

THE WANT COLUMN

WANTED

WANTED—A good live man to handle the Indian motorcycle agency at Keokuk. Get in touch with us at once. Our proposition will interest you. Ashborne Motorcycle Co., Burlington, Iowa. Distributors of Indian motorcycles.

WANTED—Two or three furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Must be modern and in good location. Tel. 498. H. C. Beeson, 502 Main st.

WANTED—By April 1st, small house by young couple, no children. Address House, this office.

FOR SALE—Five room house, partly modern. Inquire 1728 Des Moines street.

WANTED—25 willow cutters. Enquire at 419 B street. J. E. Drumm, Keokuk, Iowa.

WANTED—Nursing to do in confinement cases. Mrs. C. B. Zindel, Hamilton, Ill.

WANTED—Gasoline and oil stoves to repair and clean, razors honed, scissors ground. Ed Luke, 825 Main. Phone 854

WANTED—To rent seven or eight room house, April first. Address B. U. this office.

WANTED—Lady traveler. Experience unnecessary. Salary, commission and expense allowance to right lady. McBrady & Co., Chicago.

WANTED—Lady or gentleman of fair education living in or outside Keokuk to do home work or travel; salary \$18 per week and expenses; experience unnecessary. Address, C. P. McKay, General delivery, Keokuk, Iowa.

WANTED TO BUY—Old fashioned bureau, ottoman, tables, bed, chairs etc. Phone black 1538.

WANTED—Five or six room house, modern or without furnace. Address Rent, care Gate City.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Cash register, cost \$220, will take \$75.00 for quick sale; two five-passenger Ford cars; two five-passenger Overlands. See B. E. Fuller, 718 North Thirteenth. Phone Red-1684.

FOR SALE—Hand made rubber tired surrey in good condition, \$45.00. Inquire 514 Main. Telephone 138.

FOR SALE—Young team of horses, work single or double. Phone Black-1444.

FOR SALE—Coop of fine young laying hens. Phone Black-1444.

FOR SALE—Household furniture, 308 Exchange. Monday only.

FOR SALE—Four year old colt, trotting stock. Apply M. J. Murphy, 421 South Seventh street.

FOR SALE—New three room house, lot 25x140, good barn. Cheap if sold at once. Inquire 2093 High street.

FOR SALE—Five hens and one rooster. Cornish Indian game. Phone Black-885.

FOR SALE—Six room modern house. Twelfth and Concert, fine condition. Phone Black-1242.

FOR SALE—First ward, seven room brick, furnace, bath, gas and electricity, \$2,950. L. B. Field, agent. Phone R-1916.

FOR SALE—Good building, fine condition, partly modern, south side Main, near Fourteenth, \$70.00 per front foot. L. B. Field, agent.

FOR SALE—Brinkerhoff piano, \$190, slightly used. Johnson piano, good condition, \$105. \$10 down and \$6 per month. Pianola player piano, shop worn, at reduced price. Terms if you wish. Phone or address J. M. Bell, 1928 Morgan street. The Guest Place Co.

FOR SALE—800 acre stock and grain ranch, 720 acres A-1 tillable land—near Helena, adjoins government range, six room house, outbuildings, all fenced, numerous springs. Easy terms, 6 per cent. Many others. Write Montana Ranches Co., Helena, Montana.

FOR SALE—Almost new five room cottage, full lot, Grand avenue, just beyond Rand park. Birdwell Suttive.

FOR SALE—Fine little modern home in first ward, \$3,800.00. Birdwell Suttive, 312 Main.

FOR SALE—Millinery store doing good business, in small city near Keokuk, \$900.00. Also drug store in larger city. Birdwell Suttive.

FOR SALE—Residence lot near Third and High, about the last in that desirable neighborhood. Phone black 1757. Birdwell Suttive.

FOR RENT—Centrally located Main street room, Black 1757 or call Birdwell Suttive, 312 Main.

FOR SALE—One of the finest north side residences, \$7,000.00 could possibly buy and a five room brick on South Fourteenth for \$1,000. Easy payments if desired. Birdwell Suttive.

FOR SALE—Team of brown horses, weight 2,500 lbs. Good condition. Phone A. H. Linnenberger, 2314 F 13

dition to be moved. Inquire 227 North Ninth or phone Red 876.

