



CALENDAR.
 Monday—Alpha Trist Whist, Mrs. T. Bartruff's.
 Tuesday—Fortnightly Whist club, Mrs. A. D. Ayres.
 Wednesday—Tea at Mrs. D. F. Miller's.
 Elk's dance.
 Fall Festival, St. Mary's.
 Thursday—Dancing party, Hawkes' hall.
 Friday—Bridal company, Mesdames Cole and Carter.
 Saturday—At home, Mrs. Adamson.
 Euchre company, Mesdames Cole and Carter.

Bazaar Season Planning.
 That delightful season of the year to all womankind, the bazaar month, December, promises to be ever so much prettier and fanciful next month in Keokuk. From tattlings of femininity and that gossip that the world could never do without, articles of daintiness and beauty, everything from a hair pin receptacle to a doll's bonnet, are being made and will keep on being made from now until the first of next month, when with a grand rush for the church parlors, the season of bazaars will enter and hold the exalted place in the minds of Keokuk's lady populace for four solid weeks. Then there are the bazaar suppers, the turkey feasts and the like that are coming in for their share of attention just now and the sewing circles and the Ladies Aid societies never were busier than they will be this week.

New ideas have been conceived and will be practiced, schemes that will be attractive and unique in holding these Christmas and holiday sales are to be tried, and it is with anticipation of the great pleasure that will be conducive of larger December first to last affairs than ever before, the church ladies are working nimble fingers and busy with many articles.

The Season of Dances.
 Holiday dances are being planned and the director of a leading musical organization yesterday, said that with one or two exceptions, all dates have been taken for the holiday season, the dancing part of which usually commences about the middle of December and sees its close the end of the first week in January.

Elks' Dance Wednesday.
 The Elks will give a private dancing party in their club rooms Wednesday evening of this week.

Mrs. Cole and Mrs. Carter.
 Friday afternoon, Mrs. John H. Cole and Mrs. S. Chandler Carter will entertain a company of ladies at bridge at the residence of the first named lady. Saturday afternoon, a second company of ladies will play at six-hand euchre at the residence of Mrs. Cole, who will again be assisted in entertaining by Mrs. Carter.

Quid Libets Tomorrow.
 Mrs. James W. Hulskamp and Mrs. Harry Phillips will entertain the Quid Libet society of the First Congregational church at the residence of Mrs. Hulskamp on North Eighth street, tomorrow afternoon. The ladies of the society will busy themselves with sewing on their Christmas articles. A business session will intervene during the hours and refreshments will be served.

Sunday School Class Party.
 The Sunday School class of Miss

Florence Lutz with their teacher, enjoyed a birthday party at the residence of Mrs. L. E. Garvin, 1312 Des Moines street, on Friday evening. A number of recitations and songs were spoken and sung by the young people and the several hours passed most enjoyably. Each guest was given a birthday present, representing the month of the year in which their natal day happened to come. Various games were played, refreshments that were tasteful and pop-corn and candy which laden a table in one of the rooms were indulged in with much pleasure.

Girl's Club Met.
 Miss Dorothy Duncan entertained the Sunbeam club of the Congregational church at her home yesterday afternoon.

For Her Guest.
 Mrs. D. F. Miller, assisted by several other ladies, will entertain a company of ladies at "tea" this Wednesday afternoon, in honor of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Jas. H. Watson, of St. Louis.

Woman's Relief Corps Delegates of District 14, to be Entertained Tuesday by Torrence Relief 100.

Arrangements are complete for the entertainment of the guest-delegates of district No. 14, Woman's Relief Corps, who will convene in Keokuk on Tuesday of this week. Last month, announcement of this important gathering of the members of that order was made and strenuous pushing of plans and the making of a program that will be greatly enjoyed by the out-of-town guests who will be here on that day, have culminated. Mrs. Oral Hennings, press correspondent of Torrence Relief Corps having reported that the session will commence Tuesday morning at nine o'clock with registration of delegates. The business session of the day will close at six o'clock in the evening. At night, a reception in which the members of the order and their friends are invited to participate, will be held at the residence of the president of the local chapter, Mrs. Anna Roche, 1327 Blondeau street. A program of interest and pleasure will be arranged for the evening function at the Roche home, music and recitative numbers to be executed.

Those cities who will send a large delegation to Keokuk this week are: Fairfield, Mt. Pleasant, Washington, Burlington, Ft. Madison, Wellman, Wapello, Riverside, Bloomfield and Kalama.

