

BIG TAR KETTLE SLOW IN ARRIVING

Three Hundred Gallon Capacity Tank Ordered Six Weeks Ago, Not Yet Shipped and is Sorely Needed.

ROAD WORK PROGRESSES

Tenth Street Which Has Been Brought to Grade From Leighton to Grand, Ready for Tar and Screenings.

Six weeks ago, Commissioner of Public Safety T. P. Gray, ordered two tar kettles from the Iroquois Iron works at Rochester, N. Y. One of these tar carriers has a capacity of a hundred gallons and the other one holds three hundred gallons. The smaller carrier was sent at once by the iron works. A month and a half has passed and the larger kettle which is much needed for a great amount of road work being done by the city just now, has not yet been shipped. A request to immediately ship the large tar distributor will be sent at once so that the streets in need of tar treatment can be attended to before the colder weather of the fall, usually accompanied by rains, sets in. Tenth street from Leighton Avenue to Grand Avenue has been completed so far as the grading is concerned and as soon as the 300 gallon tar kettle arrives, the six inch layer of rock will be put over the surface of the dirt road, screenings rolled in, the tar surfaced over this and another coat of screenings and the street which is newly opened up will be complete. The small tar kettle which was sent immediately after the order was placed with the eastern iron works, is being used for small jobs—patch work and wherever no great amount of tar is needed.

Pleased With Tar Roads. That the tar roads which have proved to be an innovation in road building here during the past several seasons, are successful, is certain. The streets are serviceable, being hardened with the application of rock and tar, comingling and are as nearly dust proof as asphalt.

A Reliable Medicine—NOT A NARCOTIC.

Mrs. F. Marti, St. Joe, Mich., says Foley's Honey and Tar saved her little boy's life. She writes: "Our little boy contracted a severe bronchial trouble and as the doctor's medicine did not cure him, I gave him Foley's Honey and Tar in which I have great faith. It cured the cough as well as the choking and gagging spells, and he got well in a short time. Foley's Honey and Tar has many times saved us much trouble and we are never without it in the house." Wilkinson & Company.

NEW TYPE OF CAR COMING

Burlington Road is Showing Innovation in Refrigerator Cars, Which Can be Chilled or Heated.

The Burlington road has a new type of refrigerator cars, the invention of T. H. Garland, who is general agent of refrigerator service for the big system. One of the cars that is being used for demonstrating is to be taken over the lines to show the improvements which are expected to work radical changes in this branch of the service. In this car a series of pipes are used to take care of the waste water from the ice.

As this water still retains its low temperature for a long time, it is utilized in the cooling process, instead of being allowed to drip from the cars as in the cars now in use. It is said the car can be run for days with only one icing, thus resulting in an immense saving.

The pipes run through the walls of the car in a style similar to heating pipes, and in extremely cold weather, when there is danger of freezing of perishable goods in the car, a small heater may be installed with little trouble, and warm water circulated through the pipes, this being a considerable improvement over the present method of heating refrigerator cars in winter.

TIZ-For Tender Feet



A new, scientific medical toilet tablet which **Draws Out All Inflammation and Soreness**. This remarkable foot bath remedy is Superior to Powder, Plaster or Salve and is guaranteed to cure Corns, Callouses, Bunions, Frostbites, Chilblains, Ingrowing Nails, Tired, Aching, Swollen, Nervous, Sweaty, Bad Smelling Feet. **Smaller Shoes Can Be Worn by using TIZ,** because it puts and keeps the feet in perfect condition. TIZ is for sale at all druggists, 25 cents per box, or direct if you wish from Walter Luther Dodge & Co., Chicago, Ill.



The first attraction of the season at the Keokuk opera house under the management of Chamberlain-Harrington-Keat of Davenport. An event of much interest to amusement seekers and the public in general is the forthcoming engagement of the dramatization of Mrs. E. D. E. N. Southworth's widely read story, "Ishmael." The engagement is for Tuesday, Sept. 6, at the Keokuk opera house.