FOR SALE—A No. 1 Jersey milk cow, very gentle, coming five years. Enquire 913 Johnson street.

FOR SALE—Five room cottage with water and toilet, newly remodeled, with a full lot, 50x140, on the north side. Either cash or installments. Telephone Red 1757.

FOR SALE—800 white oak crates. Phone 2301 F 5 or write Will White, Keokuk R. F. D. No. 1.

FOR SALE—5 room house, lot 60x140. Barn, city water and cistern. Garden spot and street improvement. For quick sale \$1200. 514 Ridge St.

FOR SALE—Five passenger touring car, in splendid condition. Call 23 N. Third. Auto Inn.

FOR SALE OR RENT—70 acres of land. Lee county. B. F. Jones.

FOR SALE—The Gem restaurant, 22 South Fourth street. Will sell cheap if taken at once.

FOR SALE—Safe family driving mare. Reason for selling made known to applicants. Fine opportunity to get a safe mare. Address "R. N." care Gate City.

FOR SALE—Buick automobile, 1914 model, 5 passengers. One Kimball piano, one Singer sewing machine and other household goods. 28 South Fifth street.

FOR SALE—A fully equipped pool and billiard outfit, two 4 1/2 x 9 pool tables and one 4 1/2 x 9 billiard table. Brunswick-Balke-Collender tables with Montarch cushions, 26 cues, billiard and pool balls, all composition, ball racks, cue racks, board and button counter, all complete, \$350.00 f. o. b. Memphis. Guaranteed A1. Address C. H. Tinney, Memphis, Mo.

FOR SALE—Six good work horses, at reasonable prices. James Cameron's Sons.

FOR SALE—Motor boat hull 20 feet long, 4 1/2 foot beam, used three months. Inquire 304 South First st.

FOR SALE—Five head good work horses, wagons and harness. See them at barn, 122 South Third street. Harry Dietz.

FOR SALE—Eggs, from the turkey size Buff Orpington, 73, 90c; 15, \$1.00. Call and see them. 721 Bank. Phone Black 941.

FOR SALE—My residence, 1022 High street, for sale cheap, until April 1. Also other property. Mrs. J. N. White-stone.

FOR SALE—Silver Camping eggs for hatching prize winning strain, \$1.50 per 15. Mrs. A. Starr, 128 South Twenty-first.

FOR SALE—Two corner lots, Fifteenth and Bank, three houses each. Corner Twelfth and Franklin, 137 1/2 by 140; three houses on. Charles Altes, 1209 Franklin.

FOR SALE—Seven room house, partly modern. Inquire at 1111 Des Moines street.

FOR SALE—Modern six room house, 17 North Twelfth street. Inquire on premises or phone 1254.

FOR SALE—Baby chicks from barred rock eggs, 10c each. Phone J. H. Morrison, south of Hamilton depot.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Sleeping rooms and light housekeeping, modern conveniences. Phone Red-125.

FOR RENT—Modern front room; rent reasonable; gentleman preferred. Call Sunday and evenings, 213 North Eleventh street. Telephone Black-347.

FOR RENT—929 Fulton street, modern six room house. Inquire 707 Blondeau street.

FOR RENT—April first, 912 Fulton street, modern seven room dwelling. Desirable. Call at house for particulars or phone Red-856.

FOR RENT—Five and six room apartments in the Alpha and Pond buildings. M. F. Baker, Grand opera house.

FOR RENT—Five rooms with city water, 418 North Fourteenth. Enquire 1422 High.

FOR RENT—Six room house, Twenty-third and Exchange. Price reasonable. Inquire 2012 Timea street.

FOR RENT—Seven room house, modern, close in. Call at 920 Concert.

FOR RENT—Nice sleeping room, modern conveniences. Phone Black-1340.

FOR RENT—Furnished modern house, six rooms, for the summer, rent reasonable to right party. Enquire at 1118 Concert.

FOR RENT—Three furnished upper rooms for light housekeeping. Inquire 1118 Concert. Phone Red-233.

FOR RENT—Four room house, light, water, toilet, \$10.00 per month, 718 south Eighth street.

modern eight rooms. Inquire next door or 727 Morgan.

FOR RENT—No. 17 1/2 North Fourth. Inquire Mrs. M. B. Ingersoll, 713 North Seventh.

