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STOCKHOLDERS' MEETINGS.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Con P. Curran Printing Company, for the election of three directors, to serve during the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting, will be held at the office of the company, 401-405 N. Third st., St. Louis, Mo., on the first day of October, 1904, at 10 a. m.
CON P. CURRAN, President.
E. P. O'Fallon, Secretary.
St. Louis, Sept. 14, 1904.

SPECIAL meeting of the stockholders of the Merchants'-Laclede National Bank of St. Louis will be held at its banking-rooms, Fourth and Olive streets, on Wednesday, October 5, 1904, to vote, first, on a proposition to be then submitted to amend the articles of association so as to provide for twenty-four directors, instead of twenty-two, as at present, and, second, for the election of two additional directors to serve during the ensuing year. Polls open from 10 a. m. to 1 p. m.
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SECRET SOCIETIES.

RATHBONE SISTERS.

ÆGIS TEMPLE, NO. 3, RATHBONE SISTERS, meets every second and fourth Thursday nights at Fraternal Hall, Eleventh street and Franklin avenue. Visitors welcome.
MRS. R. E. WILLIAMS, M. E. C.
1304 Coleman street.
Alice Williams, M. of R. & C., 2310 Franklin avenue.

RATHBONE SISTERS, EXCELSIOR TEMPLE, No. 15, meets every second and fourth Friday of each month at Anchor Hall, Park and Jefferson avenues. Members expected to be present and visitors cordially invited.
MRS. ALLIE LOPMAN, M. E. C.
3046 Thomas street.
Mrs. Frances Hulburd, M. R. of C., 1908 Papin street.

NATIONAL UNION.

FUTURE GREAT COUNCIL, NO. 236, National Union, meets second and fourth Mondays of each month at Howard's Hall, Olive and Garrison avenue, at 8 p. m. Friends cordially invited.
JOHN S. SHIELDS, President.
Chas J. Cox, Secretary.

STANDARD COUNCIL, NO. 559, NATIONAL Union, meets every first and third Monday evening at 8 o'clock at Lueken's Hall, Iowa avenue and Arsenal street. Members are requested and visiting friends are fraternally invited to attend.
FRANK RABAND, President.
Wm. R. Bedington, Secretary, 2819 Arsenal street.

ORDER OF COLUMBIAN KNIGHTS.

EXPRESS LODGE, NO. 73, O. C. K., meets every second and fourth Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in west hall, Century building, Ninth and Olive streets. Members requested to attend. Visitors are always welcome. Next meeting Thursday, September 8.
DOCTOR A. P. JORDAN, President.
T. J. Sandefur, Secretary.

ST. LOUIS LODGE, NO. 55, ORDER OF Columbian Knights, meets every second and fourth Monday at hall No. 3, Odd Fellows' building. Visiting members of the order are at meetings.
A. D. BROKAW, President.

ANCIENT FREE AND ACCEPTED MASONS.

GEORGE WASHINGTON LODGE, NO. 9, A. F. & A. M., will hold special communication Tuesday, September 20, at 7 p. m., sharp. Masonic Temple, Grand and Finney avenues. Work, sublime degree of Master Mason on three. Visitors welcome.
GEORGE W. JAMES, W. M.
Wm. L. Reynolds Jr., Secretary.

MISSOURI LODGE, NO. 1, A. F. & A. M.—Called communication on Wednesday, September 21, at 7:30 p. m., Corinthian Hall, Masonic Temple. E. A. degree. Members and visiting brethren fraternally requested to attend.
J. W. KRUEGER, W. M.
John H. Deeme, Secretary.

SECRET SOCIETIES.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

ACME LODGE, NO. 19, K. OF P.—MEETS every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock, West gate Hall, northwest corner Grand and Easton avenues. Members requested to attend regularly. Visitors cordially invited.
FRANK BERRY, C. C.
G. W. Clifton, K. of R. & S., 1441 St. Louis avenue.

BURLINGTON LODGE, NO. 28, K. OF P., meets every Wednesday evening in Fraternal building, on the corner of Eleventh street and Franklin avenue, at 8 p. m. Wednesday evening, September 21, work in the rank of Knight, in amplified form; also a smoker for the evening. Members will please attend. Visitors are cordially invited.
DAN O'CONNOR, C. C.
Frank O'Connor, K. of R. & S.

