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CITY NEWS

New Embroideries. Central. New shirt waists 50c to \$6.00 each at Central Store. Read The Daily Gate City. 10 cents per week. Puckelstuck lodge No. 43 meets every Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock. E. S. Cushman, N. G.; George W. Immebart, per sec. Business of importance. Charles Statler was up in the Superior court this morning, charged with assault and battery upon his wife. He was given a thirty-day sentence but sentence was suspended upon condition that he get out of town by 2:30 o'clock this afternoon. Elmer Reed was up for being drunk and was fined \$1 and costs.

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Smoke Moeller's Silver Ash cigar. New Silks arrived. Central Store. Lincoln Brand Sunkist Oranges have no equal. Choice Chickens at J. W. Markley's 710 Main street. Special sale tomorrow, chocolate drops, 10c lb. Palace of Sweets. Try a pound can Regal Steel Cut Coffee, 25c at all first class groceries. For the consideration of \$2,000 Joseph H. D. Chenoweth has deeded to John Webster Downey, the east half of the northeast quarter of section 19, township 67 north, of range 6 west. Cards have been sent broadcast along the river below Rock Island offering \$100 reward for the body of George Murdock aged 6 years who was drowned February 20th in the Rock river at Oregon, Ill. The boy wore a red sweater coat, blue overalls and rubber boots when drowned. Word has been received in Keokuk by De La Salle council, Knights of Columbus, that a second and third degree initiation will be held in Burlington April 26th. The local council will have no initiation and those who are candidates will be initiated at Burlington. Quite a number from here will attend. Some one started the wild report today that the steamer Dubuque or Sidney of the Diamond Jo line would be taken to St. Louis today in charge of Pilot Gus Hill, the old riverman and pilot for many years. It would be impossible to perform such a wonderful feat at the present time however as the draw of the bridge at this place could not be opened to allow the passage of a large boat. The engineers are at work overhauling the machinery in the engine room of the bridge draw and it will be several days yet before all is in readiness to open it. The Inaugural supper last evening by the men of Bethel A. M. E. church, was a grand success, socially and financially. The parlors of the church were artistically decorated with the national colors by Messrs. W. T. Rush and A. Manifee. J. C. Craig was chairman of the affair, and deserves much credit for the success of the entertainment. Geo. Ashby acted as chief. W. T. Rush was at his best as head waiter. The other gentlemen who assisted were the following: Arthur Frye, Horace Craig, Clifton Ashby, Geo. Bundy, Chas Wilson, W. S. Burns, Mark Johnson, F. D. Bland, L. C. Lowe, W. L. Green, W. W. Fields; Misses Clara and Myrtle Lowe composed the orchestra for the evening and charmed the audience with their selections. The men proved themselves master of the situation and served supper to about one hundred guests.

