Hubert Bucklander was shot and fatally hurt.

Render Verdict.

DES MOINES, Nov. 9.—The mystery surrounding the strange death of Mabel Scofield may never be cleared. Those who have been spending time and money on the case are at their wit's end and there is a probability that nothing will be done to trace the guilt to its proper source. The coroner's jury has returned a verdict of death from an unknown cause.

Run Down by a Train.

CLINTON, Nov. 8.—Hugo White, a well known veterinary surgeon of Maquoketa, was run down by a Milwaukee passenger train at Elwood and instantly killed. He was 40 years old.

A Gold Headed Cane.

GUTHRIE CENTER, Nov. 8.—There were about thirty-five of the boys of the Fifty-first from Guthrie county. At the demonstration the boys were all given a gold headed cane.

SUICIDE AT MARION.

Afraid of Arrest for Alleged Crime Committed in Germany.

CEDAR RAPIDS, Nov. 9.—Albert Krakowska, a Polander about 37 years of age, who came to Marion a little over a month ago, having fled from his home in Germany to escape prosecution for a violation of the meat laws of that country, committed suicide in the Frelsinger hotel at Marion. He thought the officers were watching him, and this fear, coupled with homesickness from the fact he had not been able to hear from his wife and six children in Germany, caused him to take the rash step. He had taken a strap from his valise and, placing it around his neck, tied it to the hinge of the door to his room, and pulling his feet off the floor, strangled to death, being dead when found by his cousin. He was employed around the Milwaukee coal house in Marion. He left a letter to his wife, telling her what to do with their property, and stating that he thought he was doing the best.

SOLDIER BOYS BANQUETED.

Companies A and H Given a Royal Reception at Des Moines.

DES MOINES, Nov. 10.—Former members of the Fifty-first Iowa regiment learned, in a measure, the esteem in which they are held in Des Moines and the public appreciation which exists of their valor and patriotism. A public reception was held at the state house. It was followed by a banquet at the Savery, at which the speakers told of the work of the regiment and spoke in praise of the individual members, and especially of the boys of Companies A and H, who went from Des Moines. Receptions were held at Drake University and at the West Des Moines high school for returned soldier students. At the banquet addresses were made by Governor Shaw, General Given, Judge Bishop, Colonel Loper, Lieutenant Hubbard and Captains Kihlbohm and Worthington.

Aid For Colleges.

INDEPENDENCE, Nov. 9.—Dr. Bryant, who died a few days ago, leaves $500 to Munson Industrial School and divides the rest of his property, valued at about $60,000 to Tabor College, Tabor, Iowa, and Talladega Colored School, Talladega, Ala. In his lifetime he gave $30,000 to the two last named colleges.

BREVITIES.

Notes and accounts collected in any locality. G. R. Carson, Att'y, Des Moines, Ia.

The dispatches say that O. L. Roseman, of Montezuma, who died suddenly two weeks ago. has been found to be a defaulter of about $27,000, the money of poor people given to him to pay off mortgages he had negotiated. His son, C. D. Roseman, has been arrested as an accomplice.

The Iowa Masonic Benevolent Association, which was absorbed some time ago by the now defunct Equitable Life Association of Waterloo has begun suit against the receiver, asking that the contracts between the two companies be declared invalid and that property valued at 40,000 be restored to the Masonic society.

It is stated that the Oskaloosa company rebelled against its captain, W. H. Keating, after being mustered out, and threatened him violence on the train unless he removed the blemishes he had put on some of the men's characters on their discharges, which he promised to do. Captain A. F. Burton of the Villisca company, who was suspended for cowardice, remained in San Francisco rather than risk riding with his men after military restraint was removed.

Sioux City dispatch: Burning with anger because he had lost $5 in a game of craps, Joe Gilmore, a Virginia negro, shot and perhaps fatally wounded Joe Tender, another black man, in Sioux City. Gilmore met his victim on the street and, after demanding back his money and being refused, whipped out a 44-caliber revolver and fired a shot into the other man's body. It is rather doubtful if Tender will live. Gilmore got away, but later was captured, and admits he is the man who did the shooting.

John Dawson, of Knoxville, recently shot his wife and then turned the weapon upon himself. He fired three shots at his wife, each taking effect, and she will probably die. He then shot himself, dying at once. The couple had not been living together for some time, although they were married only about a year ago. It is thought these family troubles unbalanced Dawson's mind and led to the commission of the crime. Dawson was a drayman and was well liked and apparently prosperous.

Iowa City dispatch: One thousand calves from Mexico have just reached Iowa City in charge of Secrest & Elliott, local farmers and stock raisers. The shipment made an even train load and is composed of choice specimens of the Hereford, Shorthorn and Aberdeen breeds. During the long journey the calves were twice unloaded and given exercise, with the result that not one was killed or injured while enroute. The owners will feed for future market and consider themselves fortunate in securing such a fine shipment.

Des Moines dispatch: That dread disease among horses, glanders, is giving the farmers of Dallas county, especially around Van Meter, great uneasiness. The local board of health of Van Meter, of which J. W. Welch is clerk, on September 16 notified Governor Shaw that it had strong reason to believe that there was a case of glanders existing among the horses of Mrs. Andy Fellar, three miles northeast of that town. Several examinations failed to reveal the dread disease, but still the people were worried. Finally Assistant State Veterinary Surgeon Talbot, of Des Moines, one of the most skilled veterinarians in Iowa, was sent to Van Meter by order of Governor Shaw to make an exhaustive and final test among Mrs. Fellar's horses. He found one well developed case of glanders. The animal was promptly isolated, and although Dr. Talbot was anxious to have the animal killed, Mrs. Fellar absolutely refused to allow it. The other horses are in strict quarantine. Glanders have existed more or less in Dallas county for the past fifteen years, and particularly on this farm for ten ounty,

EVAN'S NEWS.

The Y. M. C. gave a supper at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Davis Lous in the honor of their son.

The Baptist church gave a donation party in the honor of Rev. Tate and family Thursday.

There was a G. S. C. club organized at the Baptist church Friday evening.

The queen of Iowa Tabernacle met in the Star hall Friday afternoon.

Mr John L. Thompson was in our town on business Thursday.

Mrs. E. Willas made a call on Mrs. Taylor Duke Thursday.

Mr. J. C. Plumer a traveling artist of Des Moines is residing here he will spend the winter.

Maud Jackson who has been ill is better at this writing.

Mrs. John James who has been sick for some time is convalescent,

Sam Willson is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin made a call on Mrs. Wilson Sunday and also Miss Helen Hunter.

Maud Steele and Miss Jackson, Mrs. H. Jackson sister of Quincy, Ill. is visiting her.

Mr. Arthur Wilson and Miss Emma Douglass of Muchakinock were visiting friends here Sunday.

Oscar Smith returned home Friday, from Seatle Washington where he has been visiting relatives.

Mr. St. Clair has open a drug store.

The Daughters' of Tabor gave an entertainment Saturday evening.

The American Coal company has opened a new mine three miles from here.

ALBIA NEWS.

Mrs. Dr. Lawther of Des Moines was in Hocking and Albia on business for a few days.

Mrs. Alexander of Ottumwa visited in Albia and Hocking this week.

Editor, J. L. Thompson of Des Moines was in Albia on Wednesday on business and on his way to Coalfield.

Mrs. Josie Meadows of Albia made her usual trip to Muchakinock this week.

Neptial of Davis and Martin and Davis and Reed. Miss Ada Davis of Albia and Mr P. A. Reed of Hocking. Miss Delia Davis and Mr. Elize Martin of Garden Grove were both united in marriage at the home of the brides' parents on Wednesday evening. Rev, W. A. Searcy officiating, a large crowd was present, both white and colored friends a nice supper served and numerous presents were given by the many friends of the brides. Cornations, pinks, smilax and roses were the flowers. The brides were dressed in white swiss and organdy, the gentleman attired in black. The two couple go to their respective homes with the best wishes and congratulation of a host of Albia friends. Those present from out of the city were; Laura Schofield of Oskaloosa, Mrs. D. Mason, Mrs. John Davis of Ottumwa and Mrs. Mamie Shelton of Chariton.