CASTLE HALL, COLUMBIA LODGE, NO. 238, K. of P., meets every Tuesday evening, Century building, Ninth and Olive, East Hall. Tuesday evening, September 13, work in rank of Esquire. All members expected. Visiting brothers cordially invited to attend.
ALEXANDER NICHOLSON, C. C.
J. F. Dempsey, K. of R. & S.

CASTLE HALL OF MONITOR LODGE, NO. 48, K. of P., meets every Thursday evening in Century building, Ninth and Olive streets. Visitors always welcome. Members expected.
H. H. JONES, C. C.
W. J. Otto, Keeper of Records and Seal.

CHEVALIER LODGE, NO. 70, K. OF P.—Castle Hall in 634 Fellows' Temple, Hall No. 2, eighth floor. Regular meeting every Wednesday evening, 8 o'clock sharp. Significant of Initiation Wednesday evening, September 21, 1904. Visiting Knights always welcome.
WM. J. SUMMERS, C. C.
Attest: Louis W. Sorgenfrei, K. of R. & S.
Address, 2803 Arsenal street.

DAMON LODGE, NO. 28, K. P., MEETS every Wednesday evening in Odd Fellows' building, Ninth and Olive, seventh floor hall No. 3, at 8 o'clock. Work in rank of Knight. Members of Senate please report. Members expected. Visiting brothers are cordially invited.
FRANK S. STUMP, C. C.
H. R. Bernel, K. of R. & S., No. 2342 Evans avenue.

FUTURE GREAT LODGE, NO. 278, K. OF P., Howard's Hall, Thirteenth and Olive, meets every Wednesday, at 8 o'clock, Wednesday, September 21. Important business. Visitors welcome.
H. F. FRITSCHLE, C. C.
W. A. Roberts, K. of R. & S.

MOOD LODGE, NO. 96, K. OF P., MEETS every Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock at Anchor Hall, southwest corner Jefferson and Park avenues, two blocks south of Shaw's Jefferson avenue cars. Members are expected and visitors cordially invited to attend.
A. H. NORDIEK, C. C.
L. B. Cass, K. of R. & S.

PACIFIC LODGE, NO. 204, K. OF P., meets every Wednesday evening, Century building, Ninth and Olive streets. September 14, rank of Page. Cigars. Visitors invited.
E. N. ROBINSON, C. C.
W. A. Gray, K. of R. & S.

PRIDE OF THE WEST, NO. 24, K. OF P., meets every Tuesday evening at Castle Hall, southeast corner of Ninth and Market streets, Druids' Hall. Members are requested to attend. Visiting brothers welcome.
VICTOR BRUENING, C. C.
Albert Brewer, K. of R. & S.

PYTHAGORAS LODGE, NO. 25, K. OF P., meets every Wednesday evening at castle hall, northwest corner Grand and Easton avenues, at 8 o'clock. Work, Esquire rank Wednesday, September 14. Members expected. Visiting brothers always welcome.
E. B. HOLLET, C. C.
E. Ittinger, K. of R. & S., 2335 Easton avenue, Kinloch D 1468.

ROBERT B. COWAN LODGE, NO. 131, K. of P., meets every Monday evening at 8 o'clock, West Hall, Century building, Ninth and Olive streets. Monday, September 19, work in rank of Knight. Members requested to attend. Visitors are welcome.
OSCAR M. STOLL, C. C.
Attest: Henry H. Luebbert, K. of R. & S.

WABASH LODGE, NO. 248, K. OF P., meets every Tuesday evening at Castle Hall, southwest corner Broadway and Benton. September 20, work in the rank of Esquire. Visitors welcome.
O. L. OSBORN, C. C.
M. C. Shulte, K. of R. & S.

WASHINGTON LODGE, NO. 193, K. OF P., Century building, Ninth and Olive streets. Friday evening, September 16, work in rank of Knight.
WM. J. TILDEN, C. C.
Jos. F. Dummich, K. of R. and S., Maplewood, Mo.