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Read The Daily Gate City. Attend lace sale at Central. Poultry and Game at Tigues's. Sealship oysters, at Immebart's. New spring dress goods on display at Central Store. All prices. Y. W. C. A. Market. Benner's Tea Store. Saturday 2:00 p. m. Notice to regular patrons of the Roll-a-Way: Private Party tonight. Ask your grocer for Lincoln Brand Sunkist Oranges, and get the best. Big cut price sale of sheet music at Schaeffer & Sanders' music house, 607 Main street, Friday and Saturday. A meeting of the independent base ball teams of the city, which was lately organized will be held at the county court house this evening. The Sunday afternoon musical concert at the Y. M. C. A. will be given by the association male quartet and Miss Harriet Kastner, contralto soloist. Citizens should not overlook the mass meeting this evening at 7:30 o'clock in the county court house for the purpose of nominating candidates for school directors. The box supper at the high school this evening has been called off. The Fort Madison basket ball team will not arrive until the evening train and the game will not start until about 8:30 o'clock. Cook Furniture Co. are closing out to quit business and we are not buying any goods. But a large wholesale carpet and rug firm sent us a consignment of rugs to close out at wholesale prices. Rev. Sanders, pastor of the Baptist church, who has been ill for some time past, will lead in prayer at the meeting tonight and hopes to be able to officiate at the regular services on Sunday. Two young Keokuk men are planning to go to Quincy on Sunday if the present nice weather continues. They will make the trip in a canoe. Several like parties are scheduled for Sunday if the weather is nice. This evening at 7:30 o'clock a meeting of citizens will be held at the county court house, corner of Fifth and Concert streets for the purpose of nominating candidates for school directors to be voted for on Monday. At the mass meeting of citizens this evening at 7:30 o'clock in the county court house, candidates for school directors and treasurer will be nominated. The school election will be held Monday afternoon at the high school building. The fishing season is opened now for true. A small boy was seen yesterday afternoon making his way down the hill and in the direction of the Standard Oil tanks on the bank of the river at the foot of Bank street. He had a fishing pole and a can of worms and was out for a good catch. West Point Bee: Rev. John Davis, pastor of the M. E. church, who was injured some time ago by a fall, and was not getting along as well as might be, left Monday for Keokuk where he entered Graham hospital for treatment. His many friends hope that he may fully recover and that his stay will be of short duration. Keokuk camp of the Modern Woodmen is going to have a big blow out some time soon, when about one hundred candidates will be taken in, and a supper and social session will follow. The following supper committee has been appointed: Neighbors Ed. S. Lofton, John Well, Henry Warwick, J. W. Steiger, W. H. Metzinger, John Westrow, George Banks, O. J. Moll, Thos. Dolan, S. McCoy, Barney Conn, Wm. Hayden, Frank Wahlgren and Spencer Howe. During the week in Hancock county, Ill., the following marriage licenses were issued: Chas. Schnetz to Carrie Weber; William Hagmeier to Bertha Babcock; Fred P. Hull to Pearl M. Zimmerman; Walter Harris to Clara Ippensee; Lee Karr to Charlotte Robinson; Harry Choat to Mary R. McMechan; Edgar W. Faulkner to Helena M. Watson; Arthur L. Helton to Clara Reise; Editt Upkes to Annie Schuster; John Schumward to Barbara E. Brant; William Blair to Julia Marks; William H. Emmert to Mable M. Shankle. Ed. Woods only got thirty days in the county jail yesterday afternoon after his trial in the superior court charged with stealing a pipe wrench from H. R. Collins. The wrench was sold by Woods to a second hand man for 25 cents. He claimed that he bought the wrench five years ago in Carthage from a hardware store, but a witness was present who had lived in Carthage and who told that the man had been out of business for ten years. The wrench had Collins' name on it.

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SWEARS SHE WAS ASSAULTED

Woman Rehearses Her Experiences of Morning of February 21—Denies Rumors.

OTTUMWA, Iowa, March 5.—Maintaining that she was the victim of an assault and that the statements to the contrary are false, Mrs. Charles M. Johnson has made an affidavit in which she reviews her experiences of early Sunday morning, February 21. "I don't know what woke me. I turned over in bed and saw a shadow and I thought it was Mr. Johnston, but in an instant I saw it wasn't, and I said: 'What do you want?' He answered, saying: 'I want you,' and then I turned the cover down and jumped over on the other side of the bed. He came at me and grabbed me by the top of the head, and pulled me around to the foot of the bed and I struggled with him. I screamed, and he said: 'Scream again, scream, you, and I will brain you.' 'We knocked a chair over and a bottle and glass off the stool on the floor, and then the rug slipped and I stumbled and stepped on my foot—that's how I know he had on no shoes at the time—then when we struggled until we got out into the hall, where there was just a runner of carpet, it slipped and he put his foot on under mine and threw me down in a sitting position. I said: 'In the name of God, haven't you got a mother or sister or somebody that you wouldn't want treated this way.' He said: 'Lady, I don't want to hurt you but I want you.' 'Then he grabbed me by the throat and choked me and said: 'I will shut the breath out of you.' I did the best I could to keep him away from me and then he struck me across the head—that's how he broke my comb—and then he said: 'You, you give in to me.' He then commenced to torture me with a piece of window pole and I fainted. I don't know now long I laid there before I came to. My night gown was torn and bloody. I was bleeding, and had blood all over my hands and face."

Notice to Voters. A mass meeting of citizens of the independent school district of Keokuk will be held Friday evening, March 5, 1909, at 7:30 p. m., at the county court house for the purpose of nominating school directors and treasurer to be voted on at the annual school election to be held March 8, 1909. M. MEIGS, WM. B. WOOLEY, CHARLES OFF, Committee.

Mining Bill Fails. WASHINGTON, March 4.—The bill to establish in the department of the interior a bureau of mines failed of passage in the senate last night.

Read The Daily Gate City.