On the 10th of December, 1897, Rev. S. A. Donahoe, pastor M. E. church, South, Pt. Pleasant, W. Va., contracted a severe cold which was attended from the beginning by violent coughing. He says: "after resorting to a number of so-called 'specifics,' usually kept in the house to, no purpose, I purchased a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, which acted like a charm. I most cheerfully recommend it to the public.' For sale by all Druggists.

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NOTICE TO REDEEM FROM TAX SALE.

State of Iowa, Polk County, ss:

To P. H. Bosquet Do I. B. Brown, P. H. Bosquit:

You are hereby notified that on the 8th day of December, A. D. 1896 the following described real estate, situated in Polk county, Iowa, was sold for the taxes for the year 1895 which real estate is described as follows, to-wit: Lot four (4) Block D Cotton Mill addition now forming a part of the city of Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa.

That the same was, at such sale, purchased by Guy Hunter and a certificate issued to him by the Treasurer of Polk county, Iowa, and by the said Guy Hunter the certificate was duly assigned to J. H. Phillips, and he is now the owner and holder of said certificate, and the right of redemption will expire and a Treasurer's deed for said property will be made, unless redemption from such sale be made within ninety days from the completed service hereof.

J. H. PHILLIPS,
Lawful holder and owner of said certificate.

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF RIGHT OF REDEMPTION.

To J. R. Sheeley, person taxed with the following described property:

You and each of you are herebey notified that on the 8th day of December, 1896 the following described real estate, to-wit:

Lot Thirty-four (34) Block Three (3) Foundry Add to Capital Park, now included in and forming a part of the city of Des Moines, and all situated within the County of Polk and state of Iowa, was sold for the then delinquent and unpaid tax of the year 1895, to M. E. Miller, that the undersigned is now the legal owner and holder of the certificates of purchase issued in pursuance of the above mentioned sale; and that the right of redemption will expire and a deed for the land be made unless redemption is made within ninety days from the completed service hereof.

DANL. T. PATTON,
Owner and Holder of Certificate.

NOTICE TO REDEEM FROM TAX SALE.

State of Iowa, Polk county, ss:

To Elizabeth Huibsch:

You are hereby notified that on the 3th day of December, A. D. 1895 the following described real estate, situated in Polk county, Iowa, was sold for the taxes for the year 1894 which real estate is described as follows, to-wit: Lot Forty-two (42) Block Thirteen (13) Larison Penn, now forming a part of the city of Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa.

That the same was, at such sale purchased by G. M. Taylor and a certificate issued to him by the Treasurer of Polk county, Iowa, and by the said G. M. Taylor the certificate was duly assigned to J. H. Phillips, and he is now the owner and holder of said certificate, and the right of redemption will expire, and a Treasurer's deed for said property will be made, unless redemption from such sale be made within ninety days from the completed service hereof.

J. H. PHILLIPS,
Lawful owner and holder of said certificate.

NOTICE TO REDEEM FROM TAX SALE.

State of Iowa, Polk county, ss.

To P. H. Bosquet Do. P. H, Bosquit, J. N. Ridgway, S. Ridgway:

You are hereby notified that on the 8th day of December, A. D. 1896 the following described real estate, situated in Polk county, Iowa, was sold for the taxes for the year 1895 which real estate is described as follows, to-wit: Lot sixteen (16) Block D, Cotton Mill now forming a part of the city of Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa.

That the same was, at such sale, purchased by J. C. Springer and a certificate issued to him by the Treasurer of Polk county, Iowa, and by the said J. C. Springer the certificate was duly assigned to J. H. Phillips, and he is now the owner and holder of said certificate, and the right of redemption will expire, and a Treasurer's deed for said property will be made, unless redemption from such sale be made within ninety days from the completed service hereof.

J. H. PHILLIPS,
Lawful holder and owner of said certificate.

NOTICE TO REDEEM FROM TAX SALE.

State of Iowa, Polk County, ss.

To P. H. Bosquet Do. P. H. Bosquit, I. B. Brown:

You are hereby notified that on the 8th day of December, A. D. 1896 the following described real estate, situated in Polk county, Iowa, was sold for the taxes for the year 1895 which real estate is described as follows, to-wit: Lot three (3) Block D Cotton Mill, Addition now forming a part of the city of Des Moines, Polk county, Iowa.

That the same was, at such sale, purchased by J. H. Phillips and a certificate issued to him by the Treasurer or Polk county, Iowa, and he is now the owner and holder of said certificate and the right of redemption will expire and a Treasurer's deed for said property will be made, unless redemption from such sale be made within ninety days from the completed service hereof.

J. H. PHILLIPS,
Lawful holder and owner of said certificate.

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF RIGHT OF REDEMPTION.

To W. T. Ford, person taxed with the following described property:

You and each of you are herby notified that on the 3d day of December, 1895, that the following described proeprty, situated in Polk County, Iowa, was sold for taxes for the year 1894, viz.:

Lot One Hundred and Senvety-Seven (177), Block Seven (7), Home Park, now included in and forming a part of the city of Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa.

That the same was at such sale purchased by Smith & Reed and a certificate issued to them by the Treasurer of said Polk County, Iowa, and the right of redemption will expire and a Treasurer's deed for said property will be made unless redemption from such sale be made within ninety days from the completed service hereof.

SMITH & REED,
Lawful Holder of Certificates.
By Clifford C. Hartley, Agent.

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF RIGHT OF REDEMPTION.

To Chas. Pullman, person taxed with the following described property:

You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 7th day of December, 1896, the following described property situated in Polk County, Iowa, was sold for taxes for the year 1895, to-wit:

Lot Thirty-one (31) Block Thirteen (13), Larison Place, Des Moines, Iowa.

That the same was at such sale purchased by Smith & Reed and a certificate issued to Smith & Reed by the treasurer of Polk County, Iowa, and that the right of redemption will expire and a Treasurer's deed for said property will be made unless redemption from such sale be made within ninety days from the completed service hereof.

SMITH & REEO,
Lawful Holder of Certificate.
Clifford C. Hartley, Agent.

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF RIGHT OF REDEMPTION.

To C. A. Smith, person taxed with the following described property:

You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 7th day of December, 1896, the following described property situated in Polk County, Iowa, was sold for taxes for the year 1895, to-wit:

Lot Thirty-two (32) Block Thirteen (13), Larison Place, Des Moines, Iowa.

That the same was at such sale purchased by Smith & Reed and a certificate issued to Smith & Reed by the treasurer of Polk County, Iowa, and that the right of redemption will expire and a Treasurer's deed for said property will be made unless redemption from such sale be made within ninety days from the completed service hereof.

SMITH & REEO,
Lawful Holder of Certificate.
Clifford C. Hartley, Agent.

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF RIGHT OF REDEMPTION.

To John Leonard, person taxed with the following described property:

You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 7th day of December, 1896, the following described property situated in Polk County, Iowa, was sold for taxes for the year 1895, to-wit:

Lot Thirteen (13) Block Fifty-four (54) of Stewart's Addition to Des Moines, Iowa.

That the same was at such sale purchased by Smith & Reed and a certificate issued to Smith & Reed by the treasurer of Polk County, Iowa, and that the right of redemption will expire and a Treasurer's deed for said property will be made unless redemption from such sale be made within ninety days from the completed service hereof.

SMITH & REEO,
Lawful Holder of Certificate.
Clifford C. Hartley, Agent.

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF RIGHT OF REDEMPTION.