ZULEMA LODGE, NO. 221, K. OF P., MEETS Monday evening, September 19, in hall No. 2, tenth floor Century building, at 8 o'clock. Work in rank of Knight, new amplified; calcium and electrical effects. Members expected and visitors cordially invited to attend.
FRANK J. VOLLMER, C. C.
Attest: O. M. Brooks, K. of R. & S.
P. O. Box 1062.

INDEPENDENT ORDER ODD FELLOWS.

ANCHOR LODGE, NO. 352, I. O. O. F., meets every Monday evening at Schuette's hall, Nineteenth and Wright streets. Work in the degree. Visiting brethren welcome.
B. F. OHEARN, N. G.
David Petty, Secretary, 2413 North Ninth street.

ARCADIAN LODGE, NO. 322, I. O. O. F., meets every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock p. m. on southeast corner of Iowa and Arsenal street. All members earnestly requested and visitors fraternally invited.
N. G. HENRY EHLE,
5439 West Park.
Phil P. Platz, Financial Secretary,
2342 Geraldine avenue.
V. G. Wm. T. Little,
3115 Obear avenue.
Curtis Jenkins, Recording Secretary,
518 Manchester avenue.

LACLEDE LODGE, NO. 22, I. O. O. F., meets every Thursday evening in Hall No. 1, Odd Fellows' building. Visitors cordially welcomed. THOS. A. DAVIDSON, N. G.
C. F. Steffens, Secretary.

MECHANICS' LODGE, NO. 419, I. O. O. F., meets every Friday evening at 8 o'clock, at Frank P. Blair Post, G. A. R., Hall, No. 1708 Market street. Visiting brethren cordially invited to attend. Work in the degrees every meeting.
R. E. WEBB, N. G., 4359 Lee ave.
S. Flint, Secretary, 2816 N. Twenty-second st.

NAOMI REBEKAH LODGE, NO. 2, I. O. O. F., meets first and third Thursdays every month in hall No. 1, Odd Fellows' building. Visitors cordially invited to meet with us.
CAROLINE FITCH CRAIG, N. G.
Cora G. Vernon, Secretary.

ST. LOUIS LODGE, NO. 5, I. O. O. F., meets every Saturday evening at 8 o'clock at Odd Fellows' building, southeast corner Ninth and Olive streets, hall No. 1. Visitors welcome and members expected to attend.
N. MATHESON, N. G.
H. A. Hamilton, Secretary.

WILDEY LODGE, NO. 2, I. O. O. F., meets Tuesday evening of each week at hall No. 1, Odd Fellows' building, corner Ninth and Olive, at 8 o'clock. Work in third degree, September 20. Visiting brothers invited to attend.
A. J. DALRYMPLE, N. G.
W. D. Reed, Secretary.

WILDEY ENCAMPMENT, NO. 1, I. O. O. F., meets every second and fourth Monday at hall No. 1, Odd Fellows' Hall, corner Ninth and Olive streets. All visiting Patriarchs are most cordially invited and members most earnestly requested to attend. Work in degrees every session. GEO. M. SHOWMAN, C. P.
F. G. Rhoades, Scribe.

WINGENUND LODGE, NO. 27, I. O. O. F., meets the second and fourth Mondays of each month. Fraternal building, Eleventh and Franklin avenue. Visitors welcome. Work in the degrees every meeting. Visitors are cordially invited.
FRANK M. TEWELL, Noble Grand.
Ike Hirschfeld, Secretary, 1118 N. Sarah st.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS.

KENRICK COUNCIL, NO. 686, KNIGHTS of Columbus, meets every second and fourth Wednesday at Rose Hill Hall, No. 3967 Maple avenue. Visiting knights always welcome. JOHN PAUL CHEW, Grand Knight.
Walter T. Cunningham, Recorder.

MARQUETTE COUNCIL, NO. 688, Knights of Columbus, meets every second and fourth Tuesday in the west hall, Century building, Ninth and Olive streets. Visiting knights cordially invited.
FRANK G. CUNNINGHAM, Grand Knight.
F. P. Leonard, Recorder.

ST. LOUIS COUNCIL, NO. 563, MEETS at every first and third Tuesday at West End Hall, southwest corner Finney and Vandeventer avenues. Visiting knights are cordially invited. EDWARD DEVOY, Grand Knight.
Joseph F. Lamy, Recorder.