FOR RENT—Modern six room house, in best repair. Enquire Mrs. M. B. Ingersoll, 710 North Seventh.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, all modern, with board. 706 High st.

FOR RENT—Six room modern house, 919 Paleau street. Inquire 913 Paleau street.

FOR RENT—Seven room house at 105 Bank street. Inquire 210 Bank street.

FOR RENT—Five room house in good order. Close in. Enquire 602 Concert. Phone Red-723.

FOR RENT—Three rooms furnished, for light housekeeping, gas, bath; north side. Phone Red-1153.

FOR RENT—Five room house at 627 South Third. City water. Enquire 123 North Seventh.

FOR RENT—Seven room flat, 20 1/2 South Twelfth street. Inquire of Diamond Milling Co.

FOR RENT—No. 314 Exchange, seven rooms, bath and reception hall. Modern except heat. John Tumelty.

FOR RENT—Five room house No. 220 North Ninth. Inquire 227 North Ninth or phone Red 875.

FOR RENT OR SALE—Five room, modern house. No. 903 High. Inquire 227 North Ninth or phone Red 875.

FOR RENT—A desirable seven room modern house, close in. Address E, care Gate City.

FOR RENT—No. 1699 Fulton, four rooms and bath, furnished upper fiat John Tumelty.

FOR RENT—No. 902 N. Twelfth, six room frame cottage, containing electric lights and city water. John Tumelty.

FOR RENT—No. 1723 Concert, seven room frame house with two lots. Gas in kitchen. John Tumelty.

FOR RENT—No. 204 South Ninth, six room frame, electric lights and city water. John Tumelty.

FOR RENT—No. 906 Timea, six room frame, electric lights and city water. John Tumelty.

FOR RENT—No. 313 South 12th St., seven room brick, electric lights and city water and inside closer. John Tumelty.

FOR RENT—House and barn, partly modern, 814 Morgan. Phone black 1219.

FOR RENT—Eight room house and an acre of ground. 1913 High St.

FOR RENT—Desirable offices, second floor, Ayres building, steam heated. Apply Ayres & Chapman.

FOR RENT—Five, six, seven, eight room houses, Chas. Altes, 1209 Franklin. Phone Reg 694.

FOR TRADE

FOR TRADE—Lot, bookkeeping or shorthand scholarship, books, furniture, for typewriter. O. O., Gate City.

FOUND

FOUND—Several days ago, ladies' purse, containing spectacles, handkerchief and receipt bearing name of Mrs. Parker. Owner can have it by paying notice. Call Gate City office.

MISCELLANEOUS

MONEY TO LOAN—See William Timberman, 524 Main street.

MONEY TO LOAN. Several thousand dollars to loan on Keokuk income property. No delay. Birdwell Suttive, 312 Main.

DEMONSTRATING agent wanted, \$15 Ford starter. Sell wherever shown. Your territory open. Write Ford Starter Co., Dist. 413-o Good Bldg., Des Moines.

FREE—My agents give away full size packages face powder, massage cream, shampoo and vanishing cream with each twenty-five cent sale. Write me today. Newberry B, 204, No. Peoria street, Chicago.

FREE—William L. Larkin's booklet, "The Truth About Florida," with a six months' subscription at one-half regular rate to The Indian River Farmer; fruit growers, truckers, general farmers, folks interested in Florida, send 25c to The Indian River Farmer, 10 Vero, Florida.

DO easy, pleasant coloring work at home; good pay, no canvassing; no experience required. Write Gleason Wheeler Co., 37 Madison, Chicago.

A SPLENDID seller in the spring time. "Snap-On," the automatic self adjusting curtain rod. Sample 10c. Particulars free. Utility Mfg. Co., 416 Tuttle Bldg., Chicago, Ill.

\$600.00, 88 note mahogany player piano, new, for \$275.00. Call Mrs. J. J. Chapman, Pond apartment.

1,000 ACRE ranch, fully equipped, sheds, outbuildings, fences, water system, modern house, 400 acres hay

Don't Be Afraid to Put Your Money into Keokuk Property at the Present Prices, Nearly Every Piece on My List is a Real Bargain

Conditions Effecting Keokuk are Having the Same Effect on the Good Old United States and You Know That Better Times are Coming.