To Benj. Hutchison (in whose name the same is taxed):

You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 8th day of December, 1896, the following described real estate, to-wit:

Lot 48, Block 11, Larison Place, now included and forming a part of the city of Des Moines and all situated within the County of Polk and State of Iowa was sold for the then delinquent and unpaid tax of the year 1895, to L. L. French. That the undersigned is now the legal owner and holder of certificate of purchase issued in pursuance of the above mentioned sale; and that the right of redemption will expire and a deed for the land be made unless redemption is made within ninety days from the completed service hereof.

DANIEL T. PATTON,
Owner and Holder of Certificate.

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF RIGHT OF REDEMPTION.

To Benj. Hutchison (in whose name the same is taxed):

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DANIEL T. PATTON,
Owner and Holder of Certificate.

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF RIGHT OF REDEMPTION.

To C. A. Smith (in whose name the same is taxed):

You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 8th day of December, 1896, the following described real estate, to-wit:

Lot 34, Block 13, Larison Place, now included and forming a part of the city of Des Moines and all situated within the County of Polk and State of Iowa was sold for the then delinquent and unpaid tax of the year 1895, to E. T. Boynton, Agent. That the undersigned is now the legal owner and holder of the certificates of purchase issued in pursuance of the above mentioned sale; and that the right of redemption will expire and a deed for the land be made unless redemption is made within ninety days from the completed service hereof.

DANIEL T. PATTON,
Owner and Holder of Certificate.

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF RIGHT OF REDEMPTION.

To Elizabth E. Foglesong (in whose name the same is taxed):

You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 8th day of December, 1896, the following described real estate, to-wit:

Lot 1, Block 6, Larison Place, now included and forming a part of the city of Des Moines and all situated within the County of Polk and State of Iowa was sold for the then delinquent and unpaid tax of the year 1895, to E. T. Boynton, Agent. That the undersigned is now the legal owner and holder of the certificates of purchase issued in pursuance of the above mentioned sale; and that the right of redemption will expire and a deed for the land be made unless redemption is made within ninety days from the completed service hereof.

DANIEL T. PATTON,
Owner and Holder of Certificate.

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF RIGHT OF REDEMPTION.

To Chas. Pullman (in whose name the same is taxed):

You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 8th day of December, 1896, the following described real estate, to-wit:

Lot 13, Block 13, Larison Place, now included and forming a part of the city of Des Moines and all situated within the County of Polk and State of Iowa was sold for the then delinquent and unpaid tax of the year 1895, to W. H. Boyle. That the undersigned is now the legal owner and holder of the certificate of purchase issued in pursuance of the above mentioned sale; and that the right of redemption will expire and a deed for the land be made unless redemption is made within ninety days from the completed service hereof.

DANIEL T. PATTON,
Owner and Holder of Certificate.

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF RIGHT OF REDEMPTION.

To Chas. Pullman (in whose name the same is taxed):

You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 8th day of December, 1896, the following described real estate, to-wit:

Lot 14, Block 13, Larison Place, and is now included and forming a part of the city of Des Moines and all situated within the County of Polk and State of Iowa was sold for the then delinquent and unpaid tax of the year 1895, to W. H. Boyle. That the undersigned is now the legal owner and holder of the certificate of purchase issued in pursuance of the above mentioned sale; and that the right of redemption will expire and a deed for the land be made unless redemption is made within ninety days from the completed service hereof.

DANIEL T. PATTON,
Owner and Holder of Certificate.

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To Benj. Hutchinson (in whose name the same is taxed):

You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 8th day of December, 1896, the following described real estate, to-wit:

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LOVE AND LAW.

By the author of BONNY'S LOVERS.

CHAPTER XIII.—(Continued.)

The Rector was the only person excepting myself cognizant of Mr. Widdrington's failure and discoveries. I felt very small in the worthy person's presence. I had for the second time been outwitted by a woman, and it was on account of my careless blundering that the whole work had to begin over again.

"Don't tell the ladies," advised the Rector; "keep it from them as long as you can. Miss Elmslie is the veriest gossip, good little soul as she is, and, as we have just proved, 'a man's foes are those of his own household;' the very 'walls have ears, and a bird of the air shall carry the matter!'" continued Mr. Heathcote, losing all control of himself in the heat of quotation. "If Widdrington is to recover the trail we must be silent as mice."

"His groom get-up was capital," I remarked; "it completely took me in."

"Yes," said the Rector complacently, "I think we did that rather well. But I did not expect to blind you. When I found you had not recognized Widdrington as soon as you arrived I kept up the joke, you know."

"It is hardly fair, is it," I demurred, "to keep Miss Branscombe in the dark? I believe she would be discreet."

"Of course you do!" laughed Mr. Heathcote. "You would be a sorry lover if you did not believe that and everything else that is good of her."

"It may be necessary to put her on her guard against the lady's maid," I suggested.

"Yes, it may. I hardly know what course to adopt with regard to the woman," said the Rector thoughtfully, "or how Widdrington has left matters with her. It seems to me important to retain her; she may help us if she will. Well, with regard to Nona, you must use your own discretion. Fort; I cannot advise. Perhaps we may hear something from Widdrington to-day or to-morrow. He has left us in a terrible mess at present; but no doubt he couldn't help it. The failure must have been a blow to him. 'There's many a slip 'twixt the cup and the lip,' you know."

"I HAVE A FEW QUESTIONS TO ASK YOU, SIR."

CHAPTER XIV.

Before I left the rectory I had to endure an interview, quite unsought, and—I think I may add—quite undeserved on my part, painful and embarrassing as it was to me.

Woodward—Widdrington's deserted and betrayed lady-love—her face pale, her eyes lurid with suppressed fury, entered the rector's study, where I had established myself in order to write letters for the afternoon post, and demanded a hearing.

I must here confess to a weakness to which I have always been, and am still, a prey—I am morally afraid of an angry woman. I can face any number of furious men, my spirits indeed rising at the prospect of a fray, but before an angry woman I am an arrant coward.

My feelings therefore can be imagined when the lady's maid advanced upon me. There was no mistaking the expression of her whole person as she closed the door and approached me. At the first glance I thought of the words—"Earth holds no demon like a woman scorned."

Innocent factor as I was in the "scorning" of this particular woman, why should I have to bear the brunt of her demoniacal fury? This was the question which shook my craven soul as I braced myself up as well as I could for the encounter.

Miss Woodward planted herself on the opposite side of the writing-table, facing me. I was glad at that moment of the intervening breadth of leather-covered mahogany. She was a little woman of a dark complexion. Her thick well-marked brows met on her forehead, giving a look of determination—a sinister look, I thought at that moment—to her thin, sharp-featured face. Her face was always somewhat colorless, but it was lividly pale now, and her eyes gleamed with anger. She rested one hand upon the table, clenching and unclenching the other as she spoke.

"I have a few questions to ask you, sir," she commenced, in a significant, quiet tone—"questions I should like answered."

"I am at your service," Miss Woodward," I responded, putting my papers together with an airy assumption quite at variance with my real feelings.

"I want to know," she went on, "if you think it is the action of a gentleman to set a spy upon a respectable young woman, to deceive her by false promises and lies and shameful, double-faced ways and tricks, to get out of her all he wants to know—all for your information, sir"—she was becoming somewhat involved—"and for your pay, I suppose? Is this a gentleman's action, I ask you?"

"If you mean," I began.

"I mean," she interrupted, "that I have always heard you lawyers are as cunning as Satan himself. But I never could have believed that a gentleman like you, so pleasant-spoken and straightforward as you seemed, could have been guilty of such a trick!"

"As what?" I asked. "I am not aware of any conduct on my part of which you have a right to complain, Miss Woodward. I rather thought, do you know, that things were the other way about—that I had some cause of complaint against you."

"That fellow, Tillott—or whatever his name is," she said, with bitter contempt—"was your spy, was he not? Didn't you send him down to hunt out your business?"