ROYAL ARCANUM.

GRAND COUNCIL MISSOURI, ROYAL Arcanum, Nos. 209-211 Holland Building—A cordial welcome to visitors, friends, brethren and members from abroad.
E. A. BARBOUR, G. R.
John C. Killingsworth Grand Secretary.

IMPROVED ORDER OF RED MEN.

MINNETONKA TRIBE, NO. 43, IMPROVED Order of Red Men, meets every Friday evening, at Druids' Hall, Ninth and Market streets. Work by the degree team that made St. Louis famous.

MINNEHAHA COUNCIL, DEGREE OF Pocahontas, meets every second and fourth Monday at Druid's Hall, Ninth and Market streets. Work every meeting by the famous Schrimp degree team.

MISSISSIPPI TRIBE, NO. 71, IMPROVED Order of Red Men, meets every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock, in their wigwam, corner Seventeenth and Wash streets. All visiting brothers cordially invited to meet with us.
H. RANDALL, Sachem.

OPECANCANOUGH TRIBE, NO. 60, IMPROVED Order of Red Men, meets on the second and fourth Saturday evenings in Red Men's Hall, corner Ninth and Market streets. Council fire kindled at the eighth run. Visiting chiefs are cordially invited to attend. Work in the degree.
J. P. WALTERS, Sachem.
A. Leck, Chief of Records.

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD.

LIVE OAK CAMP, NO. 112, W. OF W., meets first and third Fridays every month, Hall No. 2, Bowman building, northeast corner Eleventh and Locust streets. Visitors are invited and members expected to be present.
GEORGE LEHMANN, C. C.
Ed F. Smith, Clerk, No. 421 South Ewing avenue.

MISSOURI COURT, NO. 77, TRIBE OF Ben Hur—Meets second and Fourth Saturday of each month, corner Twentieth and Biddle streets. Members of court are requested to attend meeting nights. Visiting members are welcome. Car line, Bellefontaine or Grand avenue north.
DOCTOR EMMA WENTZEL,
Scribe, No. 2160 Obear avenue.
James Hughes, Chief.

SECRET SOCIETIES.

ANCIENT ORDER OF HIBERNIANS.

DIVISION NO. 1, A. O. H.—MEETS ON the second Sunday of each month at 2:30 p. m., in St. Patrick's School Hall, Sixth and Biddle streets. Visitors welcome.
TERENCE MARTIN, President.
M. J. Hartigan, Secretary, 1724 O'Fallon.

DIVISION NO. 2, A. O. H.—MEETS ON the first and third Thursdays of each month in Hall at No. 2813 Easton avenue, at 8 p. m. All members cordially invited.
JOHN P. SHINE, President.
David Gleason, Secretary, No. 1321 Prairie avenue.

DIVISION NO. 5, A. O. H.—MEETS ON the second Wednesday of each month at St. Joseph's Hall, Jefferson avenue and Stoddard street, at 8 p. m. All members welcome.
THOMAS P. LYNON, President.
Maurice G. Sons, Secretary, No. 803 Geer avenue.

DIVISION NO. 6, A. O. H.—MEETS ON the first and third Wednesdays of each month, at 8 p. m., in hall at No. 2012 Easton avenue. Visitors welcome.
JOHN J. HAYES, President.
Harry M. Spencer, Recording Secretary, No. 2848 Clark avenue.

DIVISION NO. 7, A. O. H.—MEETS ON the first and third Tuesdays of each month at St. Patrick's Hall, No. 1321 North Sixth street. Visitors welcome.
PHILIP BURGESS, President.
John O'Laughlin, recording secretary, No. 1118 North Sixth street.

DIVISION NO. 8, A. O. H.—MEETS ON the second Sunday of each month at 2:30 p. m., at Hoecker's Hall, Twentieth and Bissell streets. Visitors welcome.
JOHN CURRAN, President.
John J. Finan, Secretary, No. 3568 Evans avenue.

