

**GRAND OPERA HOUSE**  
**WED. OCT. 5**  
**Stag Night**  
 The Show you Boys all Know.  
**Gay Morning**  
**Glories**  
**BURLESQUES**  
 Everything New This Season.  
 Prices 75c, 50c, 25c and 25c.  
 Seat sale opens Monday.

**GRAND OPERA HOUSE**  
 DIRECTION CHAMBERLIN, HARRINGTON & CO.  
**FIRST TIME HERE**  
**MONDAY, OCTOBER 10**  
**YES, IT'S HERE! MAKE A DATE!**  
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**HARRY BULGER, in**  
**"The Flirting Princess"**  
 A MUSICAL FARCE  
 By Adams, Hough & Howard, staged  
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 One Year in Chicago.  
 The Parisian Sensation.  
 The Apache and Vampire Dances  
 The Irresistible Beauties, including  
 The Famous Barefoot Chorus.  
 Prices \$1.50, \$1.00, 75c and 50c.  
 Seat sale opens Friday at 10 o'clock.  
 Not over ten seats to one party.

**Colonial THEATRE**  
**TO-NIGHT**  
**"Old Heads**  
**AND**  
**Young Hearts"**  
 Feature "Imp" Picture

**Be Ready For**  
**Benevolent Union**  
**LOCK DAY**  
**Thurs., October 6**  
 On Block Day committees will call at every house in Keokuk, collecting the envelopes to be left at the homes three days before, in which the charitable citizens are asked to place donations for the Benevolent Union work.  
 On Block Day the fire bells will ring and the whistles shriek. During this noisy time, the collectors will call. Be ready.

**A Bargain In Fuel**  
 is what you get when you use fuel gas—the fuel that is delivered at the stove—clean, quick, convenient. Just light a match and the fire is ready.  
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 Merchandise, Machinery, Furniture Stoves, Musical Instruments, Pictures and everything in the Storage line Large, clean, safe warehouses. Prices reasonable, including insurance. TRANSFER LINE IN CONNECTION Office 525 Blondeau. Both phones 18

**—These**  
 daily talks of ours, about clothes, ought to be read by every man in town. They deal in facts about style, about quality, tailoring and value.  
 —Some stores laud their merchandise in lurid language to catch the unwary, a cheap garment looks almost as well through a glass show window as a fine one, but there's a big difference in the goods which is all the more apparent after they have been worn.  
 —Our salesman will show you the difference in the garments and will tell you the truth about them. If you want a \$10 suit you can't get a better one than we offer, anywhere in America—they'll wear well and give the best of satisfaction.  
 But if you want finer clothes, you ought to see those we are selling at \$15 to \$30—they are the finest shown in Keokuk.

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 INCORPORATED  
**MEN'S & BOYS' OUTFITTERS**

**MONEY MAKING**  
 Positions fall to the lot of those who are prepared to fill any niche in a business concern.  
 It is the aim of this college to prepare every student to fill an "all around" position, to have thorough knowledge of Stenography, Typewriting, Bookkeeping and kindred subjects.  
 We have doubled our enrollment in 30 days. Call and see us.  
**Tri-State Commercial College**  
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 We believe you'll enjoy trading at this store. We are always reaching out for new trade and once secured, we endeavor by conscientious methods to retain it.  
 As Ruskin said: "We are not sent into this world to do anything into which we cannot put our hearts. We have a certain work to do for our bread, and that is to be done strenuously; other work to do for our delight, and that is to be done heartily; neither is to be done by halves or shifts, but with a will; and what is not worth the effort is not to be done at all."  
**Benaud**  
 Founded 1877  
**JEWELER**

