Sullivan's Opening Note

Dear Friends:— What more delightful than one of our openings? Really, dear friend, perhaps does anything in this section offer more charm and real pleasure than our displays? You are as welcome as words can express. You will need many visits, probably to carry away all of the new ideas we display, and you can't sufficiently acquaint yourself and your friends with our popular priced millinery.

Our $5.00 and $7.50 hats are as popular as our $20 patterns. To disappointments did I note this morning, ladies appreciated fully our beautiful hats and in many instances found them sold on their second visit, when they wished to buy.

One hat of a kind, and that correct and modest in price is responsible for their rapid sale. Easter is less than a month away. Avoid haste and choose at leisure. Get what is wanted, instead of, as often happens, what one can get with Easter imminently at hand.

You believe we know that at Sterns' you find answered with authority, all style questions you see offer, and when at less price than elsewhere, it is not surprising to note the increased sales. Bring your friends and family to see us tonight and next week and after—Our salespeople are ready to sell you your requirements quickly, satisfactorily, because you have been fully informed of what is fashionable.

Remember, too, that every few days, new hats, new trimmed hats, are sent from the wholesale plant, and our store is one continuous opening performance, as it were.

In full appreciation of your cooperation to make this grand store a style center even better than New York's shops, we thank you heartily.

Very truly,

Mr Stern

A ladies gold filled watch, Elgin works, $11.00
20 year case plain or fancy, closed style, Elgin movement. Other grades, $7.50 to $22.
LeBron's 404 Main st.

AMUSEMENTS

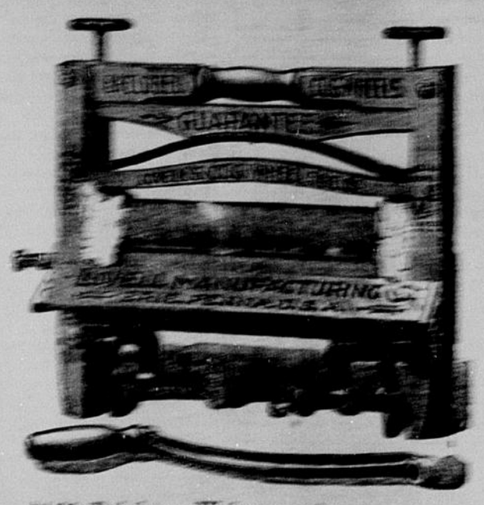
Dodge's Theatre
To Night
NEW GAMER PHONE
In singing and talking pictures:
SEE & HEAR
A Matrimonial Farce;
Stella Mayhew, Comedienne;
Saved by Love;
The Peasant Girl's Loyalty, and others.
10c ANY SEAT.
Three complete performances of one hour each, starting at 7:15. Change of program tomorrow evening.

RECITAL
Tuesday, Mar. 23
8 p. m.
Under Auspices of Y. P. S. C. E.
by
MISS RUTH GASTON
Reader
MISS OLIVE STRICKLER
Whistler
MISS LOUISE KLEIN
Vocalist
Assisted by
Mrs. Collingwood Tucker, Mr. Albert Zoellner.
Westminster Presbyterian Chapel.
TICKETS, 25c.

THE GREAT DRAMATIC ORATOR
Father L. J. VAUGHAN
Subject
"The Power of Love"
at
GRAND OPERA HOUSE
...ed., March 24
AUSPICES KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
Tickets, 50 cents. On sale at usual places.
Tickets exchangeable for reserved seats if presented at Box office, Tuesday, March 23.

—Read The Daily Gate City, 10 cents a week.

Duncan-Schell Furniture Company
March Sale Special
FOR MONDAY—7 A. M. to 6 P. M.



Regular $4.00 Brighton Wringers at $2.15
Regular $5.00 Kingston Wringers at 2.79
Regular $5.50 Domestic Wringers at 3.15
Regular $6.50 Bicycle Wringers at 3.65
Limit of one to a customer.