The "Get Two" Banquet.
 The Getters and the Goits, to be more explicit, the members of the Young Women's Christian association and the new members, enjoyed a fine spread in honor of the closing of the campaign event on Friday evening, last. A program of toasts, followed a very delicious and cleverly arranged menu, and the affair as an association festivity will linger long in the minds of those who were so fortunate as to participate. Mrs. Harry Reeves, as toastmistress, attended in a delightful way to the duties of her office and the "toasts" were most enjoyable sayings from those who had taken part in the campaign and assisted in materially enlarging the membership of the association to an enrollment of almost four hundred and fifty attendants. Several musical numbers were very enjoyably, the

complete program having been printed several days ago in these columns. The menu, which displayed great taste in its formation, follows:
 Fruit Cocktail.
 Smothered Chicken.
 Mashed Potatoes.
 Cheese Spaghetti.
 Hot Rolls.
 Cranberry Ice.
 Duchess Cream.
 Coffee.
 Cake.

Her Ninth Birthday.
 Little Miss Frances Hanna, who is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Edward E. Hawkes, on North Eighth street, Friday entertained a number of little friends in honor of her birthday event.

Alpha Trist Tomorrow.
 Monday afternoon Mrs. E. T. Bartruff will be hostess of the Alpha Trist Whist club at its bi-monthly session.

Mrs. A. D. Ayres Has Card Club.
 Tuesday afternoon Mrs. A. D. Ayres will entertain the Fortnightly Whist club at her residence on Franklin street.

One of the Season's Prettiest.
 The "tea" at which Mrs. Emma Summers and Miss Weaver were the delightful hostesses at the residence of the first named lady on Friday afternoon, last, was one of the most charming of the season. The reception and interior dining rooms were done in a prettily appointed decorating scheme. The ladies in entertaining were assisted by several other friends in receiving and entertaining the guests.

Entertained His Friends.
 At his home on the Johnson Street Road, Wednesday evening last, Mr. Milton Lindner entertained a large number of his friends. A taffy pull and various other games furnished endless amusement for the guests during the hours. Choice refreshments were served and all passed a very happy evening. Those present were: Misses Colvin, McCaffrey, Robertson, Howell, Peters, Seabold, Schaefer, and Messrs. Seabold, Palmer, Sherill, Wilkins, Walters, Schaefer, Colvin and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph O'Blenness, Mr. and Mrs. James Simms, Mr. and Mrs. John Danford and Mr. and Mrs. David Haisch.

Miss Kiedaisch Entertained Class.
 Miss Marie Kiedaisch entertained two of the Bible classes of St. Paul's church at her residence, 227 South Sixth street on Friday evening.

Twenty-Fifth Anniversary.
 An interesting society note from Burlington in which several Keokuk parties participated, tells of the silver wedding anniversary of a well-known couple of that place: The celebration below includes relatives and friends from Burlington. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Nutt of near Weaver celebrated their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary at their home Tuesday evening. The usual evening entertainment features were enjoyed. A three course supper was served at 7:30, consisting of oyster patties, pickles, olives, mashed potatoes and gravy, veal roast, pressed chicken, peas, cranberries, celery, iced cream and cake.
 Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lang and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Nutt, Mr. and Mrs. John Brun, Mr. and Mrs. August Reichelt, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Langerbeck, Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Artz, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lange, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Benton and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Binderman and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Nutt and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gibbs, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Huebner, Mr. and Mrs. Carson Blakeway and family, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bryant and family, Mr. Gus Lange, Mrs. Bertha Unterkircher, Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Mohnike, Mr. and

Cold Weather Needs

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This is the universal verdict of all who have tried a pair of our A-Flex flexible and squeakless shoes for women. If you will try a pair that tired feeling will leave you at once and you will feel at ease, and you will wonder how so much goodness can be procured for only \$2.50

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Fine cashmere hose for women, per pair49c
 Heavy wool hose for women in black or grey25c
 Heavy wool hose for children 30c and25c
 Heavy wool sock for men, 50c and25c
 Fine cashmere half hose for men in black, grey and natural per pair25c
 Heavy fleeceline hose for women and children, 25 and 15c

Leggins and Over-gaiters

Women's black jersey leggins, 85c and75c
 Women's black overgaiters, 50c and25c
 Men's overgaiters50c
 Misses' jersey leggins, 75c, 65c and50c

Flannelettes

Heavy flannelettes, fleeced on both sides very desirable for kimonos and wrappers yd 15 12 1-2 and10c

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Underwear For Women

Heavy fleeceline lined vests and pants each25c
 White and ecru fleeceline "Setsnug" vests and pants each50c
 A fine wool vest and pants, per garment\$1.00
 Nice weight union suits50c
 A heavier union suit in white and ecru, the "setsnug" make each\$1.00
 Extra sizes\$1.25

Children's Underwear

Children's fleeceline lined union suits25c
 Children's heavy fleeceline ribbed union suits 70c, 60c and50c
 Children's and boy's fleeceline vests and pants, each 50c, 25c, 20c, 12 1-2c and8c

Comfort Goods

Cretonnes twills, silkolines and comfort calicoes in a wide range of patterns and colorings 12 1-2c, 10c, 8 1-2c and6c

FURS

Furs will be much worn this season and matched sets will be in the lead. We have used great care in our selection and offered only the choicest numbers at popular prices. You have everything to gain in buying now.

