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For Sale—City Property.

FOR RENT—Five-room strictly modern apartment; lower floor. Phone 3923-L; 738 Thirty-fourth street. FOR SALE—Lots in South Heights south of Aiken street between Twelfth and Seventeenth streets. on easy terms; \$25 down, balance in five years. E. W. Robinson, 1454 Richmond street. Phone Rock Island 4688-K.

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FOR SALE—Large coasting bob. Phone R. I. 86. FOR SALE—Station wagon in good condition. Inquire Garage, rear 1906 Seventh avenue.

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Notice of Publication—Chancery, State of Illinois, Rock Island county.

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Lodge Directory.

Masonic Temple, Eighteenth street and Fifth avenue. THE STATED MEETING OF TRIO Lodge No. 57, A. F. & A. M., will be held on the first Thursday of each month at 7:30 p. m. Special for work on the F. C. degree in Ionic hall, Thursday, Dec. 23, at 7:30 p. m. Visitors are cordially invited. By order of Ira J. Roberts, W. M.; W. B. Pettit, sec.

U. S. W. V.

SIBONEY BAY CAMP, NO. 8, U. S. W. V., meets the first and third Thursdays of each month at 8 p. m. at Memorial hall. John Carse, commander; M. L. Titterington, adjutant.

G. A. R.

BURFORD POST, 243, G. A. R., meets regularly on the second and fourth Saturday evenings of each month at 7:30 in Memorial hall at the court house. William Mitchell, commander; W. A. Norris, adjutant.

Legal.

Executor's Notice. Estate of Eliza J. Snyder, deceased. The undersigned having been appointed executor of the last will and testament of Eliza J. Snyder, late of the county of Rock Island, state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the Hon. Benjamin Bell, judge of the probate court of Rock Island county, at the probate court room, in the city of Rock Island, at the February term, on the first Monday in February next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned. Dated 24th day of November, A. D. 1915. CHARLES D. SNYDER, Executor. Walker, Ingram & Sweeney, attorneys.

Publication Notice.

State of Illinois, Rock Island County.— In the Circuit Court of Rock Island county, Illinois, January term, 1916. R. P. Wait vs. Bruce Bradford. In Attachment. Demand, \$110. Notice is hereby given to you, the said Bruce Bradford, that a writ of attachment has been sued out of the office of the clerk of the circuit court of the county of Rock Island, at the suit of the said R. P. Wait, and against the estate of you, the said Bruce Bradford, for one hundred and ten dollars, besides interest, directed to the sheriff of said county to execute. Now, unless you, the said Bruce Bradford, shall personally be and appear before the circuit court of said county, on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at Rock Island, in said county, on the first Monday in the month of January next, give special bail and plead to said action, judgment will be entered against you in favor of the said plaintiff, and the property attached sold to satisfy the same, with costs. GEORGE W. GAMBLE, Clerk. Rock Island, Ill., Dec. 2, 1915. Schriver & Schriver, plaintiff's attorneys.

Superfluous Hair.

SUPERFLUOUS hair, moles, warts, on face and arms, permanently removed with electric needles. Address Miss A. M. Kittridge, 1, Argyle flats, Brady street, Davenport. Phone 894.

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For Rent—Flats.

FOR RENT—Five-room flats. Telephone R. I. 1994.

FOR RENT—Three-room modern flat, unfurnished, 1605 Third avenue.

FOR RENT—Modern flat, four-rooms and bath. Apply at 1511 Third avenue. References required.

FOR RENT—Modern furnished three-room apartment at 1511 Third avenue. References required.

FOR RENT—Four very desirable unfurnished rooms; references required; excellent location, near all car lines. Phone R. I. 2988-K.

Lost and Found.

LOST—Small key, at foot of Twentieth street. Reward. Notify The Argus.

LOST—Grey woolen blanket between Seventeenth street and Fourth avenue and court house. Notify Argus office. Reward.

LOST—On second floor of McCabe's store, a small package containing two lavallieres and chain. Finder please return to McCabe's office and receive reward.

LOST—In McCabe's store or on Long View 12:15 car Thursday noon a silver mesh bag containing another purse and some small change. Reward. Notify The Argus office.

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