Spring Announcement For 1909
ALL THE NEWEST WEAVES IN WOOL DRESS GOODS FOR THE TAILORED FROCKS.
SILKS
In Cheney, Fontarris, Rajah, Salome, plain and fancy Taffetas, Messaline and Duchesses.
In TRIMMINGS, LACES, in BANDS, ALL-OVERS, in fact, everything that goes to make up a first class suit. We are also headquarters for
READY TO WEAR GARMENTS
Leave your order for a tailored suit or a one-piece dress, shirt waist, separate skirt, or light spring jacket.
Megchelsen's 422 Main
It requires ten days to deliver the dress, made to fit you, after order is given. Satisfaction guaranteed.

KNABE PIANOS
SOLD EXCLUSIVELY AT
Sheaffer & Saunders'
One Price Music House
807 MAIN C. W. CORKHILL, Mgr.

After Dark
Daily we have people ask us if eyes can be examined after dark. As a matter of fact, we use a dark room for examining eyes in daytime, as better results are obtained than in the natural light.
COME IN ANY TIME
We fit each lens to suit the defect of each eye.
RENAUD
RELIABLE OPTOMETRIST.

CITY NEWS

—Read the wants. Some good offerings every day.

—Three complete programs tonight and tomorrow night at Dodge's theater, first performance at 7:15.

—A section gang is repairing the railroad tracks above the first lock and putting switches in condition.

—Regular meeting of Keokuk lodge No. 13, I. O. O. F., Monday night, at 8 o'clock. Visiting brethren fraternally.

—Will Burrows, of East St. Louis, was in Hamilton yesterday attending the horse sale of Mr. Rider. Mr. Burrows is an extensive horse buyer. He visited in Keokuk a short time with relatives and friends.

—For the consideration of $700 Henry Conn has quit claimed to P. A. Stifler, lot 10 in block 21, the property being near the corner of Third and Palean streets.

—In the court of Justice Burrows this week, judgment by default was entered in the case of D. W. Anderson vs. Rev. Wm. D. Venerable, the suit being one for borrowed money. Judgment was entered for the full amount sued for.

—The Des Moines rapids canal will be open to navigation the first of the month. If necessary, a boat could be locked through now during the day time as steam has been gotten up. The watches however have not begun their duty and will not until the first of the month.

—Davenport Democrat: Commodore W. H. Gosch is in receipt of word from the Illinois Valley Yacht club of Peoria, stating the representatives of that club would arrive in Davenport on July 2 on their way to the Burlington regatta and suggesting that arrangements be made whereby the boat clubs of Davenport, Rock Island, Peoria, and Muscatine might make the trip down the river together. The suggested plan will be carried out by Commodore Gosch to the best of his ability.

CITY NEWS

—Read The Daily Gate City.

—Republicans should be sure and attend their ward primaries next week.

—The music pupils of Miss Iviins are preparing for a recital to be given on next Thursday.

—Republican ward committeemen are urged to call their ward caucuses if they have not already attended to such a duty.

—Do not fail to attend the recital at the Westminister Presbyterian church on next Tuesday evening, March 23rd, auspices of Y. P. S. C. E.

S. E. Barnest of Carthage, Ill., has been in the city for a few days visiting with his friend, Mr. L. E. Garvin, and attending the revival meetings at the Baptist church.

—The entertainers at the recital at the Westminister Presbyterian church next Tuesday evening will be Miss Ruth Gaston, reader; Miss Olive Strickler, whistler; Miss Louise Klein, vocalist, assisted by Mrs. Collingwood Tucker and Mr. Albert Zoelner.

UNION LABEL

CITY NEWS

—The Burlington lodge of Elks last evening, elected Ed. L. Hirsch as exalted ruler for the ensuing year.

—A. J. Riney of Gregory, Mo., states that he was not arrested and fined for being drunk in Keokuk several days ago.

—Eckland defeated Ulrich in the Y. M. C. A. pool tournament last evening by a score of 50 to 27. Ray Strickler and Eckland play this evening.

—For the consideration of $600 Charity Crawford has deeded to Mrs. Lizie Grant and Miss E. Crawford, lot 8 in block 31 of the town of Montrose.