**Snaps Snaps**  
**Ginger Snaps**  
 Our own make  
 Try them  
**SCHOUTEN'S BAKERY**  
 Tenth and Main.

**Maple Pecan Candy**  
 Made Fresh Every Day This Week at  
**MARCHEFKE'S**  
 TRADES UNION COUNCIL  
 KEOKUK, IOWA

**CITY NEWS**  
 —Ewers' Grand Leader, best in class.  
 —Ayres' grand opening on Saturday, Oct. 8, afternoon and evening.  
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 —New harness, new buggies and road carts at Sherwood's, 703 Main.  
 —Subject at the Second Presbyterian church tonight, "The Devil's Apron Strings."  
 —Dr. Coffey has removed his office to Seventh and Main, over City Drug Store.  
 —Nancy Keppel has conveyed to J. P. Kritchek lot 2, block 11, the property being at Fifteenth and Morgan street.  
 —Dr. C. E. Ruth will be in the office of W. C. Howell, attorney, 9 to 12 a. m. and 4 to 6 p. m. No. 18 North Fifth street.  
 —Regular meeting of Keokuk Aerie, No. 681, F. O. E. tonight at Eagles Hall, 8th and Main at 8 o'clock, visiting brothers always welcome. Chas. A. Nokes, Secretary.  
 —The Diamond Jo people are trying to arrange an excursion on the steamer Dubuque from St. Louis to New Orleans, that is if they can get a passenger list large enough to justify them to do so.  
 —The next horse and mule auction at Hamilton, Ill. will be Friday, Oct. 14, will have 200 head of horses of all classes. Bring in your horses and mules and we will sell them for you at good prices. B. W. Elder.  
 —Advertising copy for next Sunday's issue of The Gate City should be in the hands of the printer not later than Thursday morning. Copy received later than that cannot be promised a place in the Sunday issue.  
 —The steamer Wenona arrived in the city last night at 10:35 and departed this morning at 3:30. The Keokuk arrived at 9:45 and left this morning at 6:30. Both boats are holding up their share of the freight and passenger business and will continue to do so until the big stream is covered with ice.  
 —Milton Kermit Hess, the nineteen months old infant son of Mr. and Mrs. William Hess of 502 I street, West Keokuk, died this morning at 3:30 after a short attack of bowel trouble and the parents are the recipients of sympathy from all quarters in their sad bereavement. The funeral of the little one will likely be held tomorrow afternoon.  
 —Of John William Jenkins, who died several days ago in Kahoka, the Kahoka Free Press says: John William Jenkins was born in St. Francisville, Mo., January 13, 1838, and passed away at his home in Kahoka, Mo., September 29, 1910, aged seventy-two years, eight months and eighteen days. He was united in marriage to Miss Annie M. Henshaw, April 4, 1865. This union were born four children: Dr. Charles A. Jenkins, of Keokuk, Ia.; Dr. James T. Jenkins, of Carthage, Ill.; Walter L. Jenkins, of Clay township, Clark Co., Mo., and one daughter, Nellie, wife of Dr. A. R. Black, of Wayland, Mo. He is survived by the following brothers and sisters: Dr. George F. Jenkins, of Keokuk, Ia.; James A. Jenkins, of Cheyenne Wells, Colo.; Mrs. Catherine E. Lynn and Mrs. Margaret Lapsley of Kahoka, Mo., also by seven grandchildren. He was preceded to the grave by one brother, Robert E. Jenkins, of Chicago, a few years ago.  
 —Davenport Times: Pat Crowe, the original Pat of Cudahy kidnaping fame, pretty well "hit up" because of his wrestle with the corn juice and carrying around one of the finest, illuminated optics you ever saw, is in Rock Island—that is, Pat was last night. It isn't the same Pat who came through here a couple of years ago with a show and was pulling down \$1,000 per week for letting his well advertised person stalk around behind the footlights. The Pat of today has hit the thorny path and shows it. His clothes are worn and he is "broka." Pat has a couple of companions with him in the same fix as himself. They all came here from Peoria, the place where Pat picked up the color for his eye—some one struck Pat. It wasn't so awfully long ago that a temperance organization in Chicago succeeded in having Pat take the pledge and Pat was going to get straightened out and make something of himself. A few days later he was found drunk in a saloon. Pat is not adverse to telling you about the time he kidnaped the Cudahy lad and if you get him in a real confidential mood he will tell you about some other deals he planned." Pat Crowe at one time lived in Keokuk, staying at the home of a friend on Seventh and Bank.