"I did not know of his being here until last night," I answered truthfully, if a little evasively.

"But he was your spy," she persisted, "and you didn't care how he got at what you wanted to know so long as he did get at it. You didn't care if he lied and deceived, and made a poor woman ashamed to hold up her head again. It was all for your money."

"My good girl," I remonstrated, "I am really very sorry; but I am not responsible for Mr. Tillott's conduct."

"It was you who tempted him," she persisted—"who set him on me! Oh, it was the meanest, basest thing! He was to have married me—our names are up at the registry-office in Ilminton. I can have the law of him for false statement, and that's what I mean to do! Tell me his address—it's the least you can do for a woman you have helped to insult and mislead."

"Who put up the names?" I asked, beginning to feel that Mr. Widdrington had gone to unwarrantable lengths indeed.

"I did," she answered, "a fortnight ago—the time would be out next week. He wouldn't let me give notice to Miss Branscombe, and we were to have been married on the sly, because his friends in London were such grand people, and he would tell them afterwards, he pretended—the false traitor!"

"Then, if you gave the names, I am afraid you cannot make Mr. Tillott responsible for any statement you have yourself made at the office," I said.

"It is a vile, shameful trick!" she panted.

"Yes, it is too bad," I assented, sympathetically. "But how did it happen that you, with all your experience, allowed yourself to be so taken in?"

"I never suspected him for a minute," she replied, softening under my sympathy. "I never supposed that men could be so wicked. And I don't believe now that he would if he hadn't been put up to it. I found his letter to you, telling you how your schemes had all succeeded, and then I knew how a gentleman could demean himself!"—with renewed contempt.

"You found a letter?" I asked.

"Yes."

"And you read it?"

"Yes"—shortly and sharply. "Why not? It was in his handwriting, and we were almost man and wife; I had a right to read his letters. And it's well I did! What have you to say to that, sir?"

"Nothing," I answered. "Only the law might have something to say, you know, to your taking possession of a letter addressed to another person." I was gaining courage as her reckless temper placed her in my power. I should advise you to be a little more prudent, Miss Woodward."

"I don't care that for the law," she cried violently, snapping her fingers in my face. "The law says nothing to a woman being deceived and insulted, and cheated with false promises."

"Oh, yes it does!" I said. "There is such a thing as breach of promise—only I am afraid you are hardly in a position to avail yourself of the law." My spirits had so far revived that I was able to try a little intimidation now. "You see, by your own confession, you have made yourself amenable to the law in one—if not in two instances."

"I tell you I don't care," she cried; "and I'm glad of what I did. I had my revenge. I upset all your fine plans—and his. You were neither of you a match for a woman from beginning to end."

"That is quite true," I assented, humbly; "you were very clever, Miss Woodward. I don't think I ever heard of a cleverer trick. I give you great credit for your splendid management, and, if you will allow me to say so, I think your talents are quite wasted in your present position as a lady's maid. I should really advise you to turn your attention to, say, the female detective line. I think I can perhaps be of use to you in that sort of a career if you decide on it."

CHAPTER XV.

I was determined that she should not remain in her present post about Nona, and deemed it advisable to manage her resignation as quietly as possible. A designing, vindictive woman, burning with a sense of injury, and capable of the elaborate dissimulation she had already practiced, was certainly not fit for attendance on my guileless, tender Nona. Miss Woodward must leave the Rectory before my own departure.

"The authorities at Scotland Yard," I suggested, "will, I think, most probably be glad of your assistance. I can perhaps arrange the matter."

"Do you think that I will be beholden to you for anything?" she burst out. "Do you think I will let you lay another trap for me? No, I'm not sunk so low as that comes to!"

"It might be worth your while," I said carelessly, "to think over my offer. I am afraid—after what has passed—the Rectory will not be either a pleasant or a safe home for you"—meaningly.

"And do you think," she cried, "that I'm going to take my warning to leave from you? You are not my master. I was not engaged by you, and it's not for you to dismiss me."

"All that is quite true," I assented; "nevertheless it may be as well for you to think over what I have said, Miss Woodward. Miss Branscombe will, I know, be as anxious as I am myself to avoid any unnecessary scandal or exposure before the other servants. And she has been a kind mistress; you would not, I am sure, wish to give her unnecessary pain or distress."

"Miss Branscombe is a thousand times too good for—for those who have got her," announced Miss Woodward. "As sweet a young lady as ever trod the earth, she is, and above all the mean tricks that seem all right to lawyers, no doubt. And if things had gone as they should have gone we might have seen her in her own proper place, with as real a gentleman as she is a lady."

(To be continued.)

PRISONERS WHO LEFT CARDS.

Carved on Stone Thirty Years Ago by Federal Captives.

In digging up a Danville street to repair a damaged stone culvert, reminders of the exciting days of 1861-65 have been brought to light, says the Baltimore American. Many union soldiers made prisoners of war in the battles of northern Virginia, were confined in Danville during the war. It was the custom of the confederate authorities to utilize the labor of the prisoners who preferred outdoor exercise, and many of them worked on the houses and on breastworks. Where the Sam Jones tabernacle now stands, on Ridge street, these prisoners built a rock culvert to carry off the water, which often flooded the road. Ridge street crosses a ravine here, and the surface of the street has been raised until the culvert was twenty-four feet under ground. A week ago a terrible rainstorm passed over Danville, the culvert became flooded and the earth about it was washed out in such a way as to cause a serious cave in. As a result a large force of hands was necessary to remove the stone of the damaged culvert and rebuild it. Many of the stones thus removed bear inscriptions made—some in red paint, some in white paint, some carved and some chiseled—by the northerners who were engaged in the work. One stone bears the name, "William Myerly, Albany, N. Y." Another inscription reads "Chas. O. Rawson, New Hampshire. A Prisoner of War in Dixie Land." "Fare the well, thou Star-Spangled-Banner" is another handwriting on the wall "The Confederate Underground Railway. Jeff Davis, General Superintendent," is painted on one of the lower stones, and on the stone next to it a disgusted workman marked: "—— Jeff Davis," and still another wrote, "The Star Spangled Banner Forever." Other inscriptions have been defaced by time and are not readable.

DOUBLE EAGLE.

As It Appeared on the Arms of Russia and Austria.

The eagle, as an emblem of authority, is so old that it would be impossible to clearly trace its origin. It is found upon the most ancient sculptures that have yet been discovered, and was no doubt one of the very oldest of the totems, or tribe signs. The early Persian empire appears to be the first which adopted it as an imperial emblem. Among the Greeks the eagle was the emblem of Jove. The Romans also adopted the eagle as their standard, and so it became the token of Roman dominion. When Constantine became emperor he adopted the double-headed eagle as the insignia of his authority over east and west. When the German empire came into being in the twelfth century this emblem was revived as being that of the Holy Roman empire, and Rudolph of Hapsburg adopted it as his imperial arms. It appeared in the Russian imperial arms in the sixteenth century, when Czar Ivan Basilovitch married Princess Sophia, niece of the eleventh Constantine, and the last of the Byzantine emperors.

About Necks.

The array of necks presented for inspection at a theater is various. All sorts and conditions of necks are there, and there is as much variety in them as there is in the faces above them. Scraggy necks should, if surmounting good shoulders, have a discreet ribbon round them; black velvet or white tulle are the most becoming things for the complexion. Pearls on a white throat are really exquisite; for dusky necks the most becoming stones are emeralds or rubies. When the bones at the base of the throat are too intrusive on the attention they may be coerced into submission and concealment by a narrower ribbon tied low with a pendant.

During the congress of Vienna each of the several monarchs present was the guest of some nobleman. On one occasion Baron Rothschild was invited. He modestly went to take his place, not among the more exalted guests. When they discovered Rothschild, however, they all arose and saluted him, except the King of Prussia. Some one asked the king why he did not salute the great European banker. "Did I not?" he replied; "well, I suppose it was because I was the only one who did not owe him anything."