Miss Grace Hayward, the dramatist, of "Graustark" and "St. Elmo" has added to her already great reputation as a dramatist by the furor "Ishmael" is creating. The demand for the play is unprecedented, but the management has wisely refrained from sending out five or six companies but has concentrated its efforts on making the production that will appear at Keokuk a fitting tribute to the merits of the play. Consequently Keokuk theatre goers will be complimented by having the original cast and production.

"Ishmael" is said to be strong in conception, dramatic in execution and vitally interesting throughout. It tells a story of a young man's rise from the deepest obscurity to everlasting, enduring fame and of the eternal struggle between men for the possession of a woman. Dark passion and pure sentiment are set in opposition and the characters run the full gamut of human emotions. The play is big, thrilling, vital and interestingly human. The men and women of the play are not of the familiar stage type, there is nothing hackneyed nor are the scenes of a mechanical order, but it is a story that goes straight to the heart and finds a response in all true men and women.

The House of a Thousand Candles. To those who have never read the novel "The House of a Thousand Candles" which in dramatic form will appear at the Keokuk opera house next Thursday, the following synopsis will prove of especial interest.

The story is a tale of love and mystery enacted in the shadow of a great mansion of mystery on the shores of an Indiana lake. From this house Old John Glenarm secretly departs, leaving the impression that he is dead that he may the better learn what sort of men are Pickering, the executor of his estate, and John Glenarm, his grandson and possibly the heir, and if the thing be possible to bring about a marriage between the young man and Marion Devereux, the alternate heir.

He confides his plan to Bates, the butler and serving man, who is "too good a servant to be one," and pledges Bates to secrecy. Things might have gone on smoothly enough had it not been that old Glenarm left behind him a strange and unusual clauses and provisions therein as whimsical as the old man's fancy and as executor of it, a certain Pickering. Upon the testament turns the story. Pickering and Glenarm both conclude that a hidden treasure lies concealed in some mysterious passage of the mysterious mansion, and both institute search. Glenarm, however, falls in love

Delicately Formed

and gently reared, women will find in all the seasons of their lives, as maidens, wives and mothers, that the one simple, wholesome laxative remedy, which acts gently and pleasantly and naturally and which may be taken at any time, when the system needs a laxative, with perfect safety and really beneficial effects, is Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna. It has that true delicacy of flavor which is so refreshing to the taste, that warming and grateful toning to the stomach which responds so favorably to its action and the laxative effect which is so beneficial to the system when, occasionally, its gentle cleansing is required. The genuine, always bearing the name of the California Fig Syrup Co., may be purchased from all leading druggists in original packages of one size only, price fifty cents per bottle.

with Marion and asks her to be his wife. Though he has been led to believe that Marion is not Marion, but Gladys Olivia Armstrong, he has nevertheless, violated by his proposal, an important provision of the will, and the estate, according to its terms, reverts to the girl. This in itself would make small difference the fortune would be in the family in any event as it were, but fortunately, Pickering does not die so easily. He with assistance of coincidences and circumstance, convinces Glenarm that Marion has wilfully deceived him that she might obtain the hidden treasure and "The House of a Thousand Candles" and bestow them with her hand, upon the villain himself and upon the impetuous and impulsive young man who has encroached upon the Glenarm preserve.

Mrs. Jacob Wilmert, Lincoln, Ill., found her way back to perfect health. She writes: "I suffered with kidney trouble and backache and my appetite was very poor at times. A few weeks ago I got Foley Kidney Pills and gave them a fair trial. They gave me great relief, so continued till now I am again in perfect health." Wilkinson & Co.

Tried to Dope Her.

DES MOINES, Sept. 1.—An unknown man entered the home of Mrs. E. J. Allery, aged 77, living alone at East Nineteenth and Washington streets, and tried to render her unconscious by administering chloroform. Her screams for help frightened the man away and nothing was taken from the house. The woman is in a precarious condition at the hospital as the result of her fright.

Not a minute should be lost when a child shows symptoms of croup. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the croupy cough appears, will prevent the attack. Sold by all dealers.

Steepest Railway in the World.