—Mrs. Julia A. Bonnell of Fort Madison celebrated her ninety-sixth birthday anniversary yesterday. She is enjoying excellent mental and fair physical health.

—Rt. Rev. James Davis has deeded to James M. Joyce lot 7 in block 139, L. property being on the corner of Tenth and Exchange streets. The consideration is not stated in the deed filed today.

—In the district court this morning Wm. J. Gorgas waived arraignment and entered a plea of not guilty — the charge of wife desertion. He was indicted by the grand jury yesterday. The case of Essig vs. Essig was being heard today.

—The evening of Wednesday March 31 has been set for the big celebration by Keokuk camp of the Modern Woodmen. On that evening a class of over one hundred new members will be given the final degree and taken into membership. A banquet will follow, for which extensive plans have been made by a special committee.

—Lyman C. Mann was acquitted by a jury in a Chicago court Thursday of the charge of murdering Mrs. Francis Gilmore Thompson last June, the jury taking but one ballot. Mann was a traveling man for a Chicago firm and visited Keokuk last December and while here was a guest at the Hotel Keokuk. At that time he talked a great deal to guests about the hotel of his case, being under heavy bonds and required to report daily to his bondsmen in Chicago.

—In the superior court this morning three informations were filed against parents whose children are not attending school regularly. One was against Lizzie Craig in regard to her son Arthur Robinson. One is against Minnie Newingham on account of her son Theodore and the other is against Rose Wilson on account of her son Raymond. All of the boys attend school about one day per week and the parents are held responsible for their truancy.

CITY NEWS.

—Ever's Grand Leader, best 5c cigar.

—Tomorrow will be the first day of spring. Oh joy.

—Slightly used mahogany piano, upright, a bargain. Lowenstein Music House, 416 Main street.

—The will of the late Catherine Yarger was opened and filed for record this morning with the clerk of the district court.

—Tickets for Father Vaughan's lecture can be exchanged for reserved seats at the box office Tuesday morning.

—Mrs. Frank Hamilton, whose death occured in this city February 15, was buried from the vault to Oakland cemetary yesterday afternoon.

—It's a sure thing that if you buy your piano at Sheafer & Saunders one price music house, 807 Main, you get full value for every dollar invested.

—A large flock of wild geese passed over the city early this morning, headed north and being a good sign of coming warm weather.

—Best vocal and whistling solos by the best talent and readings by Miss Ruth Gaston, at the recital Tuesday evening March 23. Tickets only 25 cents.

—The Monday Music club meeting for next Monday evening has been postponed until Monday, April 5, on account of the death of Mr. Youngs' mother.

—Hear Father Vaughan, the great dramatic orator, on "The Power of Love," at Grand opera house Wednesday evening, March 24. Auspices Knights of Columbus.

Wentworth Wilson of Bonaparte, was in the city Friday looking after business matters. He contemplates making Keokuk his home, expecting to move to this city about the first of April.

—Ed. Walsmith et al have sold to D. W. Haggerty, the front 35 feet of lots 5 and 6 in block 119, the property being on the corner of Ninth and Des Moines streets. The consideration is not stated in the deed.

—One of the greatest intellectual treats of the season will be the lecture by Father Vaughan at the Grand opera house next Wednesday night. Father Vaughan is without question one of the greatest orators on the American platform.

The Laurant matinee at the Grand Saturday, March 27th, will be especially attractive and interesting to the children and a great many of them will no doubt take advantage of the opportunity of seeing Laurant's wonderful performance.

—A business man who has just returned from the east is enthusiastic over the bright outlook for a year of good business with the incoming of spring. The gentleman states that business throughout the eastern part of the country is good and the outlook is bright.

—Mrs. W. H. Wiley and two daughters who have been residing at 228 Blondeau street are storing their furniture and will leave shortly for Western Nebraska where they will reside. David Wiley who has been continuing the business of his father since the latter's death will remain in the city.

—In going over the bowling score sheets of the game between the Seal Skins and Drexels it was found that an error was made in addition which was in favor of the Drexel team by 20 pins. With this mistake corrected the game would go to the Seal Skins by 11 pins and the secretary will credit them with such in his book. This also makes the St. Peter's team the undisputed holders of fourth place.

