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## CITY NEWS.

(N. B. If you have relatives or friends visiting in the city or going to make a visit, please inform us; we collect all your local news.—Ed.)

Mr. I. B. Burrell is troubled this week with the rheumatism.

It is rumored that cupid has struck our city and wedding bells will ring ere long. Both parties are West side victims.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. J. Clifford Williams are sick with the whooping cough. They are all doing nicely at this writing.

Mrs. L. Denny, formerly on Third street, has moved her rooming house to 510 West Grand avenue where she now has a nice 12 room house and is better prepared to keep her roomers. Give her a trial.

The Callans club held a very interesting meeting Wednesday at the residence of Mrs. A. Dixon on Day street. Mrs. Thornton Adams entertaining the club. Next Wednesday Mrs. A. Dixon will entertain the club at her home.

This issue contains a large adv. of Jones Piano Co., also the American Clothing Co. These stores are selling their goods at a great reduction and should give them a call.

Don't forget that next Saturday one of the greatest foot ball games of the year will be played at the stadium, take vs. Iowa State University of Iowa City.

Mrs. A. Black on West Eighteenth street, returned home from Missouri where she has spent several months visiting her old home. She reports a pleasant visit.

Mrs. E. B. Elliston, 519 13th st. makes a specialty of Human Hair goods, also Shampooing and straightening. Mail orders promptly filled.

Nowhere in this issue will be seen a program for the dedication of Olivet Baptist church at Enterprise next Sunday. Those who can attend will enjoy a good program and the hospitality of the little town. Rev. Howles is working hard to make it a success.

Mr. I. C. Burrell has called last week to Dixon, Ill., to the bedside of a sick aged mother, who is nearly 90 years old. He returned last Saturday stating that she was not much better.

At the Corinthian Baptist church Sunday, Covenant meeting will be held at 10:30 a. m.; Sunday School at noon. The pastor will preach at night and revival meetings will begin then.

The Buxton Automobile meets trains at Hamilton. Fare 50c.

The Intellectual Improvement club held their George Elliott program at the residence of Mrs. Chas. Cousin, 16th and Sixteenth and Lyon streets, last Friday afternoon, at which time Mrs. L. Glass and Mrs. G. H. Mason were elected to membership. They will meet this afternoon with Mrs. J. R. Jackson at East Sixteenth and Des Moines streets, and will discuss the life and works of Sir Walter Scott. On next Friday afternoon and evening this club will hold a ladies bazaar at the residence of Mrs. S. Joe Brown, 1058 West Fifth street, at which time all kinds of ready made garments and articles of ladies' as well as gentlemen's wearing apparel will be offered for sale and a silver card tray given away to the person holding the lucky number. The general public are invited to this entertainment. Refreshments will be served.

Mr. and Mrs. Guinn gave quite a nice Hallowe'en party, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. John Redmond, 23 Mulberry street last Friday evening. Thirty guests were present. The home was beautifully decorated with lanterns, palms and cut flowers. Two courses were served and the evening was spent in games and music. Prizes were awarded in a peanut contest. Mrs. Selma Brown, ladies' prize; Miss Smith, 2nd ladies' prize; a beautiful picture; Mr. Harrison Gould, 2nd gentleman's prize; Mr. D. Adams, consolation prize.

Mrs. J. T. Blagburn continues to improve. She is able to be up at her home.

Raymond Williams of Twenty-third street was seriously hurt the street car accident on Nineteenth street this week.

Mr. John T. Redmond will in the near future leave for Chicago on a visit and on his return home will stop in Minneapolis and spend a few days with his sister-in-law, Mrs. Wm. Redmond.

### DUX CITY ITEMS.

Sunday was quarterly meeting at the A. M. E. Church, and Presiding Elder I. M. Gordon was present and conducted the meetings throughout the day.

The Chattering supper given at the A. M. E. Church Thursday evening was a good success both socially and financially.

The concert given under the management of Mrs. Sparks at the Mt. Zion Baptist Church was a grand success. There were three prizes offered for those selling the largest number of tickets. Mrs. Hows first prize, Mrs. Dalalloy, a toilet set, second prize, Cora Saunders, third prize, a umbrella.