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"Lena Rivers," a dramatization of Mrs. Mary J. Holmes' well known and widely read book by Beulah Poynter, will be presented at the Grand next Tuesday, Mar. 9, matinee and night, under the direction of Burton Nixon. The production will be the same as that which was given the comedy during its metropolitan runs, and the cast will be of uncommon strength. Mrs. Holmes' book was presented to the public over fifty years ago. Its success was immediate and each succeeding generation has read the story and laughed at its peculiar comedy and cried with sympathy at its pathos. The play has been so dramatized that it adheres very closely to the story as woven by Mrs. Holmes. The play is divided into four acts—one located at Sloucmville, Mass., and the last three in the south. Much of the charm of the book lay in the cleverness with which the characters were drawn and in the atmosphere surrounding the scenes, and the adapters were careful to retain in the play all these things, which made the book such interesting reading. Miss Poynter's dramatization of "Lena Rivers" is described as being exceedingly clever.

"Three Twins" will come to the Grand opera house Wednesday, March 10th. This is the best musical comedy that has been produced in years. It has a good plot and many novel features. The music is fascinating and two-thirds of the audience, on leaving the theater are humming or whistling some of the numerous melodies which so greatly please them.

The "Three Twins" is called "the Ben Hur" of musical comedies," because it is the largest musical attraction in America. The amazon electric aerial swing is the largest scenic effect ever staged, with the exception of the chariot race in "Ben Hur." The faceograph is another one of the many electric effects that helps to make "Three Twins" the smartest of all musical attractions.

The costumes are gorgeous and include eight of the handsomest Parisian director's gowns ever brought to America.

The company is headed by Victor Morley who created the title role when the show was produced in Chicago at the Whitney, and includes Eva Fallon, Geo. Trimble, Bessie Clifford, Richard Bartlett, Maud Demarest, W. H. Woodside, Della Niven, Florenz Kolb, Frank Smith, Eddie P. Power, Ada Bateman, Norris Noskow and a large chorus.

Loss of Appetite is also loss of vitality, vigor, tone. To recover appetite and the rest take Hood's Sarsaparilla,—that strengthens the stomach, perfects digestion, makes eating a pleasure. It also makes the blood rich and pure and steadies the nerves.

New Spring Suits

Sullivan and Auwerda

CITY NEWS.

New white goods at Central. Excellent 25c coffee at Reck's. Roqueft cheese at Immebart's. Hosiery Sale tomorrow. Central. South bound K line train arrived in the city this morning on time at 8:40. The practical talk schedule for the Y. M. C. A. this evening by J. W. Nichols on the "telephone" has been postponed. Special for Saturday from 2:00 till 9:00 p. m.—Regular 50c. and 75c finely decorated Haviland & Co., Limoges and French china small salads at 27c each. Limit of one to a customer. Duncan-Schell Furniture Co. The intermediate team of Ottumwa was defeated last evening at Mt. Pleasant by the intermediates of that place by a score of 49 to 32. The Ottumwa seconds are not having the success of the Ottumwa first team according to recent scores. This evening in the parlors of the Congregational church, the Baraca class will hold a meeting and elect officers. Following this a social time will be enjoyed and a number of talks given by the members of the large class. The Baptist boys' basket ball team went to Burlington this afternoon and will play the second team of the Y. M. C. A. there this evening. The Keokuk line-up will be as follows: Auld and DeYong, forwards; Kirschner, center and Lumberg and Vandoel, guards. Richard Russell will officiate for the locals. The championship of basket ball games for the championship of the Missouri Valley conference between Kansas and Nebraska universities will commence this evening in the Rainbow Rink, Kansas City, and from reports from the Cornhuskers the result of the series may not be as one-sided as it first appeared. Dr. Clapp, coach of the Nebraska team and former physical director of the Keokuk Y. M. C. A., has been spending the last week giving the team special plays and has been working up a defense to break up the Kansas plays. Keokuk friends have every faith in Dr. Clapp's team. Edward Miller who was arrested yesterday morning after being shot by the police while trying to escape from the Litzrodt residence the evening before was feeling very sore today in the wound caused by the bullet. He was taken to the hospital and the location of the bullet ascertained by means of the X-ray machine. It now develops that he was hiding near the scene of the excitement all of the night, finding concealment in a wagon and did not go out into the country until the next morning at about 7 o'clock. He claims that he was so drunk that he does not remember of having entered the residence.

Special Hosiery Sale tomorrow. Ladies black cotton hose seamless, double sole, 15c value at 10c a pair. 3 pairs to a customer. The Central Store.

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