

PROGRAM

Keokuk's Big Air Dome TONIGHT

REFINED VAUDEVILLE. JUVENILE BALFOUR TRIO SINGING AND DANCING ACT

HARRY FETTERER NOVELTY VENTRILOQUIST Carrying Special Scenery and Motion Pictures. A Great Act.

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Franks of Lightning. Lightning has struck, plucked feathers from and insides out of chickens and, better than some cooks, roasted them to a proper turn for the table. It has roasted apples on the tree and corn on the stalk, and has struck goober and potato vines and cooked the goobers and tubers in the very ground.

CITY NEWS.

Sherwood repairs harness. Air Dome amusement place. Elberta peaches for canning at DeJongs. Harvey G. Hull sings at the Air Dome every night. Fly nets and harness at reduced prices at Sherwood's.

Mortgage sale, pianos and musical goods now going on, 607 Main. See the Juvenile Balfour trio singing and dancing children at the big Air Dome tonight.

Great piano bargains at mortgage sale, 607 Main street. The R. Crandall stock. Special Wednesday, half soles and heels, men's, 90c; ladies', 60c, sewed work, Karle's, 814 Main.

Harry Retterer, ventriloquist, carrying his own special scenery and moving pictures at the big Air Dome tonight.

The board of directors of the Y. M. C. A. will meet at the association building this evening. A supper will be served.

Jesse Hayden has accepted the position of flagman at the Johnson street crossing of the railway tracks on the levee.

Sheaffer & Saunders are closing out the E. R. Crandall stock of pianos and musical goods at mortgage sale, 607 Main street.

Big night tonight at the big Air Dome.

Pianos and all musical goods sold regardless of cost. Mortgage sale, 607 Main. Come in.

Lovers of fine music can get the beautiful imitation piano solo, Winding Stream, for 15c per copy at Mrs. Laura H. Robinson's, 106 South Tenth street.

George Radasch has accepted the position of shipping clerk for the American Rice Packing company, and will have charge of that department in the future.

E. A. Abbott, who has been head of the advertising department of the Q for a number of years, has resigned to accept a position with Pool Bros. Printing company of Chicago.

Roy Wolf, who is in Detroit as the representative of No. 106 to the Elks' convention, writes friends that he is enjoying himself and Detroit is exerting itself to show the Elks a good time.

Two large crowds attended the big Air Dome again last night. The best acts of the season are on. See the Balfour children in singing and dancing act and Harry Fetterer, ventriloquist, tonight.

Attorney W. J. Roberts, who is on his ranch at Worland, Wyo., writes that the particular section he is in is developing rapidly and will in a few years become a wonderfully productive country.

Mr. Thompson, Q switchman of 119 Main street, had the misfortune to cut his forefinger on the right hand last Saturday so bad that amputation of the finger may be necessary. The accident will keep Mr. Thompson from his work for some time.

Visit the Air Dome tonight. Edward Walsmith sent the fire department a box of cigars last evening and the lads in blue enjoyed an score of men who had gathered at the after-supper smoker. Mr. Walsmith's barn was badly damaged by fire last Saturday morning, but valiant efforts put forth by the fire department saved his house and other property from catching fire.

Unable to check the flow of blood from the nose, Fred H. Meyer, the four-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Meyer of Chicago, passed away last evening at the home of Henry Meyer, five miles south of Burlington, on the Madison road. The family was spending the summer vacation period at the home of Mrs. Meyer's brother, Henry Meyer. A few days ago the young child began bleeding from the nose and the medical experts were unable to save the child's life. The funeral will be held from the Meyer residence tomorrow afternoon.

New pictures at the Air Dome tonight. A little excitement was raised this morning at Third and Johnson streets by a team of horses attached to the Warsaw transfer wagon. The driver left the team, to enter the offices of the Hulskamp factory and when he returned the team had started up Johnson street at a brisk trot. The team made a quick turn at Third street and the wagon, which was loaded to the top of the cover with cases of shoes, went over on its side and was dragged to the middle of the block before the driver could catch and stop the team. No damage beyond the wetting of a case of shoes that lit in the gutter was sustained, and the wagon was soon righted by a accident.