DIVISION NO. 9, A. O. H.—MEETS ON the first and third Thursdays of each month in Chouteau Hall, No. 3817 Chouteau avenue, at 8 p. m. Visitors welcome.
PATRICK J. TEHAN, President.
John J. Lynch, Recording Secretary, No. 3968 Caroline street.

DIVISION NO. 13, A. O. H., MEETS SECOND and fourth Friday of each month at Lochia's Hall, southwest corner Ewing and Manchester avenues, at 8 p. m. Visiting brothers cordially invited to attend.
JAMES M. MURPHY, President.
Thomas J. Walsh, Recording Secretary, Residence, 2820 Dickson street.

WOMEN'S CATHOLIC ORDER OF FORESTERS.

ST. LEO'S COURT, NO. 426, WOMEN'S Catholic Order of Foresters, meets the second and fourth Monday of each month at St. Leo's Hall, Twenty-fifth and Mullanphy streets.
MRS. MARGARET LACEY, Chief Ranger.
Emergency Hospital, Fourteenth and O'Fallon.
Miss Mary A. Redmond, Recording Secretary, 224 Madison st.

ST. MALACHY'S COURT, NO. 236, WOMEN'S Catholic Order of Foresters, meets second and fourth Wednesday of every month at St. Malachy's Hall, Ewing and Clark avenues.
MRS. CATHERINE SMITH, C. R.,
2033 Adelaide street.
Miss Mamie E. C. Kerwick, R. S., 2721 Bernard street.

WOMEN'S CATHOLIC ORDER OF FORESTERS—St. Vincent's Court, No. 248, Women's Catholic Order of Foresters, meets every second and fourth Thursday of each month at St. Vincent's Hall, Ninth street and Park avenue. Members cordially invited.
MISS MAMIE A. SHEA, Chief Ranger,
2438 S. Eighteenth st.
Miss Martha Boland, Responding Secretary,
1760 Dolman st.
Miss Catherine Reynolds, Financial Secretary, 1617 N. Compton ave.

ROYAL LEAGUE.

GREELEY COUNCIL, ROYAL LEAGUE, meets the second and fourth Wednesday evening in Hall No. 6, Fraternal building, Eleventh and Franklin avenue. Next meeting August 10. All members of the order fraternally invited at all times, and our own members expected. Fraternally.
GEORGE PAASCH, Archon.
Attest: H. H. Jones, Scribe.

HISTORICAL SOCIETIES.

MISSOURI HISTORICAL SOCIETY, NO. 1019 Locust Street—Regular monthly meetings held on the second Thursday of each month at 8 p. m. from November till April, inclusive. The building is open daily from 9 a. m. till 5 p. m.; Sunday afternoons from 2 till 5. The public is cordially invited to visit the library and museum.
WALTER B. DOUGLAS, President.
Charles Parsons Pettus, Secretary.

VOLUNTEER FIREMEN'S HISTORICAL Society meets third Sunday of every month, 2 p. m., No. 1910 Locust street. All St. Louis volunteer firemen are invited to attend.
JOSEPH BOYCK, President.
F. M. Brooks, Secretary.

TRIBE OF BEN HUR.

EAST ST. LOUIS COURT, NO. 138, TRIBE of Ben Hur, meets every first and third Fridays of each month at I. O. O. F. Hall, Ninth and Illinois avenue. Visiting Ben Hurs always welcome. A full attendance of members desired.
JACKSON H. G. HERTEL, Chief of Court.
Mrs. R. Campbell, Scribe, No. 218 North Eighth street.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF FORESTERS.

COURT COTE BRILLIANTE, INDEPENDENT Order of Foresters, Meets on the second and fourth Thursdays of each month at 8 o'clock at Bowman Hall, northeast corner of Locust and Eleventh streets. Visiting brothers are cordially invited.
F. X. ROTERMAN, Chief Ranger,
Residence, No. 1218A Boulard street.
W. J. Wright, Recording Secretary, Residence, No. 4621 Kennerly avenue.

MISCELLANEOUS.

BETTY ROSS COUNCIL, NO. 7, D. OF A.—Meets every Friday evening, at 8 p. m., at Ande's Hall, northwest corner of Jefferson avenue and Pestalozzi street.
HATTIE GASSMANN,
Recording Secretary.