—Nauvoo Independent: It is predicted that the peach crop will be short in these parts this year, as the buds have been ruined by the ice and sleet during the winter. E. J. Baxter informs us that the fruit buds are black and will not be productive. Believing that there will be but few, if any, peaches, he has "cut his trees back" so that they will get a new growth. It is said that the apples and pears are in good condition and that unless a heavy frost nips the buds when they begin to open there will be a good crop.

WATER WORKS NOTICE.

The Water Company is going to make a change in their pipe line Sunday p. m.

Consumers will prepare themselves for a three hours shut-off, beginning at 1 p. m.

WM. SCHOEL, Supt.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

I will be a candidate for the office of city marshal subject to the action of the democratic convention.

JOHN M. KENNEY,
City Marshal.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

I wish to announce myself a candidate for city marshal on the Republican ticket subject to the decision of the city convention.

HARRY MALONE.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

I wish to announce myself a candidate for city marshal on the Republican ticket subject to the decision of the city convention.

HENRY KESSELRING.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

I announce myself a candidate for the office of City Marshal subject to the action of the democratic city convention.

JERRY HARRINGTON.

New Spring Suits

Sullivan and Auwerda

OUR SUIT department is rapidly filling with beautiful new models in women's and misses' suits in all the newest shades—made of serge, broadcloth, satin cloths and fancy suitings. All special values when workmanship, style and quality are considered.

Beautiful line of Women's and Misses' Jackets. Very swell assortment of long coats for spring. New line of Rain Coats. Come in and look through our suit department. You will be welcome whether wishing to buy or not.

Iowa State Insurance Company
Oldest Company in the State — Keokuk Iowa — Incorporated in 1855
Insurance written since organization $229,563,567.47
H. R. COLLISSON, City Agent

A WORD TO HOUSEWIVES:
If you want to be sure of having
GOOD, CLEAN, SWEET BREAD
Ask your Grocer for
GRACE MILLS
or
Aa-Aa-1 Patent
Made from carefully selected virgin wheat, every grain of which is
Thoroughly Cleaned and Scoured
EVERY SACK ABSOLUTELY GUARANTEED

After all it's a question of quality
We have the quality, and a steadily growing business is the best indication that OUR PRICES MUST BE RIGHT.
RENAUD
Reliable Jeweler and Optometrist

Something very fine
Our
Mocha Cups
Have you tried them? If not, order today.
Owing to the great demand for these Mocha Cups we have increased our supply.
Schouten's Bakery
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COAL
DO IT NOW.
Springfield Lump
Lehigh Valley Hard Coal
JAMES CAMERON & SONS
Both Phones, 96. Office, 17 South Seventh Street.

CITY NEWS.

—Miss Mary Jackson will be the speaker at the Y. M. C. A. meeting tomorrow afternoon, meeting commences at 3:30.

—The Elks of Fort Madison elected C. S. Pratt as exalted ruler on Thursday evening. He had been secretary of the lodge for a number of years.

—For the consideration of $175.35 John P. Hornish as referee has sold to Della May Kendall, lot 8 in block 30 of Montrose.

NOTICE.

On March 23rd, 1909, the undersigned will sell the personal property belonging to Wm. Bartuff estate, consisting of furniture, household goods, etc., at 1624 Park street, Keokuk, Iowa. Sale at 2 o'clock p. m. Public invited.

JAMES CAMERON,
Guardian.

CITY NEWS.

—Tickets are only 25 cents for the grand recital to be given at the Westminister Presbyterian church next Tuesday evening. Secure tickets.

—Wyaconda News: "Uncle Billie" Smith died at his home near Monticello, yesterday at the age of 87 years. The funeral will take place in Monticello to-morrow. Deceased was one of the oldest men in Lewis county. He was an uncle of Syd and Bush Smith of near Williamstown.

Buy PAINT at Wilkinson & Co.
KEOKUK'S BIGGEST DRUG STORE
422 Main Street