Women Ahead. As women, we should not quarrel with our horizon, nor should we shrewishly arraign poor man because he has civilized us at his expense. We must realize simply that emotionally we are centuries ahead of him, and that we shall have to wait patiently moderate our steps to his just as we do when we take the baby out for an airing.—Woman's Life.

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422 MAIN ST. WILKINSON'S KEOKUK'S BIGGEST, BUSIEST & BEST DRUG STORE

FAMILY BOWED IN DEEP GRIEF

Mrs. Fred A. Wedler Passed Away Last Night at Her Home 913 Leighton Ave. After Short Illness.

DEATH COMES SUDDENLY

Deceased Was Born in Leavenworth, Kans. and Had Been Resident Here With Family Seven Years.

The husband and family are stricken with deepest grief and friends are shocked today through the announcement of the death of Mrs. Fred A. Wedler whose passing took place last evening at her residence, 913 Leighton Avenue. Suffering the most intense pain for only a few hours and but few knowing of this beloved woman's serious illness, her death is extremely sad and to those on whom has fallen more than their allotment of sorrowing, the sympathy of all is extended.

Mrs. Wedler was taken ill with acute stomach trouble a week ago today. Her condition became rapidly worse and although everything was done for her that loving hands could and it was thought that she would recover, it became apparent to those attending her last evening that she could not long survive. Inflammation of the bowels and a complication of other stomach ailments hastened her passing and death resulted at 10:30 last evening.

Was Born at Leavenworth. Anna Matilda Schiermeyer first came into this world on the seventh day of May, at Leavenworth, Kansas. There she obtained her early education and was reared to young womanhood. It was in her mother's old home at Leavenworth on the 26th of June 1890 she became the wife of Fred A. Wedler, today one of Keokuk's foremost merchants, who is heart-broken over her death.

In 1895 Mr. and Mrs. Wedler moved to Savannah, Mo., where Mr. Wedler was engaged in business until 1902, and on the first of September that year came to Keokuk where they had since resided with their children.

Her Life a Faithful One. With a sweet trust in all with whom she came in contact, a faithful member of the Westminster Presbyterian church, the life of the deceased was a beautiful and exemplary one. Surrounded by her happy family and possessed with every loveliness in an unusually attractive home, the death of this good woman comes in the prime of her well lived life.

The decedent was a member of the Colfax Lodge No. 4 of Rebekahs this city and took more than ordinary interest in this society and in her church work. On July Fourth, a little over a week ago it was her great pleasure with the members of her family and friends to enjoy a long auto drive and at that time she was in the best of health.

Relatives Surviving. The bereaved relatives who are mourning the death of Mrs. Wedler are her husband and two children, daughter Florence and son, Fred Jr. Three brothers and one sister also survive Mrs. Jno. T. Glass of Forest City, Mo., the sister and Charles Schiermeyer of Willow Springs, Cal., Chris Schiermeyer of Los Angeles, Cal., and Theodore Schiermeyer of Old Mexico.

Arrangements for the funeral are incomplete but obsequies will be held likely on Thursday afternoon and will be in charge of Rev. E. B. Newcomb of the Westminster Presbyterian church.

Mrs. Bertha Ristow, a sister of F. A. Wedler will arrive today or tomorrow from Leavenworth and the other relatives have been notified of Mrs. Wedler's demise.

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Big reduction in buggies at Sherwood's. Unitarian lawn fete at residence of Mrs. Elder, 3 Park place, Wednesday evening, at 8. Refreshments. Music by Miss Brinkman and Mr. Hassall. All cordially invited.

Regular meeting Morning Star Lodge No. 5, Knights of Pythias tonight at 7:30 o'clock at Castle hall, Fifth and Blondeau. Visiting Knights invited.

The Methodist Sunday School will hold their annual picnic at Wild Cat Springs tomorrow. The picnic has been postponed to allow the church's pastor, Rev. J. W. Potter, who has been touring Europe, to be in attendance. About five hundred of the members of the church and their friends will spend the day across the river.

