



This Week's Social Calendar.
 Monday—Dancing school and assembly, Hawkes' hall.
 Tuesday—Mrs. Rudolph Lange, card party.
 Mr. and Mrs. Harrie Collins, card company of Mr. and Mrs. McClary Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings.
 Wednesday—Afternoon reception for Mrs. McClary at Mrs. Harrie Collins'.
 Gossip club with Mrs. Harry Phillips.
 Wednesday—A. H. T. A. dance at Hawkes' hall.
 Thursday—Afternoon card company for Mrs. McClary, at Mrs. Collins'.
 Woodman dance—Gibbons' hall.
 Friday—Hamilton dancing party, Messrs. Dadant and Pence.

Reception for Mrs. McCrary.
 About one hundred and fifty ladies were guests of Mrs. L. A. Hamill at a charming afternoon reception given at her residence, 704 Franklin street, on Saturday afternoon, as a social courtesy for her house guest, Mrs. A. J. McCrary, of Binghamton, N. Y. The hostess was assisted in the reception of her guests by Mrs. McCrary, the honoree of the afternoon's function, which marks one of the beautifully appointed affairs of the mid-winter, entertaining season.
 The color scheme, used in an artistic and beautiful manner in the reception and drawing rooms of the pretty residence, were white and green, white carnations with a harmonious bending throughout of greenery gave the various appointments an added charm and grace.
 In the parlors, Mrs. Hamill was assisted by the following ladies in bestowing social attention upon the many guests of the afternoon: Mesdames Paul Dysart, Charles Pond, Ira Willis, Theodore Craig, D. B. Hamill, R. G. Horne, M. H. Carey and Miss Parsons. Misses Hamill, Rubidge and Board were in charge of the punch bowl.

In Honor of Mrs. Eckhart.
 Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schenk entertained about a dozen couples of their lady and gentleman friends at their residence, at Fifteenth and Exchange streets, on Friday evening, at a pretty card company. Mrs. A. H. Eckhart, of St. Paul, Minn., was the honoree of the very enjoyable affair. The guests of the evening engaged in an animated contest of progressive high-five, the winners of which at the end of the scoring being Mrs. W. W. Witter, who won first prize souvenir; Mrs. Emma Schenk, second favor, and Charles Schultz, the booby prize. Following the cards an elegant course luncheon was served the guests, which proved enjoyable among the other pleasures of the evening.

Music Clubs Exchange.
 A Burlington paper has to say of the Monday music club exchange with the Burlington musical club on tomorrow evening, when Mr. R. C. Hufstader of this city and William Lester of the Chicago college of music and Keokuk boy, will go to the upriver city for an evening of entertainment while a duo of Burlington entertainers will come here for a performance.
 The regular bi-monthly recital of the Burlington Musical club will take place Monday afternoon at the Congregational church. The management has arranged a reciprocity program which promises a rare treat for the patrons of the club. Two members of the Keokuk Musical club are to be the out-of-town guests and attraction on the program. The club which is modeled after Burlington's Musical club, being organized at a much later date, has offered to exchange musical talent of the active members of the organization on regular recital days. The Keokuk club has a talented young organist, a protégé of Miss Carey, who was a former pupil of Miss Frances Wynan of this city. Mr. Lester, a young man who has just attained his 20th birthday. He comes highly recommended as an artist of ability and an exceptional genius and his progress under Middleschulte in Chicago has been highly spoken of. Mr. Lester is assistant manager of the Phil Borowski on the Record-Herald, and a brilliant career is predicted for the young musician. Mr. Hufstader of Keokuk, formerly of Syracuse, N. Y., who appears on the program, comes to us with a flattering recommendation, and is part of the creme a la creme of Keokuk's best talent. Two of the Burlington Musical club's talented