CLAN DOUGLAS, NO. 2, ORDER OF SCOTTISH Clans, meets first and third Tuesdays of each month at Westgate Hall, corner of Grand and Easton avenues. Visiting clansmen cordially invited to attend.
P. C. GUNN, Chief,
No. 4258 Fairfax ave.
Attest: David Millar, Secretary, No. 5018 Ridge avenue.

INDEPENDENCE COUNCIL, NO. 2, O. U. A. M., meets every Monday evening at Ahler's Hall, Fourteenth and Mordecai streets.
H. H. MENSENDICK, Councilor.
R. G. Westholt, R. S.,
3030 N. Twenty-first street.

LYON COUNCIL, NO. 21, I. O. U. A. M.—Meets every Monday evening at Ande's Hall, northwest corner of Jefferson avenue and Pestalozzi street. Visitors are welcome.
L. A. WEISMANTEL, C.
R. Boll, Secretary, 2905 Gamonde street.

McPHERSON COUNCIL, NO. 4, JR., O. U. A. M., meets every Tuesday, southwest corner Ninth and Arsenal streets. Visiting brethren fraternally invited.
WM. J. GREENWOOD, SR., Councilor.
Thos. H. Greenwood, Secretary.

MODERN AMERICAN FRATERNAL ORder, St. Louis Lodge, No. 114 meets at their hall, northwest corner Carondelet and Jefferson avenues, the second and fourth Wednesdays of each month. All members always welcome. Refreshments at meeting.
S. T. KASE, Secretary, 2118 Caroline st.

NELSON LODGE, NO. 422, SONS OF ST. George, meets every second and fourth Tuesday, in hall, 612 Burlington building, 319 Olive street. Members requested to attend regularly. Visitors always welcome.
M. S. BOWERS, W. P.
George Hill, Secretary.

ST. LOUIS COUNCIL, NO. 1, JR. O. U. A. M., meets every Monday evening at 8 o'clock at Bowman Hall, Eleventh and Locust streets. Visitors invited and members expected.
C. HOWARD MILLER, R. S.
J. W. Mertz, Councilor.

REAL ESTATE BUILDING AT FAIR

Local Exchange Opens Headquarters for Advertising St. Louis' Advantages.

BOOKLETS TO BE GIVEN AWAY.

Automobile Turnout of Property Owners Will Be a Feature On Day That Dealers Will Hold Forth.

The Real Estate Exchange headquarters at the World's Fair was opened to the public last Thursday, and will be maintained until the close of the Fair for the reception of visitors and the exploitation of St. Louis as a business and residence city, and the advantages of its real estate as an investment.

An attractive office has been fitted up at Intramural Station No. 17, opposite the Lindell entrance to the Fair grounds. Charts and maps adorn the room, setting forth the many features of the city's greatness. Arrangements have been made for the publication of a booklet descriptive of St. Louis and its real estate from the standpoint of resident and investor. This booklet will be ready in a few days and will be distributed free to all applicants.

"The object of the building at the Fair," Sidney Schiele, secretary of the Real Estate Exchange said yesterday, "is intended not only to promote St. Louis real estate among visitors to the city, but also to interest residents of St. Louis in their home town and to bring before them a better understanding of its many advantages. St. Louisans will find there much information of value to them, and the quarters are opened in the hope that the citizens will profit by the opportunity. The place is in no way a booth for the sale of real estate, but an instructive exhibit in which every citizen should feel proud."

Some member of the Real Estate Exchange will be in charge of the rooms each day until October 5, Real Estate Day at the Fair, after which individual firms will be assigned days. The assignments for next week are as follows: Monday, Theo. Hemmelmann, Jr.; Tuesday, A. H. Frederick; Wednesday, Sidney Schiele; Thursday, C. F. A. Mueller; Friday, Geo. W. Strodtman; Saturday, Hugh H. Stewart.

Arrangements for Real Estate Day on October 5 are progressing nicely and all indications point to it being one of the big local days at the Fair. Preparations are now being made for a big automobile parade on that day and several other attractive features are being considered. All property owners are to be invited to participate and the occasion will be made one of special interest to all.

EDWARD BUTLER BUYS PROPERTY FOR INVESTMENT.