News came to our city received by relatives the death of Wyatt Dowdy which occurred at Grand Forks N. D. He was once a resident of our city and was a student at Morningside College for a year or more. He was well known among the white citizens for being an athlete at the college and one of the powerful members in the foot ball team. Mr. Dowdy has been suffering with quick consumption for several months. His brother Clinton was with him when he passed away, he leaves three sisters and three brothers and other relatives to mourn his departure. His remains were brought to Yorktown S. D. his old home for interment. Misses, Birdie, Arbella and Helen Dowdy and Miss Laura Askew and Mr. Mantz Askew attended the funeral which took place Saturday.

The Porter's Club met with Mr. Horace Green Monday night.

Barnie Mr. and Mrs. John Potterson, a fine baby boy, and just think John is all smiles, baby and mother doing nicely.

Rev. J. C. Reid will celebrate his third year pastorate of the Mt. Zion Baptist Church on the first Sunday in December. The principal address will be given by Rev. Stephens of the first Baptist Church. Rev. J. W. Dowdon of the A. M. E. Church, Rev. Wolcott Church and other able speakers will take part.

Mrs. Barbu of Omaha who has been visiting her grandsons, Messrs. Herman and Chas. Murry, and wife in our city for two weeks returned home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sparks left Wednesday for Chicago where they will spend the winter, the season for their work at the Country Club being ended.

The members of the Mt. Zion Church will give a concert on Thanksgiving night.

### DAVENPORT NOTES.

Mrs. Lydia Moss has returned to this city after being absent for some time. She and her mother Mrs. Miller will go to Atchison Kans. where they contemplate living.

Mrs. Parey Garland is very ill.

Gen. Houston of Judson St. is confined to his bed with rheumatism.

The Twentieth Century Club held its first meeting the 2nd, after having a four months vacation. The Club is preparing for a grand opening the 19th inst.

The Young Peoples Culture rendered a very fine program last Thursday Oct. 28, the entertainment was a success financially.

The Dollar Hunt which was to have been Nov. 1, at the A. M. E. Church was postponed on account of bad weather.

Presiding Elder Phillips called on Rev. T. B. Stoval at the parsonage.

Miss Florence McGraw made a flying trip to Galesburg Wednesday, returning Saturday morning.

Mr. Alex Roberts entertained at dinner Sunday, in honor of Mrs. Cash Lambert of South Rock Island.

Rev. J. T. Stoval and several of his members attended quarterly meeting in Rock Island Sunday, with Rev. S. McDowell.

The Ladies Third Baptist Church are preparing for their annual Thanksgiving dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Cunningham called on Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Holmes Eastern Ave. Sunday.

### Wild Rose Club

Will give their 3rd Annual Ball at Commercial Hall Monday Evening Nov. 8th. Good Orchestra music 8:30 p. m.

This club will continue the entertainments every two weeks.

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### IOWA STATE NEGRO BAR ASSOCIATION MEETS IN 5TH ANNUAL SESSION.

#### LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE MAKES IMPORTANT REPORT.

To the President and Members of the Iowa State Negro Bar Association, in annual Session at Des Moines, Iowa, October 28, 1909.

Greeting:—

Your Legislative Committee appointed at the last meeting to keep watch of the action of the 33rd General Assembly as to oppose measures hostile to the general welfare of the people of Iowa and especially offensive to the Negro Race, and to foster and aid in having measures passed for the best interest of the General Public and especially helpful to the members of the Negro Race, who are striving against great injustice and discrimination, amounting in many instances to brutal, unchristian and cruel oppression, beg to submit this report for your careful consideration.

1st. We wish to state that, while the general public sentiment concerning our race in the State of Iowa is not altogether bad yet it is not favorable as it has been and not as good as the present status of our people merits.

2nd. In plain violation of the express provisions constitution and statutes, equal public accommodation and almost every public accommodation is still openly and defiantly denied all of our people, the colored, industrious and religious along the vulgar, slothful and depraved criminal class, and that is the hard unreasonable part of the discrimination which our people are made to suffer all over Iowa and the country. It will not take any student of Sociology long to understand why this harsh general discrimination is placing a premium on racial voice and a discount on racial virtue. There can be no public influence as a reward and an incentive to virtue if the same influence gives the reward to worthlessness and vice. This pernicious doctrine in Iowa has been carried to the point of denying the respectable people of our race equal accommodations, first—in the matter of Pure Food; second—in the matter of equal educational accommodations outside of the state schools; third—in the matter of the denial of the right and privilege so long enjoyed by our people to belong to their own secret societies and to establish and maintain the same.

