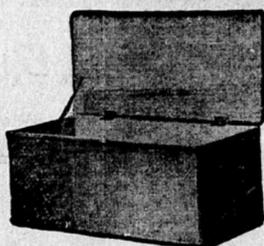


# Duncan-Schell Furniture Co. LAST FIVE DAYS of Stock Reducing Sale

It is now or never—Prices will not  
be duplicated later

These \$3.00 Matting Shirt  
Waist Boxes—Stock  
Reducing Sale  
**\$1.87**



A value in  
high grade  
large Skirt  
Box, length  
45 1/2 inches,  
width 21 in.,  
height 15 1/2  
in. Stock  
Reducing  
Sale price

**\$4.29**

Remember you can buy what you  
want, have it set aside, and delivered  
when wanted.

Persons having charge accounts  
may have purchases added to same.

## FIRES DAMAGE TWO BUILDINGS

House at Twenty-Second and Bank  
Practically Destroyed While  
the Family Was  
Absent.

### GARAGE IS DAMAGED

Building in Rear of E. Ross Baker's  
Residence Catches Fire From  
Unknown Origin Last  
Night.

The home of Joe Mathew, colored,  
at 2127 Bank street, was very badly  
damaged by a fire which started from  
unknown origin shortly after 7:00  
o'clock last evening. The damage to  
the house and furniture amounted to  
close to \$100, according to a rough  
estimate placed on it last evening.  
There was no insurance on either the  
house nor the furniture.

The house was a two story frame  
building that was recently purchased  
by Mathew. The fire started while  
no one was in the house, Mrs. Mathew  
having left about half an hour  
before it started. By the time the de-  
partment had made the long run,  
smoke was issuing from all parts of  
the house and it looked as if it would  
be a total loss. The fact that all the  
windows and doors were closed had  
prevented the flames from getting  
much air, however, and they had been  
held down on that account.

Two lines of hose were laid from  
the corner of Twenty-first and Ex-  
change streets. The fire was exting-  
uished within a short time after the  
department arrived and an examina-  
tion showed that the flames had been  
confined principally to the back part  
of the building, where the fire evi-  
dently started. Francis Tigus, one of  
the firemen, was slightly injured when  
the back stairway fell through with  
him and he fell to the first floor.

Shortly before 11 o'clock another  
alarm was sent in from Fourth and  
Orleans, where an automobile garage  
at the rear of the home of E. Ross  
Baker had caught fire. The automobile  
was taken out by the firemen on their  
arrival before it was damaged. Sev-  
eral cans of gasoline in the corner of  
the garage were in the midst of the  
flames but were removed before the  
gasoline did any damage. The garage,  
a small frame structure, was insured.  
The damage amounted to about \$100,  
roughly estimated.

An alarm sent in to the department  
early yesterday morning proved to be  
a mistake.

## Additional Sports

### SCOTLAND WINS OVER IRELAND AT GOLF

Finish of British Championship Flight  
Losses Interest Toward  
End.

[United Press Leased Wire Service.]  
SANDWICH, England, May 23.—J.  
L. C. Jenkins, of Scotland, this after-  
noon won the British amateur golf  
championship, defeating C. O. Hazlet,  
of Ireland, 3 up and 2 to play.  
The finals of the great match were  
watched rather apathetically, because  
there were neither Americans nor  
Englishmen in the running. Of the  
ten players from the United States,  
including Francis Ouimet, Jerome D.  
Travers, Frederick Horesoff and other  
star golfers, all were eliminated be-  
fore the semi-finals and all of the Eng-  
lishmen were brought into camp be-  
fore the last rounds today. Jenkins  
who won the memorable contest which  
was full of surprises from the opening  
day when there were more than half  
a hundred entrants, some of old golf  
family and twice played of Scot-  
land against English players. All the  
American announced intentions of  
entering the French champion-  
ship and all but Travers have de-  
termined to play in the British open  
golf championship soon to start.

### Wins on One Hit.

[United Press Leased Wire Service.]  
PHILADELPHIA, May 23.—Al-  
though Penn was able to get but one  
scratch hit, the Michigan nine was  
beaten by a 4 to 2 score this after-  
noon. In the sixth, Penn succeeded  
in working the squeeze play. This  
with errors and passed balls gave  
them four runs. The score:  
Michigan ..... 2 7 3  
Pennsylvania ..... 4 1 3  
Batteries—Quaintance and Baer;  
Sayre and Schalart.  
Umpire—Adams.