What claims to be the steepest railway line in the world is that recently opened near Bozen, in the Tyrol. The Mendel railway, with a gradient of 64 in 100, and the Vesuvian with 63, have hitherto held the record. But the new line in its steepest parts rises 70 in 100, and in other parts 66. It leads up the mountain side to Virgil Terrace, on the River Eisack. The system employed is that of the electrical wire rope, and the ascent is made at the rate of five feet a second, or five minutes for the whole distance.

FASHION HINTS



Cashmere, or a fancy light weight serge would be very effective for this little traveling dress. The waist opens blouse fashion over an embroidered batiste vest. Soutache braid is used in a design on waist and skirt. Collar and belt are of silk.

OPENING BILL DELIGHTFUL

Manager Frank Sansone of the Colonial Throws Open Doors of His Fine Picture House to the Public.

BILLY O'BRIEN, SINGER

Talented Vocalist Has Arrived From St. Louis and Gave Entire Satisfaction Last Night.

The opening of the Colonial theatre last night was an auspicious one for theatre goers—amusement lovers and ardent moving picture fans. Three shows were given and at each performance the cozy house was filled to the limit and during the first and second performances there was no other alternative but wait, for the hundreds who thronged the beautifully mirrored arched entrance.

Billy O'Brien and the pictures vied with each other so closely for first honors in the entertaining line that it was hard to determine which was the better, the rare voiced tenor singer that Manager Sansone has obtained from one of the best picture houses in St. Louis, or the films which were filled with intense life and interest.

Billy O'Brien's voice has never been duplicated here. He reaches the high and the low ones with the ease of the best singers of the country and his range is perfect. His pink-skin darkey suit was a howl and with his gestures, he makes the songs he sings, seem real.

For the season, Manager Sansone has secured the best films made. The "Imp" pictures are among the allotment that will be received and change of program will occur regularly, Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings. Matinees will be given each afternoon at 2:45 and a children's matinee hour will be held on Saturdays at 2:30. The Colonial's management is to be congratulated on the splendid opening of the pretty picture house and the fine bill that was presented as an opener will be succeeded by equally as fine pictures, entertaining songs by a vocalist who knows how to sing and with the trap drums and piano, the setting seems entire and complete and success is assured.

Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is today the best known medicine in use for the relief and cure of bowel complaints. It cures griping, diarrhoea, dysentery, and should be taken at the first unnatural looseness of the bowels. It is equally valuable for children and adults. It always cures. Sold by all dealers.

Advertise Iowa.

DES MOINES, Sept. 1.—Fifty delegates attended the first meeting of the Iowa League of Commercial Clubs held in the rooms of the Press club of this city. Governor Carroll and Mayor Hanna delivered addresses of welcome. Earl Ferguson of Shenandoah recited. H. A. Stout of Des Moines was secretary. In his address Lafe Young, Sr., favored publicity for Iowa and to keep Iowa people from leaving.

DO IT NOW.

Keokuk People Should Not Wait Until it is Too Late.

The appalling death-rate from kidney disease is due in most cases to the fact that the little kidney troubles are usually neglected until they become serious. The slight symptoms give place to chronic disorders and the sufferer goes gradually into the grasp of diabetes, dropsy, Bright's disease, gravel or some other serious form of kidney complaint.

If you suffer from backache, headaches, dizzy spells; if the kidney secretions are irregular of passage and unnatural in appearance, do not delay. Help the kidneys at once.

Doan's Kidney Pills are especially for kidney disorders—they cure where others fail. Over one hundred thousand people have recommended them. Here's a case at home:

Mrs. F. Kohenberg, 413 High Street, Keokuk, Iowa, says: "I used Doan's Kidney Pills when living in Missouri and they proved very beneficial. A short time ago I began to suffer from pain in my back. I procured a supply of Doan's Kidney Pills at Wilkinson & Co.'s Drug Store and I found them just as effective as before. I strongly recommend this remedy."

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FOLEY'S KIDNEY PILLS

for backache, rheumatism, kidney or bladder trouble, and urinary irregularities. Foley's Kidney Pills purify the blood, restore lost vitality and vigor. Refuse substitutes. FOR SALE BY WILKINSON & CO. AND J. F. KIEDAISCH & SONS.