**CITY NEWS.**  
 —Coffee at St. Paul's hall Thursday.  
 —Smoke Moeller's Silver Ash cigar.  
 —For quick and reliable shoe repair work go to Karle's, 814 Main.  
 —See the new lap robes and auto blankets at Sherwood's, 703 Main.  
 —Regular meeting of Hermann lodge, No. 116, I. O. O. F. tonight at 7:30 o'clock. Visiting brethren cordially invited.  
 —Through attorney Lena Van Fleet Nettie Freeman of Keokuk has been granted a pension of \$13 per month from Sept. 9, 1910. This claim went through in twenty days.  
 —Keokuk Camp M. W. A. No. 521 will hold its regular meeting tonight at Woodman hall. All members are requested to be present.  
 —Next Sunday will be rally day for the First Christian Church Sunday school. The church will be prettily decorated and a special musical program is being prepared. It is hoped the attendance will be large. The services begin at 9:45 a. m.  
 —A case of infantile paralysis which attacked a young woman 15 years of age and caused her death in twenty-four hours was reported to Secretary Summer of the state board of health, coming from Corning, in Adams county.  
 —On November 18th the proposition of electing officers of the Iowa Federation of Labor by a referendum vote instead of during the annual convention will be submitted to the union labor organizations of Iowa, according to action taken by the executive board of the state federation at Des Moines yesterday. Ballots will be sent to all cities in the state where there are local unions. The returns will be called in as soon as possible. If the proposition is recommended by the vote of the rank and file of the federation, similar ballots will be taken annually to elect officers of the state organization. Before adjournment the board will select the new laws which they consider most worthy of agitating at the next session of the state legislature. Among the most important of these is the employers' liability act. The care of wives and children of county and state prisoners also will be an important measure to be discussed. Sanitary plumbing is another reform to be favored by the federation.  
 —Increasing the quota of supreme court justices from six to nine is a plan advocated by Frank S. Shankland for relieving the congested condition of the cases now before the court. Mr. Shankland is making capital of his plan by using it in speeches in favor of his candidacy for the general assembly, as a representative of Polk county. The addition of three justices to the state court is believed by Mr. Shankland to be favorable to attorneys in all parts of Iowa. The plan would expedite the handling of cases without lowering the standard of the court, he says. Mr. Shankland would make three divisions of the court after the three justices had been added, having law, equity and criminal divisions, with three judges in each department. Each division would dispose of its cases without consulting any of the other justices, according to Mr. Shankland's plan, when all the membership would be called in for consultation. Mr. Shankland's plan is believed by him to be a more practical solution of the congestion problem than the suggested court of 9 judges. He says that if the court of appeals should be inferior to the supreme court in any way, that the opinions handed down by it would be unsatisfactory and much criticism would result.