The first appearance of the Waldeck-Rousseau ministry before the chamber of deputies in Paris was the occasion of an unusually stormy session. Most of the attacks were made against the war minister, Gallifet, who sat quietly on the ministerial bench. Every now and then he inquired of a colleague the names of the most violent speakers, which he at once jotted down. "What are you doing?" one of the ministers asked him. "Just what you see," answered Gallifet; "taking these fellows' names down." "What for? To have them shot, I suppose?" "No; to invite them to supper!" was Gallifet's reply.

RINEHART'S INDIAN PICTURES.

In the summer of 1898 the Government Indian Bureau invited all tribes of Indians in this country to send delegates to an Indian Congress, and they gathered from far and near with their ponies and tepees and gaudiest trappings in the Exposition Grounds at Omaha. Never before had there been and never again will there be such a gathering. There were about five hundred of them, some partly civilized, but the greater portion picturesque in original savagery. Strange as it may seem at this late day many of the Indians declared that before coming to Omaha they had no idea what multitudes of white men there were or how hopeless it was to try to stand against them. This was probably the last time that so complete and spectacular a view of the North American Indian will be possible and those who had the privilege of witnessing it are to be counted fortunate. At the time of the Indian Congress a prominent photographer obtained permission to take the photographs of the most noted chiefs present and succeeded in obtaining a collection which never will be equaled. Mr. Rinehart, the photographer, copyrighted all these pictures and placed in a few art stores some hand-colored proofs which, notwithstanding their high price, sold at once, and these Indian pictures have become the fad of the year. The Chicago Great Western Railway has succeeded at large expense in obtaining from Mr. Rinehart the privilege of reproducing the best four of these pictures, Chiefs "Wolf Robe," "Louison," "Hollow Horn Bear," and "Hattie Tom," and have incorporated them in an art calendar for 1900, which is pronounced the most artistic production yet attempted. The heads are 6x8 inches, one on sheet, wonderfully reproduced in all their original colors, and when framed make most striking and effective pictures, particularly suited for holiday gifts. Owing to the expense but a very small edition has been issued. They will be sent, however, while the supply lasts to any person sending 25 cents in stamps or silver to cover the royalty charges and the expense of packing and mailing to F. H. Lord, General Passenger & Ticket Agent, 113 Adams street, Chicago.

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NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF RIGHT OF REDEMPTION.

To Mrs. E. J. Kelb (in whose name the same is taxed):

You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 9th day of December, 1896, the following described real estate, to-wit:

Lot 311, Forest Glen, now included and forming a part of the city of Des Moines, and all situated within the County of Polk and State of Iowa, was sold for the then delinquent and unpaid tax of the year 1895, to H. C. Lindsey. That the undersigned is now the legal owner and holder of the certificate of purchase issued in pursuance of the above mentioned sale; and that the right of redemption will expire and a deed for the land be made unless redemption is made within ninety days from the completed service hereof.

DANIEL T. PATTON,
Owner and Holder of Certificate.

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF RIGHT OF REDEMPTION.

To Mrs. E. J. Kelb (in whose name the same is taxed):

You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 9th day of December, 1896, the following described real estate, to-wit:

Lot 312, Forest Glen, now included anw forming a part of the city of Des Moines, and all situated within the County of Polk and State of Iowa, was sold for the then delinquent and unpaid tax of the year 1895, to H. C. Lindsey. That the undersigned is now the legal owner and holder of the certificate of purchase issued in pursuance of the above mentioned sale; and that the right of redemption will expire and a deed for the land be made unless redemption is made within ninety days from the completed service hereof.

DANIEL T. PATTON,
Owner and Holder of Certificate.

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF RIGHT OF REDEMPTION.

To Mrs. E. J. Kelb (in whose name the same is taxed):

You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 9th day of December, 1896, the following described real estate, to-wit:

Lot 313, Forest Glen, now included and forming a part of the city of Des Moines, and all situated within the County of Polk and State of Iowa, was sold for the then delinquent and unpaid tax of the year 1895, to H. C. Lindsey. That the undersigned is now the legal owner and holder of the certificate of purchase issued in pursuance of the above mentioned sale; and that the right of redemption will expire and a deed for the land be made unless redemption is made within ninety days from the completed service hereof.

DANIEL T. PATTON,
Owner and Holder of Certificate.

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF RIGHT OF REDEMPTION.

To Shilley Gilliland (in whose name the same is taxed):

You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 8th day of December, A. D., 1896, the following described real estate, to-wit: S. 15 fet. Lots 5 and Lot 7, Blk. 5 Scott's Add. to town of De Moine, now included in and forming part of the city of Des Moines and all situated within the County of Polk and State of Iowa, was sold for the then delinquent and unpaid tax of the year 1895, to M. E. Miller, that the undersigned is now the legal owner and holder of the certificates of purchase issued in pursuance of the above mentioned sale, and the right of redemption will expire and a deed for the land be made unless redemption is made within ninety days from the completed serivce hereof.

DANIEL T. PATTON,
Owener and holder of certificate.

NOTICE FOR TAKING TAX DEED.

To C. J. Stevens, person taxed with the following described property:

You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 7th day of December, 1896, the following described property situated in Polk County, Iowa, was sold for taxes for the year 1895, to-wit:

Lot Forty-seven (47) Glenwood Place, Des Moines, Iowa.

That the same was at such sale purchased by Smith & Reed and a certificate issued to said Smith & Reed by the Treasurer of Polk County, Iowa, and that the right of redemption will expire and a Treasurer's deed for said property will be made unless redemption from such sale be made within ninety days from the completed service hereof.

SMITH & REED,
Lawful Holder of Certificate.
By Clifford C. Hartley, Agent.

NOTICE FOR TAKING TAX DEED.

To C. J. Stevens, person taxed with the following described property:

You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 7th day of December, 1896, the following described property situated in Polk County, Iowa, was sold for taxes for the year 1895, to-wit:

Lot Forty-Eight (48) Glenwood Place, Des Moines, Iowa.

That the same was at such sale purchased by Smith & Reed and a certificate issued to said Smith & Reed by the Treasurer of Polk County, Iowa, and that the right of redemption will expire and a Treasurer's deed for said property will be made unless redemption from such sale be made within ninety days from the completed service hereof.

SMITH & REED,
Lawful Holder of Certificate.
By Clifford C. Hartley, Agent.

NOTICE FOR TAKING TAX DEED.

To A. C. Slate, person taxed with the following described property:

You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 7th day of December, 1896, the following described property situated in Polk County, Iowa, was sold for taxes for the year 1895, to-wit:

Lot Ten (10) of Glenwood Place, Des Moines, Iowa.

That the same was at such sale purchased by Smith & Reed and a certificate issued to said Smith & Reed by the Treasurer of Polk County, Iowa, and that the right of redemption will expire and a Treasurer's deed for said property will be made unless redemption from such sale be made within ninety days from the completed service hereof.

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RACE ECHOES.

The Negro Odd Fellows have purchased two lots on one of the principal thoroughfares of Chicago and will during the coming year erect a magnificent Temple.

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Joseph H. Douglass, the colored violinist and owner of the $2000 Amati violin, a grandson of Frederick Douglass is to spend five years more in musical study in Itly.

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A tobacco factory in Richmond, Va., failing to secure a sufficient number of white girls to carry on its works, opened a branch house and trained colored girls. It has now substituted colored girls entirely and has about 100 employed.

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Hobson City Ala.; which has 400 colored people, is abou to be incorporated into a town without a white man in its borders. It is claimed that it is the only place of this kind in America, which is a mistake. Lincolton, near South Carolina, named after the president that lies so close to the heart of every colored man, was incorporated many years ago. It is much larger than Hobson City, and has about 3,000 inhabitants. Princeton, near Tabor N. C., is another that is exclusively owned by the colored people. They have their own municipal government. It is a very peaceful place and their inhabitants do not worry or interfere with the white people.—The Sun.