### Drake Wins Meet.

[United Press Leased Wire Service.]  
DES MOINES, Iowa, May 23.—  
Through the running of Shearer,  
Drake won the state field meet here  
today with 48 1/2 points. Ames came  
next with 41 and Iowa third, 33 1/2.  
Others finished: Coe, 25; Grinnell, 6;  
Morning Side, 5; Cornell, 3; High-  
land Park, 2.  
In the college high hurdles Shrader

# THE WANT COLUMN

**WANTED.**  
WANTED—Young man, age 20, wants  
position in store. Phone 1524.

WANTED—Five or six room house,  
located below Fifth street on south  
side. Phone Red 1588.

WANTED—To buy second hand ice  
box, capacity 500 to 700 pounds. A.  
J. Ruddick, 504 Orleans avenue.

WANTED—Good work horse, medium  
weight, 5 to 10 years old. A. T.  
McCoy, 1823 Palean.

WANTED—Woman for general house-  
work. Royal Hotel.

WANTED—Experienced girl for gen-  
eral housework. 519 North Fourth  
street.

WANTED—Lady traveler; experi-  
ence unnecessary. Salary, commis-  
sion and expense allowance to right  
party. McBrady & Co., Chicago.

WANTED—Lunch counter girl at  
Racey's restaurant, 28 South Fifth  
street.

WANTED—Look, we still want 1,000  
fox cubs, in good condition. Phone  
or write us. G. W. Pinkerton & Son,  
phone 537. 519 Main street, Keokuk.

WANTED—Railway mail clerks,  
\$75.00 to \$150 month. Details free.  
Franklin Institute, Dep't. 104 F.,  
Rochester, N. Y.

AGENTS WANTED—For ideal sum-  
mer work. Highest cash paid weekly  
with part expenses. Home terri-  
tory. Outfit free. Experience unneces-  
sary. Write today. The Hawks  
Nursery Co., Wauwatosa, Wis.

WANTED—An idea. Who can think  
of some simple thing to patent?  
Protect your ideas; they may bring  
you wealth. Write today and get our  
free books, "Millions in Patents,"  
"Needed Inventions," and "Patent  
Buyers." Address Randolph & Co.,  
Dept. 2210, patent attorneys, Wash-  
ington, D. C.

**FOR RENT.**  
FOR RENT—A furnished cottage,  
north side on car line. Five rooms,  
water, gas, Enquire Black 662 or Red  
1153.

FOR RENT—Nos. 18 and 20 South  
Fifth street. Excellent location for  
boarding and livery stable or garage.  
John Tumulty.

FOR RENT—Houses, five and six  
rooms, modern except furnace. Six,  
seven and eight rooms, modern.  
Chas. Altes, 1213 Franklin.

FOR RENT—Twelve room house,  
modern, two baths, gas and electric  
lights, furnace, good location, corner  
Fourth and Morgan. Inquire at office  
Duncan Schell Furniture Co.

FOR RENT—June 1st, six room house,  
modern except furnace. 801 Morgan  
street. Call 800 Morgan. Phone  
Black 830.

FOR RENT—Five room house, 1421  
Franklin. Inquire 1316 Orleans.

FOR RENT—Eight room house at  
1215 Fulton; modern except fur-  
nace. Rent \$20.00 per month. Also  
4-room house, 514 North Twelfth.  
Rent \$10.00 per month. For particu-  
lars enquire at 1203 Fulton Sunday  
morning from 10 a. m. to 2 p. m.

FOR RENT—Party leaving city June  
5th will rent furnished house; refer-  
ences exchanged. A. B. C., this  
office.

FOR RENT—Five room house. Phone  
Red 172 or 1527 Morgan street.

FOR RENT—Eight room house all  
modern. 414 North Eighth. Phone  
Black 1242. Inquire 1212 Concert.

FOR RENT—Four large airy rooms,  
pantry and dish closet, good cellar,  
cistern and city water; rent reason-  
able to right party. 726 South Eighth.

FOR RENT—One five room and one  
seven room house. Enquire 602  
Concert. Phone Red-723.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished room,  
bath. Rent reasonable. 308 1/2 Main  
street.

FOR RENT—Furnished room, mod-  
ern, close in. 126 North Fourth  
street.

FOR RENT—Six room modern  
house. Inquire 927 Exchange street.  
Phone Red 743.

FOR RENT—Four room house, with  
water. Inquire at 1616 Morgan  
street.

FOR RENT—427 Times street, six  
rooms and bath. Inquire 2011  
Times.

FOR RENT—Furnished and unfur-  
nished rooms for light housekeeping.  
South side. See Mitchell.

FOR RENT—Three furnished rooms  
suitable for light housekeeping; city  
water. 227 South First.