Purchases Premises at Twenty-First and Olive Street That Was Sold Several Years Ago for $12,000.

Edward Butler yesterday bought, through the Mercantile Trust Company, the property at the southwest corner of Twenty-first and Olive streets from J. L. Royston for $35,887.50.

The property has a frontage of twenty-five feet on Olive street and a depth of 129 feet, and is improved with a three-story modern buff-brick building, occupied by a saloon on the first floor and flats above. The building is under lease to the Anheuser-Busch Brewing Association at an annual rental of $3,000, and will net Mr. Butler between 6 and 7 per cent on the investment.

Mr. Royston bought the property several years ago for $12,000, and receives a good profit for his investment as a result of the rapid advance in values along that street.

Mercantile Trust Company.

The Mercantile Trust Company finds the real estate market much improved in the past week. Many of the more prominent investors who have been out of town during the summer are returning, and all seem more favorably impressed with St. Louis than ever before. A number of good-sized deals have been closed during the week, and negotiations have been opened up on several larger transactions which promise a very satisfactory business for the last half of September.

The transactions of this company for the week, which it is at liberty to report, are as follows:

Sold the corner of Delmar boulevard and Walton avenue, fronting 180 feet on the north line of Delmar boulevard by a depth of 170 feet along the west line of Walton avenue. This is one of the largest vacant corners on Delmar avenue, between Taylor and King's highway. Sold for Hannah Burjea for $21,000, the purchaser being a well-known business man and the owner of a large amount of St. Louis real estate, and he bought this property for an investment, contemplating the erection of substantial improvements in the near future.

No. 5369 Theodosia avenue, a one-story frame cottage, occupying lot 25x125 feet. Sold for Henrietta Chistensen for $2,050 to Emma Waldmann, who bought for a home and will occupy at once.

Lot on Shenandoah avenue, in Tyler place, fronting 25 feet on the north line of Shenandoah avenue by a depth of 125 feet, located between Louisiana and Tennessee avenues. Sold for Mrs. M. A. Bigelow for $1,150, to a client of Kollas & Brinkop, who contemplates the erection of a modern flat on the lot.

No. 2728 Sheridan avenue, a two-story brick house containing seven rooms and all conveniences, occupying a lot which fronts 25 feet on the south line of Sheridan avenue, by a depth southwardly of 150 feet. Sold for J. Bailey et al. for $3,500 cash, to John Boyle, who bought as an investment.

Lot on the west line of College avenue, located 103 feet south of Carter avenue and fronting 25 feet on the west line of College avenue by a depth of 115 feet to an alley; sold for the St. Louis University for $18.50 per foot cash, to Mrs. Edward Harrihill, who will erect a modern residence on it.

No. 5861 Ridge avenue, a two-story brick cottage containing eight rooms and all conveniences, occupying a lot which fronts 25 feet on the north line of Ridge avenue by a depth of 125 feet; sold for W. E. Williams for $3,150 cash to John Sherman, who bought for a home and will occupy as soon as vacated.

Lot at the southwest corner of Cote Brilliante and Hamilton avenues, in the Mount Auburn district, fronting 47 feet on the south line of Cote Brilliante by a depth of 129 feet along the west line of Hamilton; sold for Kate Mullen for $1,324 to F. C. Meinhardt. The purchaser will erect a modern flat on the lot.

No. 1923 North Eighteenth street, a two-story with mansard roof brick house, containing eleven rooms and occupying a lot fronting 26 feet on the west line of Eighteenth street by a depth of 110 feet; sold for Esther Miller for $4,000 to J. Grolinek. The property rents for $640 per year, and was bought as an investment.

No. 6729 Vernon avenue, a one-story frame cottage containing six rooms; lot 30x150; sold for George Schneider for $1,200 to Thomas Nalsh, who bought for a home.

The Mercantile Trust Company reports having had a very satisfactory week in its renting and leasing department, and to have made several small loans at current market rate of interest.

Mississippi Valley Trust Company.

The real estate department of the Mississippi Valley Trust Company reports a very active week in its various subdivisions, and a growing inquiry for well-located residence property in all sections of the city.