young musicians have been selected and invited to play before the Keokuk club at a later date. Miss Klein, pianist, and Miss Clough, violinist. The program for Monday follows: Mr. William Lester, organist, Keokuk, (Pupil of Middleschulte, Chicago). Mr. Robert Carey Hufstader, Tenor, Keokuk.
 1. (a) Fantasia in A Minor J. S. Bach (b) Prelude and Fuge, C. Minor (c) Sonata, F Minor J. S. Bach
 2. Allegro Maestoso.
 3. Adagio Recitativo.
 4. Allegro con fuoco.
 Mr. Lester.
 2. (a) "I'm Wearin' Airs" Foots (b) Kerry Dance Old Ballad (c) Pastoral Mr. Hufstader.
 3. (a) Prelude Dubois (b) Pastorale Lemare (c) Berceuse Bibb Mr. Lester.
 4. "How Long, O Lord!" (from "Trumph of David) Dudley Buck Mr. Hufstader.
 5. (a) Rhapsodie Saint Saens (b) Symphonie Phantasy (c) Toccata Max Reger Mr. Lester.
 Accompanist, Mr. Lester.

Musical Recital Brilliant Affair.
 About one hundred Keokuk ladies and gentlemen, composed the pretty company of representative music lovers and friends of the performers, who gathered at St. John's Episcopal church last evening, at the invitation of the pupils of Mrs. Minnie E. Bence, to hear the brilliant recital given by them. Last evening's musical can be said to have been distinctly the artistic event of the winter in that line.
 The recital had the special feature of originality of arrangement, the program having been prepared by the pupils and their instructor and presented to the highly appreciative audience in lucid and connected form that added grace and beauty to the performance of the best of artists.
 The work of Mrs. Bence's pupils on last evening, reflects much credit on their instructor and much could be said of the faultless rendition of each and every number of the well prepared program, which proved delightful for the music lovers who were favored with invitations.

Following is the program which was rendered by the pupils of Mrs. Bence:
 Merry Merry Are We (Combs) Edith Russell, Elma Westgate Johnson
 The Haunt of the W... (Cassard) Thou Art So Fair, So... (Macy) Helene Koechling.
 Gondolier (Helmund) Jessie Banks, Howard Wood.
 The Call of Spring (Daniels) Lass With the Delicate Air (Arne) Oh, Love For a Day (Beach) Louise Klein.
 I Love You Truly (Bond) Irish Love Song (Lange) Elizabeth Board.
 Oh, That We Two Were Maying (Nevin) Mrs. Tucker, Elma Westgate Johnson.
 I Think (Hardlot) Chrysanthemums (McDonald) Song of the Spring (Fielitz) Edyth Russell.
 Sunset (Watson) Helene Koechling, Elizabeth Board Lenz (Henslet) The Wind (Spross) Song of Dawn (Allitsen) Mrs. Collingwood Tucker.
 Sweet Zephyr (Mozart) Louise Klein, Jessie Banks.
 Trost (Fielitz) Black-Eyed Susan (Snider) A Bowl of Roses (Clarke) Parla (Arditi) Elma Westgate Johnson.

Royal Neighbor Banquet.
 Following their installation of officers on Friday evening, by installing Officers Mrs. Ora Dorian and Miss Kate Muff, Eureka camp, R. N. A., sat down to a fine supper, indicative of the capability of the ladies of the order in preparing fine menus. The large dining room was the scene of a merry group of member-banqueters, who did ample justice to the excellent spread which had been prepared for them by the twelve committee ladies. Those in charge of the supper and serving were Mrs. George Myers, chairman, assisted by Mesdames McCaffrey, Dolan, Musser, Reid, Brumbach, Klefker, Athey, Banks, Mott, Garrison and Miss Laura Ulrich.
 The menu consisted of the following good things:
 Escalloped Oysters
 Potato Salad Salmon Salad
 Coffee Pickles Sandwiches
 Delmonico Ice Cream Assorted Cakes
 Following the banquet a short impromptu program was enjoyed, Miss Mabel Myers furnishing several per-

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FAMOUS BEAUTIES NEVER GET FAT

Womankind wonders why famous beauties grow old, but do not grow fat. They live at silken ease, amid the porcelain baths, the wine, that puffs out obscure mortals, flows not illiberally down their alabaster throats. Yet their life-long loaf does not thicken their limbs nor double their chins. What is the secret of the long-lived gracefulness of the haught?