The protest of the Race against the treatment of the "Pure Food" people, was entered by Mrs. Susie Brown in the case entitled "Susie Brown Plaintiff vs. The J. H. Bell Co. Defendant." This case or cause of action has been before the courts in some form or other for two years. It has been maintained by Mrs. Brown in behalf of and for the good of her race at her own costs. She has asked nothing but the moral support and sympathy of fairminded, patriotic people of her own and other races in Iowa, for a just termination of this cause. The case is now awaiting a decision from the Supreme Tribunal of our State and, as the highest court is soon to pass upon the right of the negro to fair treatment in a pure food show and to have pure food in Iowa, this committee will not say more up to that part of the subject at this time.

To meet the educational discrimination in the senate a bill to be introduced in the senate to amend Section 5008 so as to prohibit incorporated schools and colleges from refusing admission to students of our race and color. This bill failed to pass and was defeated by the majority of the race friends (?) in the Legislature. They saw the opponents of the measure speak and voted against the bill and the best of majority of our friends could do to meet this opposition was to quietly sit in their seats (some of them did go to the cloak room) and gleefully fall and refuse to answer or vote when the bill was up for action and their names were reached on the roll and called by the reader of the roll and thus was the bill killed in the house and company of its friends. But your committee is not discharged and if the race in Iowa demands it, we are willing and ready to try again.

The bill introduced in our last General Assembly for the purpose of destroying our secret orders, was such a sneaking, underhanded, low-down proposition that very few Iowa people knew, or even now realize the aim and purpose of the measure. The most watchful guardians of our liberty were taken by surprise and we unprepared to meet such a bill. After the Chairman of your committee had received and read the bill, he found it hard to get our President to believe that such a measure had found its way into the Legislative Halls of its own native state. But when S. Joe Brown did realize that the bill was here and about to pass he closed his office and moved to the Capitol. With Mr. Brown on watch, your committee notified the head officials of every secret order in the state and received prompt and fitting response from all. Be it also said to their credit, that the majority of the respectable white fraternity men were opposed to the measure when they were made to understand the nature of the provision.

In the measure, Mr. Brown had succeeded in having the bill withdrawn and far that he has your committee's everlasting thanks. No further efforts were necessary in this particular matter, but this bill discloses an alarming state of affairs for the Negro Race in the United States. It is this—The enemies of civil and religious liberty are united in a secret combined to take, by deception and strength, from the colored patriots of this country, every vestige of their political, civil and religious rights.

Without any announcement; without notice, agitation or discussion of any kind, these bills are printed and sent to the legislature of every state in the Union to be enacted into laws. We have no members of our race in the law-making bodies of the land and our best white friends are the most easily deceived because they are the least evil and suspicious.

Bills to prohibit intermarriage between the races have not had the principal advanced any by measures to punish white men for despoiling colored women; and while such measures can prevent legal marriages, they cannot and will not prevent that class in both races from mingling and mixing and leaving their stampings to weaken the social compact. We cannot see where society is aided by a segregation of the best and a commingling of the worst elements. If one outraged woman and her offspring are entitled to the protection of the law against the man who outrages her, so she is entitled to a share in his property rights, this same measure of humanity and justice should not be especially denied a woman by law because she is weak and dark of complexion. If white men regard marriage as too sacred with a lewd and criminal.

Your committee considers it a duty to urge the Iowa State Negro Bar Association to continue and increase its vigilance in trying to guard the liberty of Iowa citizens wherever it may be threatened or assailed, and especially the rights of the most humble and oppressed. In the years that are to come it will be harder and more difficult to take pernicious measures out of our statutes than it is now to prevent them from being written into them. We must not only guard our fair state against evil measures, but we must protect our people as far as possible against the influence and advice of weak, truckling, servilely inclined men. People who are willing and anxious to live without equal civil, political rights and liberty, are not competent or fit to advise a free, brave people as to how they may best preserve the priceless gem.

Your committee believes that a fund of Two Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$200,000) should be raised by a proportionate contribution from the negroes of the several states and directed to a property organized joint committee in efforts to prevent hostile legislation and in reviewing the Constitutions and Statutes of the several states so that unjust, unfavorable and oppressive measures may be repealed.

Speaking privately and confidentially to this association alone, your committee is constrained to state that its brief, short experience has somewhat inclined it to the belief that its efficiency, power and service would be greatly enhanced as to Legislative Committee of Lobby if it could have equal accommodations.