**PERSONALS.**  
 George Guy, the former well known moving man of this city, now of Kansas City, Kansas, arrived in the city Monday evening to spend a two weeks vacation.  
 Arthur Hambleton has gone to Springfield to attend the fair.  
 Manager L. C. Worely, of the Grand opera house, has returned from a business trip to Chicago.  
 J. J. Crimmins, Sr., left this morning for Farmington on business.  
 George Brinkman was called to Donnellson today on business.  
 Rev. Reinhold is a city visitor today from Nauvoo.  
 E. P. McManns is a business visitor in Burlington today.  
 C. R. Russell and M. J. Burkett were city visitors from Keosauqua.  
 J. H. White was in the city this morning on business from Granger, Mo.  
 Dr. Pinkley was in Carthage today on business.  
 E. J. Bevering was in Montrose and Nauvoo today on business.  
 John Battels, of Warsaw, was in the city this morning on business.  
 F. C. Darnell, of Burlington, was called to this city today on business.  
 Cena White of Farmington, was in the city this morning.  
 E. C. Raber left this morning for Nauvoo to transact business.  
 Dr. W. Steneker was a city visitor this morning from Donnellson.  
 Miss Maude Jones was a city shopper this morning from Wayland.  
 Alva Williams, of Carthage, who formerly was a backstop for the Keokuk base ball club was in the city yesterday visiting friends.  
 J. M. Jamison of Morning Sun, was in the city this morning on business.  
 E. R. Wilson was a city visitor today from Kahoka.  
 John Hall made a business trip to this city today from Creston.

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 on the phone, No. 68, either phone and we will call for your prescription and deliver the medicine after it is prepared. This costs you nothing extra.  
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 Druggists, 422 Main Street

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**Lactone Buttermilk**  
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**FRESH EACH DAY,**  
 from natural, pure, sweet milk. Contains all the elements.  
**NOTHING TAKEN OUT.**  
 Buttermilk prepared in this way has become recognized by authorities the world over as the very best form of one of the most valuable food products.  
**ONLY 5 CENTS PER GLASS.**  
**ICE-COLD AND FRESH.**

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 Corner Fifth and Main Sts.



**Next time you walk by the store, we wish you'd stop a minute and take a look at Big Ben.**  
 He's the finest sleepmeter made—the best looking—the best built—the best running. You needn't take our word for it, we keep him in the window; you can see for yourself.  
**\$2.50**  
 This is the clock they are advertising in the big magazines.  
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 404 MAIN STREET

**Scott & O'Reilly**  
**Prescription Druggists**  
**PURE DRUGS**  
 Accurate Prescription Work  
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 Indications point to an early advance in price of soft coal.  
 Let us supply you now. We have a good supply of lump and well screened soft nut coal, constantly on hand.  
 Our Le-High Valley land coal is the best that has come in to this market in years.  
**CORD WOOD, SAWED WOOD AND KINDLING**  
**Jas. Camerons' Sons**  
 19 S. 7 St. Both Phones 96  
 Try our 25c per lb.  
**CHOCOLATE CREAMS**  
 They are it for the price at  
**SCHOUTEN'S**  
 10th and Main.

**Don't Waste Time, Come Here, The Skirt You Want Is Waiting For You.**  
 We are showing a number of skirt models that can be worn by any figure. They are comfortably full at the foot and yet look snug all the way down.  
 Our stock of skirts is so great that we can suit you as to style, color and fabric. Let us prove that we have the best quality at the price.  
 The Woltext skirt is one of the new styles; its fit and finish will rouse your admiration.  
**SUITS AND COATS**  
 Purchase now a becoming Suit or coat and begin the season in a beautiful, stylish costume at reasonable cost. We have every opportunity to study and examine the productions of all the leading makers of women's clothing.  
 Our experience has proved the greatest dependence can be placed upon the garments we carry. No other lines that we know of possess such authentic and exclusive style features, when quality is considered. You will appreciate how modest our prices really are.  
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**Grand Opening**  
**T. R. J. Ayres & Sons** announce the completion of their beautiful Jewelry and Music store and request the pleasure of your presence at the opening Saturday afternoon and evening, Oct. 8, from 3 to 5 and 7:30 to 9:30 o'clock  
**T. R. J. Ayres & Sons**

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 A fresh supply of  
**Ralston's Whole Wheat Flour and Breakfast Food**  
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 Fine Dress Shirts and men's work garments of all kinds are made in Keokuk by Keokuk people. Help these same people by wearing INDIAN HEAD made garments. They are guaranteed to give satisfaction. Manufactured by Irwin-Phillips Co.



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