Pick out your location and ask for further information; if you don't see what you want, ask for it,

- No. 116 Concert Street
- No. 413 Fulton Street
- No. 118 N. Twelfth Street
- No. 616 High Street
- No. 602 High Street
- No. 1509 Fulton Street
- Nos. 926 and 928 Concert Street
- No. 1012 Fulton Street
- No. 1417 Concert Street
- No. 700 N. Twelfth Street
- No. 1423 Concert Street
- No. 519 Fulton Street
- No. 1429 Concert Street
- No. 318 N. Fifth Street

- No. 1419 Concert Street
- Nos. 1017 and 1019 Blondeau Street
- No. 1807 Exchange Street
- No. 316 S. Eighth Street
- Nos. 204 and 208 S. Ninth Street
- Nos. 904 and 906 Timea Street
- No. 1428 Estes Street
- Nos. 314 and 316 Exchange Street
- No. 907 Exchange Street
- No. 1227 William Street
- No. 1026 Timea Street
- No. 627 S. Third.
- No. 1312 Carroll Street

I have other fine properties listed but not advertised, which I would be glad to show you if interested in them. I also have business properties on Main Street and streets adjacent to Main and if you are looking for a lot or a building site, I have them in every ward in the city.

JOHN TUMELTY

Dealer in City Property and General Insurance
No. 12 N. Sixth Street. Phone 1699

meadow, 600 pasture, great hay section, \$17 acre, Arthur Chase, 604 Bee Bldg., Omaha, Neb.

\$2,500 annually. Co-operate with me evenings at home. Everything furnished. Don't worry about capital. Boyd H. Brown, Omaha, Nebr.

MARRY—Photos and descriptions of marriageable ladies sent free. Address Frank W. Horton, 320 Grand avenue, Allegan, Mich.

WIDE AWAKE agents are coining money with our easily demonstrated specialties. Write today for particulars and new catalog. Household Specialties Co., 912 Weller avenue, LaPorte, Ind.

SALESMEN—Three to four hundred a month salary or commission selling our oils, greases, paints and specialties. Do not be satisfied; get our proposition. Inland Oil Works Co., Cleveland, Ohio.

OLD COINS WANTED—\$50 paid for dollar 1873 S mint; \$2 for 1904 dollar, proof; \$7 for 1853 quarter no arrows. Many valuable coins circulating. Send 4c for large coin circular. It may mean large profits to you. Send to Numismatic Bank, Dept. 22, Ft. Worth, Texas.

LADIES, WANTED—Earn money showing fine Queen fabric dress goods samples. All or spare time. No capital or experience required. Mrs. Grace earns \$1,200 yearly. Write today. Queen Fabric Mfg. Co., Dept. 240, Syracuse, N. Y.

YOUNG men and women, trip to the exposition in San Francisco if you will demonstrate our product on the way. Box N981, San Francisco.

ABLE-BODIED MEN. Good eye-sight for firemen and brakemen, \$120 monthly. Experience unnecessary. Railway, care Gate City.

Rather Mysterious. [United Press Leased Wire Service.] AURORA, Ill., March 20.—Police tonight are trying to solve the identity of a man who gave his name as Ray Hall, who was taken to Joliet hospital today with his left arm cut off and his left foot crushed into an unrecognizable mass.

"Hall" was standing by the railway tracks four miles from here, tearing up a number of letters, as two pedestrians passed, he was heard to say: "The detectives want me, but they'll never get me." Just then a train came by. Hall threw himself deliberately in front of it. Hall was well dressed and appeared to be a man of education.

Forty-Two Divorces. [United Press Leased Wire Service.] BOSTON, Mass., March 20.—Judge zugo Dubuque presiding over the Suffolk county divorce sitting today, broke all Massachusetts records for untangling marital knots when he disposed of forty-two divorce cases.

Seventy were Plucked. [United Press Leased Wire Service.] WASHINGTON, March 20.—Seventy naval officers, plucking board victims, have applied for reinstatement under a law by the last congress permitting it if the navy secretary is satisfied they are qualified. Secretary

Daniels intimated tonight he will not advocate it in many cases, saying it would cost too much. "In nearly all cases the plucking board acted wisely," he added.

CONVICTS USED WORD "JITNEY"

Origin of This Suddenly Popular Word Seems to Have Been Somewhat Hazy.