Your committee believes its efforts in behalf of equal justice to be patriotic in the highest sense. We do not believe that our Country can continue to boast itself "the land of the free and the home of the brave" while denying equal justice and equal opportunity to ten million of its most loyal citizens.

Because we love our Country with you have deemed it proper at this time to submit you this somewhat extended report.

Respectfully yours,  
The Legislative Committee  
John L. Woodron,  
John L. Thompson,  
Geo. I. Holt.

### HIS DEATH IS MOURNED.

#### LATE JOHN CHARLES LEWIS HAD MANY FRIENDS.

Dubuque, Ia.,

The late John Charles Lewis, who died Friday at his home, 26 Rock street, Des Moines was born in Seiser county, Delaware August 17, 1834. At an early age he joined the church in Barrytown, Delaware, and had a consistent life until his death.

In July, 1854, he was united in marriage to Miss Emma Harris at Philadelphia Pa. To this union was born eight children. In 1864 his wife died and he was married again in 1875, to Miss Mary S. Martin, at Newark, New Jersey. To this second union was born five children, two daughters and three sons. His second wife died and left the five motherless children, whom he raised to young manhood and womanhood.

In 1897 he was married to Mrs. Lucy Harland at Davenport, Ia., who survives him, also two daughters and three sons. Mrs. Mary E. Shepherd of Goodland Kansas; Miss Gertrude B. Lewis, a teacher at Guthrie, Oklahoma; D. S. Lewis, a medical student at Howard University, Washington, D. C.; H. O. Lewis, of Des Moines, and Leonard of this city. He is further survived by a sister living at Felton, Delaware, and seven grandchildren.

Mr. Lewis was widely known and had many warm friends who mourn his loss. He was a devoted husband and father a kind neighbor and a thor. Christian.

### DAVENPORT NOTES.

Last Sunday was a jubilee for Bethel Church, Rev. Stoval and his official members, after working hard, succeeded in finishing the west half at the basement of the Church. The work done is permanent and the first services were held in the basement Sunday Oct. 24.

On Monday the members gave a fine reception for Rev. Stoval and family. Those taking part from out of the city were, Rev. A. B. Lewis of Mobile, Rev. Sandy McDowell of Rock Island, Rev. D. A. Holmes of Truro Baptist Church, brought greetings from his church and members. Atty. Mott spoke in behalf of the citizens. Mrs. B. Brill and Mrs. Jennie Johnson were the reception committee, light refreshments were served.

The sewing circle of the Third Baptist Church will hold its weekly meeting with Mrs. J. Sonder.

Mrs. Sperm of Jacksonville who has been visiting Mrs. D. S. Johnson today for Washington and Des Moines, where she will visit relatives.

Mrs. Eugene Greene and Mrs. Wallace Ballard went out making calls on friends Tuesday.

Mr. Onell, of Evanston Ill. is in the city, perhaps looking for a location.

Mrs. L. Cunningham has returned from Burlington Iowa, where she went to bury her nephew.

The Bishop Wayman Mite-Missionary Society held its regular meeting at the parsonage Wednesday afternoon.

Rev. T. B. Stoval an wife, and Mr. Mitchell and wife attended the reception given in honor of the Pastor Rev. Sandy McDowell at Rock Island Wayman Mission, A. M. E. Church

### THE HUNGER FOR LAND

#### Measures of the Government to Appear the Appetites for Farms.

A Wonderful Exhibit by the Department of the Interior and Agriculture at the United States Land and Irrigation Exposition at Chicago from Nov. 20th to Dec. 4th.

A debt of gratitude and a vote of thanks will be due the Chicago Tribune from the American people when the United States Land and Irrigation Exposition is over. The inception of this great undertaking was entirely due to the Tribune. The idea originated with the Tribune, and the entire responsibility, financial and otherwise, was assumed by the Tribune.

So timely did this enterprise seem to be that all the great irrigation and other land interests were quickly won and promised their participation and support. The United States government has thought so well of the Tribune's idea that it will be the largest exhibitor.

All the exhibits of the exposition will deal with the idea of establishing American homes upon small farms. All the features of this unique and wonderful show will be placed around the idea that the best place for an American family is in a home of its own, and that home a tract of land large enough to maintain the family in any emergency. With our better knowledge of plants and soils and cultural practice a few acres have an astonishing capacity for production. Valuable instruction along these lines will be found by the visitor at the coming exposition, Nov. 20 to Dec. 4, at Chicago's great Coliseum.