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John G, Jones, a colored lawyer of Chicago has published a brochure called "Some Footsteps of the Progress of the Colored Race," in which he has gathered a mass of unassorted but interesting facts. The exhibit as a whole, is an impressive proof of the steady advancement of the Negro. The first colored lawyer to the United States was admitted to the bar at Boston in 1845, Now there are 795 colored lawyers. There are 934 colored doctors, 35,000 teachers, and 26,000 men learning trades. According to Mr. Jones 800,000 colored men are working at trades, while 243,000 own farms. The colored people of the United states own $400,000 worth of real and personal property. The author of this pamphlet gives the names of twenty-two Negroes who have been United States Senators and Congressmen, besides those who have served in the State Legislatures. His statistics of the 162,000 secret and benevolent societies in the U. S., with the millions of property owned by the larger ones, are a good indication of the ability of the Negro to organize in some lines at least. The church statistics are equally impressive.

The booklet is one that does credit both to its compiler and its race whose achievements it records—Chicago Tribune.

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Black Races in South Africa.

The following editorial is from the New York Sun:

"Both British and Boers have reason to fear the attitude of the blacks in the war. There is a native question in South Africa that grows perplexing as the Kaffirs thrive and multiply.

"Their districts and reservations are the most densely peopled parts of South Africa. In Cape Colony they outnumber the whites five to one, and in Natal fifteen to one, In Basuto Land there are only 600 whites to 218,000 natives. In of the large influx of white men in the Transvaal, the blacks of that country were estimated, in '96, to outnumber the whites three to one. The Oranee Free State alone has no native question of a serious nature, the Afrikanders equalling the black in numbers. But the state has had frequent trouble with the natives outside the frontiers, and particularly with the Basutos.

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Rock Hill, S. C., has Negro street car drivers and conductors.

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The Negro populati of the ty of Cincinnati num 5,000.

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF RIGHT OF REDEMPTION.

To Martha A. Starweather, person taxed with the following described property:

You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 4th day of December, 1894, that the following described property, situated in Polk County, Iowa, was sold for taxes for the year 1893, to-wit:

Lot Fifteen (15) Block Nine (9), Fairview Addition to the city of Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa.

That the same was at such sale purchased by Smith & Reed and a certificate issued to them by the Treasurer of said Polk County, Iowa, and the right of redemption will expire, and a Treasurer's deed for said property will be made unless redemption from such sale be made within ninety days from the completed service hereof.

SMITH & REED.
Owner and Holder of Certificate.
By Clifford Hartley, Agent.

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF RIGHT OF REDEMPTION.

To G. T. Carpenter, person taxed with the following described property:

You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 7th day of December, 1896, the following described property situated in Polk County, Iowa, was sold for taxes for the year 1895, to-wit:

Lot Two Hundred and Fifty-Six (256) University Land Company's First Addition to Des Moines, Iowa.

That the same was at such sale purchased by Smith & Reed and a certificate issued to said Smith & Reed by the Treasurer of Polk County, Iowa, and that the right of redemption will expire and a Treasurer's deed for said property will be made unless redemption from such sale be made within ninety days from the completed service hereof.

SMITH & REED,
Owner and Holder of Certificate.
By C. C. Hartley, Agent.

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF RIGHT OF REDEMPTION.

To F. F. Theil, person taxed with the following described property:

You and each of you are herby notified that on the 8th day of December, 1896, the following described real estate, to-wit:

Lot 169, O. P. 50 A. E. ½ SW 4, Sec. 36 Tp 79, Rg. 24, now included in and forming a part of the city of Des Moines, and all situated within the County of Polk and State of Iowa, was sold for the then delinquent and unpaid tax of the year 1895, to E. J. Boynton, Agt. That the undersigned is now the legal owner and holder of the certificates of purchase issued in pursuance of the above mentioned sale; and that the right of redemption will expire and a deed for the land be made unless redemption is made within ninety days form the completed service hereof.

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NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF RIGHT OF REDEMPTION.

To Mrs. A. L. Swartz, person taxed with the folliwing described property:

You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 7th day of December, 1896, the following described property situated in Polk County, Iowa, was sold for taxes for the year 1895, to-wit:

Lot Four (4) Block B, Englewood, Des Moines, Iowa.

That the same was at such sale purchased by Smith & Reed and a certificate issued to said Smith & Reed, and that the right of redemption will expire and a Treasurer's deed for said property will be made unless redemption from such sale be made within ninety days from the completed service hereof.

SMITH & REED,
Owner and Holder of Certificate.
By Clifford Hartley, Agent.

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF RIGHT OF REDEMPTION.

To Elizabeth C. Johnson, person taxed with the following described property:

You are hereby notified that on the 3d day of December, 1895, the following described real estate, to-wit:

Lot One Hundred and Two (102) in block three (3) of Home Park, now included in and forming part of the City of Des Moines, and all situated within the County of Polk and State of Iowa was sold for the then delinquent and unpaid tax of the year 1894, to A. A. McLaughlin, that the undersigned is now the legal owner and holder of the certificates of purchase issued in purusance of the above mentioned sale, and that the right redemption will expire and a deed for the land be made unless redemption is made within ninety days from the completed service hereof.

C. C. HARTLEY,
Owner and Holder of Certificate.

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF RIGHT OF REDEMPTION.

To Harry Anderson, person taxed with the following described porperty:

You are hereby notified that on the 3d day of December, 1895, the following described real estate, to-wit:

Lot Forty-Four (44), block One (1) Home Park, now included in and forming a part of city of Des Moines, and all situated within the County of Polk and state of Iowa, was sold for the then delinquent unpaid taxe of the year 1894, to A. A. McLaughlin. That the undersigned is now the legal owner and holder of the cretificate of purchase issued in pursuance of the above mentioned sale, and that the right of redemption will expire and a deed for the land be made unless redemption is made within ninety days from the completed service hereof.

C. C. HARTLEY,
Owner and Holder of Certificate.

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF RIGHT OF REDEMPTION.

To R. O. Gray, person taxed with the follow-described property:

You are hereby notified that on the 3d day of December, 1895, the following described real estate, to-wit:

Lot One Hundred and Five (105) Block Three (3) of Home Park, now included in and forming a part of the city of Des Moines, and all situated within the County of Polk and State of Iowa, was sold for the then delinquent and unpaid tax of the year 1894, to B. F. Loose. That the undersigned is now the legal owner and holder of the certificate of purchase issued in purusance of the above mentioned sale; and that the right of redemption will expire and a deed for the land be made unless redemption is made within ninety days from the completed service hereof.

C. C. HARTLEY,
Owner and Holder of Certificate.

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF RIGHT OF REDEMPTION.

To A C. Weston, being the person in possesion of the real esate hereinafter described, and To W. T. Ford, person taxed with the following described property:

You are hereby notified that on the 3d day of December, 1895, the following described real estate, to-wit:

Lot One Hundred and Forty-Seven (147) in Block Six (6) of Home Park, now included in and forming part of the city of Des Moines, and all situated within the County of Polk and State of Iowa, was sold for the then delinquent and unpaid tax of the year 1894, to A. H. Kelsey. That the unresigned is now the legal owner and holder of the certificate of purchase issued in pursuance of the above mentioned sale; and that the right of redemption will expire and a deed for the land be made unless redemption is made within ninety days from the completed service hereof.

C. C. HARTLEY,
Owner and Holder of Certificate.

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF RIGHT OF REDEMPTION.