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ty selections on the piano and Miss Alma Bierman and Mr. Frank Hoffman playing a number of piano and violin duets.
 Those installed on Friday evening to hold office during the coming year were:
 Past Oracle—Mrs. O. D. McMains. Oracle—Mrs. George Myers. Vice Oracle—Mrs. George Banks. Recorder—Mrs. J. W. Steiker. Receiver—Mrs. J. C. Wustrow. Chancellor—Miss Cecl Harrington. Marshal—Mrs. Kate Garrison. Inner Sentinel—Mrs. Rudolph Lange.
 Outer Sentinel—Mrs. Anna Johnson. Manager (for three years)—Mrs. Gertrude Baur.
 Camp Physicians—Mrs. C. A. Jenkins, H. L. Courtwright and Roseberry.

Miss Collier Gave Luncheon.
 Miss Pearl A. Collier entertained a small company of friends at a prettily appointed luncheon at her residence, 315 Morgan street, at 1 o'clock on Saturday afternoon. Miss Vandegrift, of Kansas City, was the honoree of this one of the week's pretty social affairs. Covers were laid for twelve and an elegant course luncheon was served.

Gossips with Mrs. Phillips.
 Mrs. Harry M. Phillips will entertain the Gossip club at her residence, 713 Orleans street, on Wednesday afternoon.

Troubadors to Come.
 The Woodmen, Royal Neighbors and their friends are looking forward with much pleasure to the date, Wednesday, January 26, when the Troubadour Concert company will come here for an evening of entertainment. This same famous musical organization appeared here last year and will be well remembered by the many who heard them then. The concert will begin at 8 o'clock and will continue until 10, when dancing will be commenced and continue until 2 o'clock. With the company of musical artists is Miss Larkness, a reader of unusual ability.

Mrs. Lange will Entertain.
 Mrs. Rudolph Lange will entertain the Happy Circle card club at her residence, 209 Bank street, on Tuesday evening.

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 Their Store a Large Addition to Keokuk's Growing Wholesale Trade.
 Price Bros. have added to their painting and wall paper business the wholesaling and retailing of wall paper, paints, varnishes, glass, brushes, etc. They will have traveling men on the road throughout the entire year and have large warehouses at Chicago. The basement and two upper stories of our Keokuk store filled with the best materials that money can purchase. Both members of this firm have had long experience in the paint and wall paper trade and the citizens of Keokuk can rest assured that anything carried by them will be first class in every respect and the prices will be as low as goods can be purchased anywhere. They will continue to take contract painting and papering. Store 324 Main street.

"CAMILLE" IS A GREAT PICTURE
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January Clearance Sale

Sale continues all next week—Every item of winter goods must be sold—Prices cut deep for quick clearance—It will take quick action to get some of the bargains as the quantity is limited.

MEN'S AND BOY'S UNDERWEAR
 Men's \$3.00 Union Suits now \$2.25
 Men's \$2.25 union suits now \$1.69
 Men's \$1.00 union suits now 79c
 Men's \$1.00 wool shirts and drawers each 79c
 Men's 50c heavy fleece lined shirts and drawers, each 38c
 Boy's 50c fleece lined shirts and drawers, each 19c

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 No need to be short of bed clothing when you can buy at our prices
 \$1.98 grade now \$1.39
 \$1.75 grade now \$1.29
 \$1.50 grade now \$1.19
 \$1.25 grade now 98c

HOSIERY.
 Women's 50c fine black cashmere hose, now 35c
 Women's and children's 25c wool hose, now 19c
 Children's 30c heavy wool hose, now 21c
 Men's 50c wool sock, now 35c
 Men's 25c wool sock, now 19c