Besides the features specially prepared and brought from Washington, the best features from the government's exhibit at Seattle will be installed at Chicago. The reclamation service, the geological survey, the land office, the forestry service, the patent office, the bureau of animal industry, the bureau of plant industry, the weather bureau, the office of experiment stations and the bureau of entomology will all participate in a manner worthy of the government of eighty millions of people.

The value of the government exhibits to the visitor will lie in the fact that they are new and represent the latest thought and development in the various lines which they represent. All will relate to irrigation, drainage, dry farming and to the industries of the farm, especially of the new farms which are being reclaimed from what has long been regarded as waste land.

### THE BIG LAND SHOW

#### Chicago's Chief of Police Assures Visitors That Everything Will Be Ready for Their Comfort.

Chief of Police Steward of Chicago is mindful of the comfort of visitors during the coming Land Exposition, which will be held during the same time as the International Live Stock Show, Nov. 20 to Dec. 4.

"We shall not only police the exposition, but also all those parts of the city which the visitors will frequent. If there are any suspicious characters in sight, we shall speedily warn them to leave the city. We are determined that our guests during the exposition season shall be as free from annoyance as a thoroughly organized police and detective force can make them. Ordinarily the stranger in Chicago is as safe here as in any city—we purpose to make him doubly so during the two weeks of the exposition and Live Stock Show. We have on the force many men who are experienced in looking after large crowds and they will all be on duty at the right points during the Land and Irrigation festivities.

"I am taking a special interest in this coming land show, for I realize its great importance to the country and to the city of Chicago, and I appreciate the earnestness of the people who are going to be Chicago's visitors. Many people who are seeking new locations for their homes will come to Chicago and many of them will not be on the alert for suspicious characters. To such people we shall give special care and do all in the power of our strong organization to see that no one falls into the hands of the confidence men or other swindlers during his presence within our gates.

"I appreciate the enterprise of the Chicago Tribune in promoting and financing this great exposition and it is my wish to have our police organization assume a large measure of the responsibility for the comfort of our guests on this splendid occasion."

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### ALBIA, IOWA.

Mr. and Mrs. McCarthy of Hiteman was in Albia over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Baker of Buxton spent Sunday in Albia at the home of Mr. Ed Butler.

Mr. Ross Johnson has quit his work at Buxton and returned to Albia.

Quite a number of strangers have been in Albia the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Grayson spent Sunday in Albia with relatives and friends. They were the guests of Mrs. Nellie Esters for dinner.

Little Washington took a relapse and has been quite sick for the past week.

Mrs. G. A. Davis and Miss Ida Davis spent Monday afternoon in Hocking.

A number of Hocking people attended services at the A. M. E. church Sunday morning; among the number was Mr. and Mrs. John Washington, members of the A. M. E. choir, Mrs. Allen and a few others.

### ROCK ISLAND, ILL.

The entertainment given at the home of Mrs. C. Morrison, So. Rock Island, for the benefit of Mrs. R. A. Broyles was largely attended. A guessing contest and many other games were played which made the evening entertainment very pleasant. A neat sum was realized. Mr. Lambert presented the money to Mrs. Broyles. Mrs. Broyles responded in a highly appreciative manner, showing what a beautiful christian woman she is, and she is appreciated by her truest friends.

Rev. Cotrell will make Rock Island a visit in the near future and preach at the A. M. E. church.

The choir of the A. M. E. church will give an entertainment the 9th.

Mrs. Katie Bryant will leave Wednesday for Aurora, Dayton, Ohio and Oklahoma.

Mrs. Lambert attended services in Davenport Sunday.

Mrs. Clara Windsor attended a breakfast at the home of Mrs. D. S. Johnson in Davenport recently.

The name of the new club recently organized in Rock Island is the Progressive Art club.

Rev. Broyles and wife are pleasantly located at Tenth street and Seventh avenue, Rock Island.

Mrs. Essay Lewis of Prophetstown is visiting her mother, Mrs. Harry Moore.

Mr. Burris' house caught on fire Sunday but was soon put out and but slight damage done.

Mrs. Lambert received a letter from her brother in Pittsburg stating that his wife is very low.

Mrs. C. Morrison has been on the sick list for the past week.

Mrs. Henry Hueston and Mrs. Wm. Taylor were calling last week.