To J. Grace Snoke, person taxed with the following described property:

You are hereby notified that on the 9th day of December, 1896, the following described real estate, to-wit:

Lot 316, Forest Glen Addition, now included in and forming a part of the city of Des Moines, and and all situated within the County of Polk and State of Iowa, was sold for the then delinquent and unpaid tax of the year 1895, to H. C. Lindsey. That the undersigned is now the legal owner and holder of certificate of purchase issued in pursuance of the above mentioned sale; and that the right of redemption will expire and a deed for the land be made unless redemption is made within ninety days from the completed service hereof.

DANIEL T. PATTON,
Owner and Holder of Certificate.

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF RIGHT OF REDEMPTION.

To J. Grace Snoke, person taxed with the following described property:

You are hereby notified that on the 9th day of December, 1896, the following described real estate, to-wit:

Lot 317, Forest Glen, now included in and forming part of the city of Des Moines, and all situated within the County of Polk and State of Iowa, was sold for the then delinquent and unpaid tax of the year 1895, to Z. T. Ives. That the undersigned is now the legal owner and holder of the certificates of purchase issued in pursuance of the above mentioned sale; and that the right of redemption will expire and a deed for the land be made unless redemption is made within ninety days from the completed service hereof.

DANIEL T. PATTON,
Owner and Holder of Certificate.

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF RIGHT OF REDEMPTION.

To L. H. Crane, person taxed with the following described property:

You are hereby notified that on the 9th day of December, 1896, the following described real estate, to-wit:

Lot 233, Forest Glen, Addition, now included in and forming a part of the City of Des Moines, and all situated within the County of Polk and State of Iowa, was sold for the then delinquent and unpaid tax of the year 1895, to H. C. Lindsey. That the undersigned is now the legal owner and holder of the certificate of purchase issued in pursuance of the above mentioned sale; and that the right of redemption will expire and a deed for the land be made unless redemption is made within ninety days from the completed service hereof.

DANIEL T. PATTON,
Owner and Holder of Certificate.

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF RIGHT OF REDEMPTION.

To L. H. Crane, person taxed with the following described property:

You are hereby notified that on the 9th day of December, 1896, the following described real estate, to-wit:

Lot 24, Forest Glen Addition, now included in and forming a part of the city of Des Moines, and all situated within the County of Polk and State of Iowa, was sold for the then delinquent and unpaid tax of the year 1895, to M. E. Miller. That the undersigned is now the legal holder of certificates of purchase issued in pursuance of the above mentioned sale; and that the right of redemption will expire and a deed for the land be made unless redemption is made within ninety days from the completed service hereof.

DANIEL T. PATTON,
Owner and Holder of Certificate.

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF RIGHT OF REDEMPTION.

To L. H. Crane, person taxed with the following described property:

You and each of you are hereby notined that on the 9th day of December, 1896, the following described real estate, to-wit:

Lot 240 Forest Glen, now included in and forming a part of the city of Des Moines, and all situated within the County of Polk and State of Iowa, was sold for the then delinquent and unpaid tax of the year 1895, to H. C. Lindsey. That the undersigned is now the legal owner and holder of the certificates of purchase issued in pursuance of the above mentioned sale; and that the righe of redemption will expire and a deed for the land be made unless redemption is made within ninety days from the completed service hereof.

DANIEL T. PATTON,
Owner and Holder of Certificate.

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF RIGHT OF REDEMPTION.

To Danl. T Quinlan, person taxed with the following described property:

You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 8th day of December, 1896, the following described real estate, to-wit:

Lot 7, Cottage Addition, now included and forming a part of the city of Des Moines, and all situated within the County of Polk and State of Iowa, was sold for the then delinquent and unpaid tax of the year 1895, to E. R. Bennett. That the undersigned is now the legal owner and holder of the certificate of purchase issued in pursuance of the above mentioned sale; and that the right of redemption will expire and a deed for the land be made unless redemption is made within ninety days from the completed service hereof.

DANIEL T. PATTON,
Owner and Holder of Certificate.

NOTICE FOR TAKING TAX DEED.

To E. W. Smith, person taxed with the following described property:

You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 3d day of December, 1895, that the following described property, situated in Polk County, Iowa was sold for taxes for the year 1894, to-wit:

Lot Ten (10) Block Sixty-Six (66) Town of Des Moines, now included in and forming a part of the city of Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa.

That the same was at such sale purchased by Smith & Reed and a certificate issued to them by the Treasurer of said Polk County, Iowa and the right of redemption will expire, and a Treasurer's Deed for said property will be made unless redemption form such sale be made within ninety days from the completed service hereof.

SMITH & REED,
Lawful Holder of Certificate.
By Clifford C. Hartley, Agent.

NOTICE FOR TAKING TAX DEED.

To Alfred Larson, person taxed with the following described property:

You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 7th day of December, 1896, the following described property situated in Polk County, Iowa, was sold for taxes for the year 1895, to-wit:

Lot Twenty-two (22) Block Eleven (1 North Oak Park, Des Moines, Iowa.

That the same was at such sale purchased by Smith & Reed and a certificate issued to said Smith & Reed by the Treasurer of Polk County, Iowa, and that the right of redemption will expire and a Treasurer's deed for said property will be made unless redemption from such sale be made within ninety days from the completed service hereof.

SMITH & REED,
Lawful Holder of Certificate.
By Clifford C. Hartley, Agent.

NOTICE TO REDEEM FROM TAX SALE.
State of Iowa, Polk County, ss.

NOTICE FOR TAKING TAX DEED.

To E. E. Spickler, person taxed with the following described property:

You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 7th day of December, 1896, the following described property situated in Polk County, Iowa, was sold for taxes for the year 1895, to-wit:

(Except R. R. R. of W.) Lot Seven (7) Block Eight (8) Brown's Official Plat, Des Moines, Iowa.

That the same was at such sale purchased by Smith & Reed and a certificate issued to said Smith & Reed by the Treasurer of Polk County, Iowa, and that the right of redemption will expire and a Treasurer's deed for said property will be made unless redemption from such sale be made within ninety days from the completed service hereof.

SMITH & REED,
Lawful Holder of Certificate.
By Clifford C. Hartley, Agent.

NOTICE FOR TAKING TAX DEED.

To Dan'l Quinlin, person taxed with the following described property:

You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 7th day of December, 1896, the following described property situated in Polk County, Iowa, was sold for taxes for the year 1895, to-wit:

Lot Twenty (20) of Cottage Addition to Des Moines, Iowa.

That the same was at such sale purchased by Smith & Reed and a certificate issued to said Smith & Reed by the Treasurer of Polk County, Iowa, and that the right of redemption will expire and a Treasurer's deed for said property will be made unless redemption from such sale be made within ninety days from the completed service hereof.

SMITH & REED,
Lawful Holder of Certificate.
By Clifford C. Hartley, Agent.

NOTICE FOR TAKING TAX DEED.

To J. A. W. Brown, person taxed with the following described property:

You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 7th day of December, 1896, the following described property situated in Polk County, Iowa, was sold for taxes for the year 1895, to-wit:

Lot Eleven (11) Block One (1) North Oak Park, Des Moines, Iowa.

That the same was at such sale purchased by Smith & Reed and a certificate issued to said Smith & Reed by the Treasurer of Polk County, Iowa, and that the right of redemption will expire and a Treasurer's deed for said property will be made unless redemption from such sale be made within ninety days from the completed service hereof.

SMITH & REED,
Lawful Holder of Certificate.
By Clifford C. Hartley, Agent.

NOTICE FOR TAKING TAX DEED.

To F. E. Williamson, person taxed with the following described property:

You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 7th day of December, 1896, the following described property situated in Polk County, Iowa, was sold for taxes for the year 1895, to-wit:

Lot Eighteen (18) Gaston's Sub-Division to Des Moines, Iowa.