Local railroad officials have received official notification that John T. Bowe, formerly with the Colorado & Southern has been appointed general agent of the D. & R. G. and the Western Pacific, with headquarters in Chicago. He succeeds K. C. Michael, who has been transferred to New York city. Mr. Bowe has made Keokuk many times soliciting business for his road and is quite well and favorably known in local railroad circles.

PEACHES Two cars arrived this morning. Quality very fine and price reasonable. The season for Texas Elbertas only lasts about ten days. Those wanting to put them up should get busy.

PERSONALS. Quincy Whig: Miss Pearl Eads of Keokuk, spent yesterday in the city as the guest of friends on South Third street.

W. H. Lee of Columbus Junction was in the city yesterday.

Miss Tressa Green left last evening for New York City where she will make her future home.

A. L. Smith of Keosauqua was a Keokuk caller last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Corlich of Moulton were in the city yesterday.

Dr. and Mrs. Maehen returned home this morning from St. Louis.

L. B. Downing and C. W. Haywood of St. Francisville were in the city last evening.

Mrs. C. H. Volt of Mallard, Ia., visited with friends in the city yesterday.

Miss Daisie Garrett returned to her home in New Boston this morning, after a visit in this city at the home of Mrs. Walter Riggins.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Hesbacher and daughter Dorothy returned to their home in Des Moines today, after visiting with relatives and friends in Keokuk for the past two weeks.

Chas. O. Long of Ft. Madison was a Keokuk caller yesterday.

A. S. Myers, W. E. Glover and John T. Brann of Memphis were in the city last evening.

A. G. Murdock of Milton was a Keokuk business caller yesterday.

J. W. Shibley of Gorin was in the city yesterday.

Ben Wirke and Joe Being were Keokuk callers from Ft. Madison last evening.

J. W. Carson of Farmington was in the city yesterday.

H. C. Merritt of Bushnell was a Keokuk caller yesterday, making the trip in an auto.

Al. Waugh returned last evening from a business trip to Burlington.

P. V. Bear has returned from an extended trip through Missouri and Kansas.

G. T. Loney of Bushnell was a Keokuk caller yesterday.

Iowa Railroad Taxation. DES MOINES, July 12.—In connection with the fixing of the value of the Iowa railroads by the executive council for the purpose of taxation, the district secured by the council shows that the six railroads which run across the state have 8,438 of the total 9,794 miles of track, did 83 per cent of the railroad business and paid 82 per cent of the mileage tax. The roads' increase in operating expenses in Iowa for the previous year was \$5,500,000. The only road to increase its net earnings was the Rock Island, while the gross receipts of the road increased last year nearly \$4,500,000, or nearly two million less on this basis. The road will ask for a reduction in taxes.

Suffered Snake Bite. IOWA CITY, July 12.—William Lorkack, manager of the New England Jewelry company, was bitten in the face by a water moccasin when he dived into the Iowa river. Contrary to the belief of the snake experts, the snake leaped from the water when the jeweler arose and pressed its tongue into his face. The bite was quickly followed by poisoning and the face is discolored, swollen and otherwise affected.

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Sullivan & Auwerda Special Display Of White Lingerie Dresses We have received a very exclusive line of white lingerie dresses ranging in price from \$4.00 to \$25.00. Now on sale. Wash Suits and Skirts In the suit department we are showing a very extensive line of linen and Ramie Suits, Wash Skirts and house dresses. Our sale on wool suits and coats will continue until all are sold. Sullivan & Auwerda

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How Are You Fixed For Lightning and Windstorm Insurance This is the stormy season—the elements are uncertain. A policy in the Standard secures immunity from loss; and it is good policy to patronize such a growing, bustling home institution as the Standard Fire Insurance Co. of Keokuk Henry Strickler, vice president; F. C. Overton, president; W. J. Steckel, treasurer; N. A. King, secretary; L. W. Klein, city solicitor.

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