On Friday night, Oct. 29, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Taylor gave a grand reception in honor of their son and his bride of Des Moines. It was one of the grandest affairs of the season. Delicate refreshments were served. The guests departed at a late hour saying Mr. and Mrs. Taylor were royal entertainers.

### GALESBURG, ILLINOIS.

The Thimble Circle club of the Second Baptist church wish to announce that they will hold open doors on Thanksgiving day. Preparations are being made for a bountiful dinner, ending in the evening with a grand concert at which place the one holding the lucky number will be given a beautiful quilt.

Mrs. Mary Rhodes entertained the Autumn Leaf club Thursday at the home of her son, Mr. Roy Lyons. After the program dainty refreshments were served. Miss Floy McGaw of Davenport assisted in serving. Miss Alma Easley of Ohio was an out of town guest.

Mrs. M. Green was hostess to the ladies of the Leisure Hour club Thursday afternoon. Miss Alma Easley was the guest of honor.

The members of the A. M. E. Sunday School tendered Rev. and Mrs. S. B. Moore a reception Wednesday, in the parlors of the church. A program was given during the evening and afterward the guests were served with a two course lunch. The decorations were unusually beautiful and the occasion was a success.

Mr. Garfield Martin of Davenport spent Thursday here with friends.

Six young Misses entertained a company of thirty young people Monday evening at the home of Miss Marie Dunaway. The guests came masked and the evening was a jolly one. Refreshments were served in three courses in true Hallowe'en style.

### FORT MADISON NOTES.

Mrs. Josephine Blannon left Sunday for Columbia Ohio where she will make her home.

The Minister of the Second Baptist Church will arrive Saturday.

Four of Ft. Madison's most popular young ladies, the Misses Harper and Miss Lewis pleasantly entertained twenty five of their friends at a

### Hallowe'en party Saturday evening at the home of M. and Mrs. George Harper. The house was beautifully decorated in chrysanthemums and autumn leaves. The guests assembled at eight o'clock wearing various costumes, the first part of the evening was spent in looking over the various costumes, the prize was awarded to Miss Grayce Smith, she being dressed as "Little Red Riding Hood." At ten o'clock a dainty two course luncheon was served, after which the guests returned to the parlor, where a musical program was given. Following is the program: Instrumental Solo—Miss Jennie Harper. Instrumental Solo—Miss Agnes Steward. Vocal Solo—Miss Naomi Harper. Bass Solo—Mr. Percy Browne. Violin Solo—Miss Louise Harper. Vocal Solo—Miss Grayce Smith. The remainder of the evening was spent in games and dancing. All departed at a late hour voting their hostess royal entertainers. Mr. Lester Hatman of Keokuk Ia. was visiting friends Sunday evening.

### The New Wardrobe

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### BURLINGTON ITEMS.

On last Sunday at 2:30 occurred the funeral of David Jones from the family residence on Louisa street. Rev. Lambert of the G. M. E. church officiated. G. Taylor, W. and M. Graham, Willie Brooks and W. Jackson acted as pall bearers.

Mrs. Pauline Kinz is indisposed.

Rev. Thomas is making preparations to paint the parsonage this week.

### Sick Headache.

This distressing disease results from a disordered condition of the stomach, and can be cured by taking Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets (get a free sample at all druggists and try it.)

### NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE ON SPECIAL EXECUTION.

State of Iowa, Polk County, ss. District Court of Polk County, Iowa, Sheriff's Office, Des Moines, Iowa.

V. M. Grimmel, vs. James C. Johnson.

By virtue of a special execution to me directed, issued by the Clerk of the District Court of Polk County, Iowa, in favor of M. Grimmel, and against James C. Johnson, on a judgment rendered by said Court on the 13th day of October A. D. 1909, wherein it was ordered, adjudged and decreed that the following described property to be sold to satisfy said judgment, to-wit:

West three (3) feet East 8 feet of Lot 9, Block 3, Callahan's Addition.

Now, therefore, public notice is hereby given that unless the said defendants appear at my office in Des Moines on or before the 10th day of December A. D. 1909, at ten o'clock A. M. of said day, at which time said above described property is hereby advertised to be sold, and pay off the amount of said execution, with interest and costs, I will sell said property, or sufficient thereof to satisfy said execution, with interest and costs, at public outcry, to the highest bidder, at the east front door of the Court House, in Des Moines, Iowa, for cash in hand to pay off said execution.

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