That the same was at such sale purchased by Smith & Reed and a certificate issued to said Smith & Reed by the Treasurer of Polk County, Iowa, and that the right of redemption will expire and a Treasurer's deed for said property will be made unless redemption from such sale be made within ninety days from the completed service hereof.

SMITH & REED,
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By Clifford C. Hartley, Agent.

NOTICE FOR TAKING TAX DEED.

To Elizabeth A. Sloan, person taxed with the following described property:

You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 7th day of December, 1896, the following described property situated in Polk County, Iowa, was sold for taxes for the year 1895, to-wit:

Lot Six (6) Block Twenty-Eight (28) Stewart's Adition to Des Moines, Iowa.

That the same was at such sale purchased by Smith & Reed and a certificate issued to said Smith & Reed by the Treasurer of Polk County, Icwa, and that the right of redemption will expire and a Treasurer's deed for said property will be made unless redemption from such sale be made within ninety days from the completed service hereof.

SMITH & REED,
Lawful Holder of Certificate.

NOTICE FOR TAKING TAX DEED.

By Clifford C. Hartley, Agent.

To R. E. Williams, person taxed with the following described property:

You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 3d day of December, 1895, that the following described property, situated in Polk County, Iowa, was sold for taxes for the year 1894, to-wit:

Lot Eighteen (18) Block Eight (8) Town of Chesterfield, now included and forming a part of the city of Des Moines, Iowa.

That the same was at such sale purchased by Smith & Reed and a certificate issued to them by the Treasurer of said Polk County, Iowa, and the right of redemption will expire, and a Treasurer's Deed for said property will be made unless redemption form such sale be made within ninety days from the completed service hereof.

SMITH & REED,
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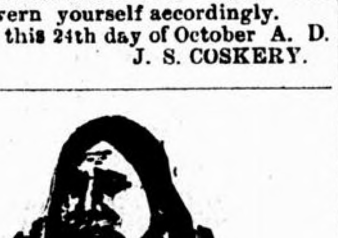
NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF RIGHT OF REDEMPTION FROM TAXSALE.

To Chas. S. Burr and W. H. Cannon: You are hereby notified, that the following described real estate, situated in Polk county. Iowa, to-wit: Lot Four (4) Block Twelve (12) Fairview, an addition now in and forming a part of the city of Des Moines Iowa, was sold for the taxes of 1894 on the third day of December 1895 to P. Collins of Polk county, Iowa, that the certificate of purchase thereof has been assigned to and is now owned by J. S. Coskery of Polk county Iowa, and the right of redemption will expire, and a Treasurer's deed for said real estate will be made unless redemption from such sale be made within ninety days from the completed service of this notice. You will govern yourself accordingly.

Dated this 24th day of October A. D. 1899. J. S. COSKERY.



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DANIEL T. PATTON
Owner and holder of Certificate

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To C. P. Dewey (in whose name the same is taxed:

You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 8th day of December, A. D., 1896, the following described real estate, to-wit: Lot 36, Central Park, now included in and forming a part of the city of Des Moines and all situated within the County of Polk and State of Iowa was sold for the then delinquent and unpaid taxes of the year 1895, to Z. T. Ives, that the undersigned is now the legal owner and holder of the certificates of purchase issued in pursuance of the above mentioned sale; and that the right of redemption will expire and a deed for the land be made unless redemption is made within ninety days from the completed service hereof.

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To C. P. Dewey (in whose name the same is taxed:

You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 8th day of December, A. D., 1896, the following described real estate, to-wit: Lot 44, Central Park, now included in and forming a part of the city of Des Moines and all situated within the County of Polk and State of Iowa was sold for the then de- Z. T. Ives, that the undersigned is now linquent and unpaid taxes of the year 1895, to the legal owner and holder of the certificates of purchase issued in pursuance of the above mentioned sale; and that the right of redemption will expire and a deed for the land be made unless redemption is made within ninety days from the completed service hereof.

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To C. P. Dewey (in whose name the same is taxed:

You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 8th day of December, A. D., 1896, the following described real estate, to-wit: Lot 48, Central Park, now included in and forming a part of the city of Des Moines and all situated within the County of Polk and State of Iowa was sold for the then delinquent and unpaid taxes of the year 1896, to Z. T. Ives, that the undersigned is now the legal owner and holder of the certificates of purchase issued in pursuance of the above mentioned sale; and that the right of redemption will expire and a deed for the land be made unless redemption is made within ninety days from the completed service hereof.

DANIEL T. PATTON.
Owner and holder of Certificate.

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF RIGHT OF REDEMPTION FROM TAX SALE.

To Elizabeth Hulbsch, Allen Larison, S. J. Larison and W. S. Watson.

You are hereby notified that the following described real estate, situated in Polk county, Iowa, to-wit: Lot forty-six (46)), block thirteen (13), Larison Place, an addition now in and forming a part of the city of Des Moines, Iowa, was sold for taxes of 1894, on the third day of December, 1895, to W. G. Hamlin, of Polk county, Iowa.

That the certificate of purchase thereof has been assigned to and is now owned by J. S. Coskery, of Polk county, Iowa, and that the right of redemption will expire, and a treasurer's deed for said real estate will be made unless redemption from such sale be made within ninety days from the date of completed service of this notice. You will govern yourself accordingly.

Dated this 14th day of October, A. D., 1899. J. S. COSKERY.

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF RIGHT OF REDEMPTION FROM TAX SALE.

To T. M. Killian:

You are hereby notified that the following described real estate, situated in Polk county, Iowa, to-wit: Lot three (3), block one (1), Vorse's First addition to Easton Place, now in and forming a part of the city of Des Moines, Iowa, was sold for taxes of 1895, on the eighth day of December, 1896, to A. H. Kelsey, of Polk county, Iowa.

That the certificate of purchase thereof has been assigned to and is now owned by J. S. Coskery, of Polk county, Iowa, and that the right of redemption will expire, and a treasurer's deed for said real estate will be made unless redemption from such sale be made within ninety days from the date of completed service of this notice. You will govern yourself accordingly.

Dated this 16th day of October, A. D., 1899. J. S. COSKERY.

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF RIGHT OF REDEMPTION FROM TAX SALE.

To P. H. Bosquet.

You are hereby notified that the following described real estate, situated in Polk county, Iowa, to-wit: Lot twenty (20), block "D," Cotton Mill addition, now in and forming a part of the city of Des Moines, Iowa, was sold for taxes of 1895, on the eighth day of December, 1896, to A. A. McLaughlin of Polk county, Iowa.

That the certificate of purchase thereof has been assigned to and is now owned by J. S. Coskery, of Polk county, Iowa, and that the right of redemption will expire, and a treasurer's deed for said real estate will be made unless redemption from such sale be made within ninety days from the date of completed service of this notice. You will govern yourself accordingly.

Dated this 16th day of October, A. D., 1899. J. S. COSKERY.

NOTICE TO REDEEM FROM TAX SALE.

State of Iowa, Polk county ss:

To Farmers Loan and Trust Co., George Williams:

You are hereby notified that on the 8th day of December, A. D. 1896 the following described real estate, situated in Polk county, Iowa, was sold for the taxes for the year 1895 which real estate is described as follows. to-wit: Lot Six (6) Block Sixty-nine (69) Town of De Moine now forming a part of the city of Des Moines, Polk county, Iowa.

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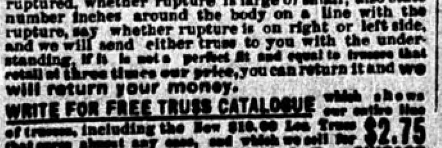

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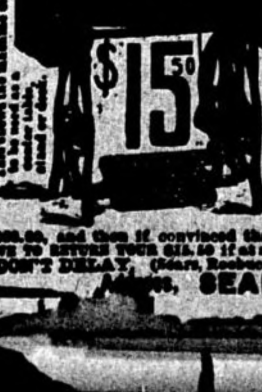

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