Gloves and Mittens

Golf and cashmerette gloves, all colors, including the new chamolite color, per pair 50c and25c
 Gauntlet gloves for boys and girls, well lined, warm, per pair50c
 Mittens for every member of the family in wool, kid and leather, \$1.00 and down to 25c

Blankets

The bed covering should be light in weight, yet warm. A few of our blankets will protect you during the cold, frosty nights, all wool in a pretty combination of colors, \$4.98 and\$5.98
 Extra large size wool finished blankets in tan and grey for \$3.50, \$3.00, \$2.50, \$2.25 and \$2
 Large size blankets, good weight extra well finished and big sellers for \$1.50, \$1.25, \$1.00 and down to50c

Art Goods

Many a long day and evening can be made one of pleasure after making a few selections of stamped pieces from our art department.
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 Stamped dollies in pretty designs at 50c, 25c, 15c and 10c
 Holding royal or filo silk per skein4c
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The newest creation in head-gear for women; dressy and practical; assorted colors, \$1.98, \$1.75, \$1.50 and\$1.25

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Mrs. George Johnson of Wever; Mrs. Charles Manley, Mrs. John Wolf, Mrs. William Lowenstein of Keokuk; Mrs. Al Kammerer, Mrs. A. M. Lowrey of Ft. Madison; Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Connett of Chillicothe, Ill.; Messrs. Ed. Reichelt, Clarence Lange, George Rapp, Oltman Lange, Humboldt Arthur and Max Unterkircher and Charles H. Nutt; Misses Ottilie Unterkircher, Verna Binderman, Mildred Schrey, Veda Blakeway, Minnie Lange of Wever.

Mears-Sample Wedding.
 A very pretty home wedding occurred Wednesday evening when Mr. Charles Bryan Sample and Miss Mabelle Mears of Keokuk were joined in the holy bonds of matrimony.
 At 7 o'clock the couple entered the parlor attended by Miss Leta Sample, a sister of the groom, as bridesmaid and Mr. Daniel Baker of St. Louis as best man.
 The bride was attired in a beautiful mousseline silk dress and carried white carnations and ferns.
 Immediately after the ceremony the guests were ushered into the dining room where a sumptuous three course wedding supper was served. The parlor and dining room were very tastefully decorated for the occasion. Many beautiful and useful presents were received. The bride is a beautiful and popular young lady of Keokuk, having won many friends here by her graceful manner and is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mears of this city. The groom is a popular and worthy young man, and has many sterling qualities, and a promising business career before him. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Sample, and is a contractor. Friends wish this very worthy young couple many years of happy wedded life. They will be at home to their friends after November 15 at No. 2200 Timea street.

An At Home.
 One of the several pretty social functions of the present week will be an "at home" company, which will be held at the residence of Mrs. Frank O. Adamson, 720 Fulton street, on Saturday afternoon. Entertaining with Mrs. Adamson will be Miss Edna Adamson, Mrs. Henry W. Butts and Mrs. F. William Peterson. The hours announced on invitations are from two to four and from three to six o'clock.

THE FIRST TASTE.
 Learned to Drink Coffee When a Baby
 If parents realized the fact that coffee contains a drug—caffeine—which is especially harmful to children, they would doubtless hesitate before giving the babies coffee to drink.
 "When I was a child in my mother's arms and first began to nibble things at the table, mother used to give me sips of coffee. As my parents used coffee exclusively at meals, I never knew there was anything to drink but coffee and water.
 "And so I contracted the coffee habit early. I remember when quite young the continual use of coffee so affected my parents that they tried roasting wheat and barley, then ground it in the coffee-mill, as a substitute for coffee.
 "But it did not taste right and they went back to coffee again. That was long before Postum was ever heard of. I continued to use coffee until I was 27, and when I got into office work, I began to have nervous spells. Especially after breakfast I was so nervous I could scarcely attend to my correspondence.
 "At night, after having coffee for supper, I could hardly sleep, and on rising in the morning would feel weak and nervous.
 "A friend persuaded me to try Postum. My wife and I did not like it at first, but later when boiled good and strong it was fine. Now we would not give up Postum for the best coffee we ever tasted.
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Same Sort of Language.
 "I'm afraid we'll have to cut that man's acquaintance," said the woman of strictly correct ideas.
 "Yes," replied Miss Cayenne. "He uses the same sort of language that we pay two or three dollars a seat to hear at a theatre."

Scored Heavily.
 The Burglar—How much is five rolls of movin' picture films, a snare drum and a cornet worth you, Snooks?
 The Fence—Where did you lift that stuff, Bill?
 The Burglar (smilingly)—I broke into vaudevillie last night!

Would Be Better.
 In a lecture before the American Fisheries commission a Japanese asserted that he can educate oysters. Better educate the lobsters first.

Nature Study.
 "Now, Tommie, what do you see in the suburbs besides grass, trees, and flowers?" "People wots runnin' to catch their trains."