DID NOT WAIVE THEIR HEARING

Hewitt and Dunbar's Bonds Set at \$500 and Pair Returned to Jail in Default of Payment.

SEEN IN A RESTAURANT

Police Officer Saw Men Arrested, in Third Street Cafe Half Hour Before Golden Rule Was Robbed.

The bonds of Cale Hewitt and George Dunbar, the pair arrested at the rear of the Golden Rule store Tuesday night and suspected of robbing the department establishment of a quantity of dress goods, were fixed at five hundred dollars during their arraignment and preliminary in the superior court yesterday afternoon. Hearing of the two men will be held shortly and they will in all likelihood be bound over to the grand jury. On default of payment of their bonds they were again locked up in the city jail. They will be given an opportunity to secure and consult counsel.

The police state that they are positive that Hewitt and Dunbar are the fellows who, with an assisting party, took the merchandise from the store of T. N. Conner night before last. Although the fellows were not caught in the act of stealing by the two wary police officers who handled a good piece of work in picking up the men found at the rear of the store, enough evidence to point to a possible conviction has already been picked up. The men were put through a sweating yesterday by the chief of police but naturally deny all blame from both when accused by the actions of the law of breaking into the business place.

Were Seen Snacking Around.

Monday afternoon and evening, the day before the robbery at the Golden Rule, a business man in an adjoining building to the department store saw Hewitt and Dunbar spying around the building and measuring "eye-distances" and otherwise acting suspiciously. A special police officer in a restaurant on south Third street, about 10:30 Saturday night, saw the two fellows eating and evidently under some strain of excitement as they went down to Johnson and out on the street.

Your complexion as well as your temper is rendered miserable by a disordered liver. By taking Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets you can improve both. Sold by all dealers.

Best Intentions. Mamma—Johnny, what is the baby yelling about? Johnny—Nothin'. I jest took his milk and showed him how to drink it.—Cleveland Leader.

Learn to say "No," and it will be of more use to you than to be able to read Latin.—Spurgeon.

Long Courtship. Maud—Are you engaged to Jack for good? Ethel—It looks so. I don't think he'll ever be in a position to marry me.—Boston Transcript.

School Days

Are Here Once More

Most children will need new SHOES to start with

How are yours fixed?

Better bring them in and get them fitted up now

We have them from \$1.00 Up

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THOMSON'S "GLOVE-FITTING" CORSETS

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The Quaintest Station. The most quaint, queer and curious station along the line of the Erie is at Soho, just beyond the big Tiffany factory at Forest Hill. It consists of a large, old, spreading tree, around the trunk and lower branches of which has been built a circular wooden awning or umbrella. Around the base is a board platform and seat. Only a few houses are in sight, but trains do stop there, and they do say that people have been seen getting on and off at the "station."

Easy Recovery. There is much trouble in Paris about the unreliability of the telephone service. The Gaulois prints an imaginary conversation between the governor of a prison and the head warden. "It seems," says the former, "that the prisoners are able to talk to one another. This must be stopped. What can you suggest?" "Suppose we install the telephone in their cells," replies the warden.

CHILDREN'S ILLS IN SUMMER

The hardest period of a child's life is during the heated term. It is then that the little men and women become so subject to stomach and bowel troubles. With one it manifests itself in the form of obstinate constipation, with another the very reverse—diarrhea. One is as bad and as dangerous as the other. Constipation makes the child lose appetite and sleep, makes it languid and sickly-looking. Diarrhea weakens it and destroys appetite and energy. Flies, pinworms, eruptions, itch, worms, etc., follow in the train until many a mother feels that her child is indeed very ill. But these are all troubles that can be easily cured. The child needs a few doses of a remedy like Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, the grand laxative and tonic. Parents can make no possible mistake by giving it Syrup Pepsin, as the chances are always in favor of the child needing a laxative. It is sold in two sizes, 50 cents and \$1.00, and any druggist can supply you. It cannot be mentioned too strongly that parents should look closely after the welfare of the children during the hot months. If you would like to try it before buying send your address for a FREE SAMPLE BOTTLE to

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