A number of special sales will be held during the coming fall season at Chouteau place, Page Avenue Heights, Greenwood and others, and, in addition, two new tracts will be for the first time placed upon the market—Purcell Heights, a most desirably located tract of residence property, situated on the Laclede Station road, one block south of Old Orchard Station, on the Frisco Railroad. This property lies very high—in fact, is considered to be the highest point in the entire county; is convenient to schools and churches of all denominations, and is admirably situated for transportation, both on the street and steam railways. This tract was first subdivided some six years ago, and is handsomely improved with fine shade trees, well-laid-out streets, city water, etc.

The other tract is "Ferguson Park," on the southwest corner of Page and Ferguson avenues. This is a beautiful tract of ground, covered with fine old forest trees, and is a very desirable home location. The owners have instructed the agents to use every effort to dispose of this property entirely during the coming fall season, and the price at which they will be offered and the terms named will be of such a liberal nature that the result desired is bound to be achieved.

In addition to the number of lot sales reported below, the real estate department has also sold another of the two-story brick and stone flat buildings recently erected by them in West Chouteau place, on the south side of St. Louis avenue, west of Whittier street, together with thirty-five feet of ground, to Wm. H. Harrison, for $5,200.

A list of sales made in the various subdivisions follows:

GREENWOOD.

Lot 7, block 5, fronting 50 feet on the north line of Commonwealth avenue, to Viola Tomlinson for $50.

PAGE AVENUE HEIGHTS.

Lot 21, block 5, fronting 50 feet on the south line of Chatham avenue, to C. W. McHenry for $50.

HARNEY HEIGHTS.

Lot 26, block 500, fronting 50 feet on the south line of Geraldine avenue, to Henry G. Dwelle for $50.

Lot 27, block 500, fronting 50 feet on the south line of Geraldine avenue, to George Steinecke for $50.

Lot 19, block 501, fronting 50 feet on the south line of Bernays avenue, to L. E. Rotweiler for $50.

Lot 20, block 501, fronting 50 feet on the south line of Bernays avenue, to Bertie E. Fisk for $50.

CHOUTEAU PLACE.

East 10 feet of lot 39, all of lot 40, and the west 5 feet of lot 41, in block 3872, fronting 40 feet on the south line of Labadie avenue, to John Coleman, for $1,000.

The west 30 feet of lot 15 and the east 10 feet of lot 16, block 3872, fronting 40 feet on the north line of St. Louis avenue, to Ida N. Minor, for $50.

The east 5 feet of lot 15 and the west 15 feet of lot 16, block 3872, fronting 40 feet on the south line of St. Louis avenue, to Louis Hack, for $400.

The east 15 feet of lot 25 and the west 15 feet of lot 26, block 3872, fronting 40 feet on the south line of Labadie avenue, to Joseph and Arthur P. Nolfind, for $600.

Tombridge Agency.

The Tombridge Agency reports the following sales:

No. 2908 Blaine avenue, a two-story seven-room brick residence, lot 30x125, from Mrs. Augusta Helmsmueller to Mrs. Anna Finger for $4,300.

Nos. 3905 and 3907 California avenue, two-story and mansard roof double brick flat, arranged for four families, lot 41x125, from Peter Kephner to Jos. Jonak for $6,000, who bought for an investment.

Lot 24x125, in Tower Grove Heights, on the south side of Magnolia avenue, opposite Tennessee avenue, from Jacob F. Leiendecker to Mrs. B. Dobler for $1,350, who will improve with a two-story modern brick flat.

Lot 50x125, on the southeast corner of Pennsylvania avenue and Cherokee street; from Geo. Enger to Christine Georgens for $1,600.

A tract of land containing 2 acres on the east side of Grand avenue, adjoining Helena place on the north, from the Lebbing heirs to one of our clients. This tract will be subdivided and laid out into lots under our supervision, and we will also manage the sale of the lots when ready for the market, as announced elsewhere.

Forest Park Heights Sale.

The auction sale conducted by Charles F. Vogel yesterday afternoon at Forest Park Heights was well attended and considered successful. Henry L. Sutton acted as auctioneer. The following sales were made:

Lot 50x160 on south side of South avenue, between Clarissa and Mabel avenues, to George Steinmetz, at $6 a foot.

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