Practically everybody in Keokuk, who thought anything about it, advanced a different theory as to the origin of the word "jitney." It remains for the Literary Digest to solve the problem of its origin. The word is neither river, southern or gypsy in its origin. It comes from inside prison walls, and is the result of a convict's craving for tobacco.

The Literary Digest says: When the jitney bus became epidemic everyone began asking the meaning and derivation of the name. That jitney signified a nickel was soon established, but how the word came first to be used in that sense was not so easily discovered. All the authorities were at a loss, and even the lexicographer was compelled to confess his inability to answer the inquiries.

The Chicago News is apparently the first one to suggest a solution of the puzzle. According to a letter received by that paper from one who signs himself No. 1234 E. X., the term "jitney" was known and used in every city from New York to San Francisco, was originally coined within prison walls—in a certain large reformatory, in the words of the writer, who continues:

"The rules were very strict about tobacco, and as smoking was easily detected, and severely punished, the inmates' craving was universally satisfied with chewing tobacco—that is, what they could get of it, which was mighty small compared to the demand.

"Nevertheless a certain trusty whose name was Jedney would smuggle tobacco in for any inmate who furnished him the money to buy it uptown. He drove a dray for the prison, and in consideration of the risk he took he kept half the stuff as his commission. In this connection I remember they used the expression '60-40' and '50-50' describing the split. It was the first time I heard '50-50,' and that was sixteen years ago.

"Finally Jedney was paroled and a little, stout, bowlegged colored boy got the dray, and I was standing by when a runner came to this colored boy and showed him a dime he had slipped to him by somebody going through on a visit of the grounds, and wanted to know if he would get him in some tobacco. The colored boy, as heir to Jedney's perquisite of office, accepted the proposition, and established his basis of doing business with these words: 'You all get a jitney's worth for us here dime, '50-50.'"

From that time on a dime bought a jitney show when first started, walls of that institution.

And the first one I heard use that word outside was a graduate of the reformatory, who spoke of going to a jitney show when first started.

That the negro boy confused "Jedney" and "jitney" seems to be only an inference. A correspondent writes us that he remembered an old negro who used the term many years ago as an equivalent for 5 cents, so the question appears to be still open.

Money When You Need It

If you are short of MONEY and desire to borrow it and get your odd bills all in one place, write to us and we will arrange the matter. Our agent is in Keokuk every Wednesday, as we have no office in Keokuk and will gladly call at your home to explain our plans. \$1.20 is the weekly payment on \$50 for 50 weeks. Loans \$5 to \$100 on household goods, pianos, horses, vehicles, etc.

BURLINGTON LOAN COMPANY

224 Tama Bldg. Burlington, Iowa

MONEY TO LOAN

Prompt and Private
\$10 to \$100
City Loan Co.

On Household Goods and Pianos, Wagons, Etc. We also make Loans to Farmers on their Stocks and Implements.

Room 4, 420 Main St. Above Megchelson's dry goods store
AGENT IN OFFICE MONDAY AND TUESDAY.
Mail address 318 1/2 Jefferson St., Burlington, Iowa.

MONEY TO LOAN

On furniture, pianos, live stock and vehicles, on easy payments. Call and get OUR rates before borrowing. STRICTLY PRIVATE. Office open 9 a. m. to 6 p. m. each day. Saturday evening till 9 o'clock Phone 963.

Keokuk Loan Co.

614 1/2 Main Street. Over Miller's Shoe Store.

HIPPODROME TOMORROW

Don't fail to see "THE STRENGTH OF THE WEAK" A startling exposure of the terrible drug habit and its evil effects. A great educational feature.

peace. The jury decided he expressed his opinion of the school too vehemently.

No Names Mentioned. Anthon Herald: Some of the strongest advocates in the senate for prohibition are fellows who hit the booze the steadiest.

[United Press Leased Wire Service.] SHOPIERE, Wis., March 20.—Mrs. Anna Marks, 25 years old, mother of two small children, maddened, it is said, by jealousy, tied a rope about her neck late this afternoon and jumped from a stairway. Her lifeless body was found by her husband. Women in the village are threatening vengeance against the other woman in the case.

[United Press Leased Wire Service.] BOLSTEROUS Preacher. [United Press Leased Wire Service.] TEXARKANA, Texas, March 20.—Because he protested against his daughter being sent home from school, Rev. W. D. Cooper, of Nash, Texas, was fined \$5 for disturbing the