OVERSHOE BARGAINS.
 Men's first quality rubbers, with felts, per pair \$2.25
 Men's \$2.00 buckle arctics \$1.59
 Men's \$1.50 buckle arctics \$1.23
 Boy's \$1.25 buckle arctics 98c
 Boy's \$1.00 buckle arctics 75c
 Girl's 85c buckle arctics 71c
 Child's 75c buckle arctics 59c
 Men's cloth top \$1.25 Alaskas 98c
 Women's cloth top \$1 Alaskas 79c
 Misses cloth top 75c Alaskas 59c
 Child's cloth top 60c Alaskas 43c

DRY GOODS SPECIALS
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 Heavy brown crash, part linen, per yard 6½c
 Heavy twill comfort material, per yard 6½c
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 \$5.48 wool blankets now \$4.39
 \$5.00 wool blankets now \$3.89
 \$2.25 cotton blankets now \$1.69
 \$2.00 cotton blankets now \$1.48
 \$1.00 cotton blankets, now 75c
 \$1.48 white cotton blankets, slightly soiled, now 98c
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 Women's \$2.50 and \$2.25 fine union suits, now \$1.68
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 Women's \$1.00 union suits, now 83c
 Women's and Children's 50c union suits now 38c
 Children's union suits, now 19c
 Women's \$1.00 fine wool vests and pants, each 79c
 Women's 50c fleece lined vests and pants, each 38c
 Women's 25c fleece lined vests and pants, each 19c

MEN'S OUTING FLANNEL NIGHT SHIRTS.
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 75c values 63c
 50c values 43c

MEN'S AND BOY'S CAPS.
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 75c caps now 48c
 50c caps now 35c

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 Men's \$3.50 shoes, all leathers \$2.69
 Men's \$3.00 shoes, all leathers \$2.39
 Women's \$4.00 shoes, all leathers \$2.89
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A BUSY TERM BROUGHT TO END
 Judge H. Bank Jr. and Reporter Smith busily engaged Saturday Morning and Close Things Up.

TWO DEATHS DEEPLY MOURNED
 News Reached City Saturday of Death of Charles Larson and Also of Death of Mrs. J. D. Shields.

MANY LEGAL CASES ABOUT THEM BOTH
 But There Were Few Jury Trials, and Small Number of Criminal Cases—His Late Decision.

Charles Larson Died in Moline at Age of Twenty-Six Years—Mrs. Shields Died in Chicago.

Judge H. Bank Jr. and court reporter C. J. Smith were busily engaged all day Friday and Saturday morning closing up their work of the November term of the district court, which has been quite a busy one. Court during the past term has been occupied with legal cases rather than jury trials, the latter ones having been cleaned up some time ago. Criminal matters also were light, the grand jury having quite a long and busy session but few true bills being found. Before closing court Judge Bank made decisions in several cases which were pending.

Word was received in the city yesterday of the death of Charles Larson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Larson, who died yesterday morning at his home in Moline. The sad intelligence was contained in a telegram received by a friend of the young man, who is thus taken away from his parents, wife and brother. Death was caused by consumption, and he was but twenty six years of age.
 Charles Larson left Keokuk about five years ago, going to Moline. He is very well remembered by his hundreds of friends in Keokuk, who speak in the highest terms of him. While here he was employed as a turner at Ackerson-Ringstorm's factory. He was a member of the Swedish Aid society and the Mutual Protective league. He was married but had no children. From this city Victor Peterson, an intimate friend, will go to attend the funeral.

True Proverb.
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Sad Blow for Former Keokukian.
 Sad news reached the city yesterday in the form of a word that John D. Shields, formerly of this city, but now living near Chicago, has lost his wife, a former St. Joseph Mo. girl. Mr. Shields is auditor of freights for the C. B. & Q. railroad, and has been living near Chicago but a short time. The loss of his beloved wife is the first thing that has checked his very successful and prosperous career since leaving Keokuk and his many friends in this city extend their sympathy.
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