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms  
for light housekeeping. 227 South  
Second street.

FOR RENT—Five room new house,  
No. 1612 Franklin street. Apply  
1613 Franklin.

FOR RENT—Two large airy rooms  
with completely furnished small  
kitchen, modern. Also large sleeping  
room. Phone Black 301.

FOR RENT—June first, medium sized  
store room, best location. Main  
street near Fifth. Baker Real Estate  
Co.

**FOR SALE.**  
FOR SALE—New canopy top launch  
28x6 ft., 16 h. p. motor, speed 11 to  
12 miles. A fine boat for taking out  
parties on the lake. A. Schott,  
Quincy, Ill.

FOR SALE—Five room house with  
four lots. See owner at 507 F street,  
on Saturdays only.

FOR SALE—Fischer Grand, second  
hand, parlor size. Sheaffer Jewelry  
& Music Co., Ft. Madison, Iowa.

FOR SALE—Almost new Steinway  
Grand. Style O. Ebony case. W. L.  
Saunders, Ft. Madison, Iowa.

FOR SALE—A Winona motor boat,  
26 feet by 4 1/2 feet, new boat com-  
pletely fitted out except engine, will  
sell at exceptional bargain if sold at  
once. X, care Gate City.

FOR SALE—Boat house hulls, 40 ft.  
long, 4 ft. wide, 2 ft. deep. Price  
\$35.00 each or \$40.00 for the two. E.  
Carroll Taber.

FOR SALE—Cheap, if taken at once.  
1 lot with a 7-room house, city wa-  
ter, concrete alley, sewer connection.  
Inquire at 1111 Des Moines street.

FOR SALE—Baby chicks from Bar-  
red Rock eggs, 10c each. J. H.  
Morrison, south of Hamilton depot.  
Phone.

FOR SALE—Launch, will sell cheap.  
Apply 1227 Johnson street.

FOR SALE—The Erhart homestead,  
602 High street. High class and  
modern. Sacrifice price. See Para-  
dice, 12 South Sixth street.

FOR SALE—Full first ward lot, Mor-  
gan street between Second and  
Third. See Paradise, 12 South Sixth  
street. Phone 1271.

FOR SALE—A runabout buggy and  
finis phaeton almost new at a bar-  
gain; also five room house with full  
lot and three building sites on Tenth  
street and Leighton avenue. F. A.  
Wedler, corner Fifth and Johnson  
streets.

FOR SALE—Good rubber tired surry.  
Phone 15.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—A good un-  
improved 160 acres of land in South  
Dakota. For particulars address J. T.  
care Gate City office.

FOR SALE CHEAP—A launch in fine  
condition. Call Black 599. Enquire  
1227 Johnson.

FOR SALE—Cheap, a three burner  
insurance gasoline stove. 1315 Ful-  
ton street.

FOR SALE—20 1-3 yards Cook's  
heavy Inlaid linoleum, \$15.00; coun-  
ters, shelves and other store fixtures.

Swedish paper daler, \$7.50; 8 foot oak  
high show case, \$10.00; large oak san-  
itary desk with vertical file and card  
index drawers fitted, \$35.00; heavy  
single harness almost new, \$17.50;  
rotary mimeograph with supplies, half  
gone, \$15.00; planetary pencil sharp-  
ener, \$2.50; oak wall clock, \$3.00;  
loose leaf cost book, loose leaf in-  
voice book with transfer, loose leaf  
sales record book, kerosene tank, cof-  
fee mill, scales, etc., all good as new  
and much less than cost. Also rem-  
nant grocery stock, bulk coffee, pack-  
age teas, spices, etc. Call between 9  
and 12 forenoon and 2 and 5 after-  
noon. 26 South Twelfth street.

FOR SALE—Kitchen cupboard, dining  
room table, sanitary couch and pad,  
oak bed. Phone Red-1056 or 706  
North Twelfth.

FOR SALE—Household goods, call  
Monday and Tuesday. S. A. Wilson,  
1319 Bank street.

FOR SALE—Good two horse wagon,  
cheap if taken at once. A. J. Mc-  
Coy, 1823 Palean.

FOR SALE—Graphophone and 100  
records, cheap. See Wm. Holland,  
824 Main street.

FOR SALE—That modern 14 room  
brick residence, 317 Concert, at one-  
third its actual value. See Mitchell,  
80 North Fifth.

FOR SALE—Chadman's cyclopaedia of  
law, 12 vols., \$8.00. W. J. Roberts.

FOR SALE—Household goods, 905  
North Twelfth street, 10 a. m. to  
5 p. m.

FOR SALE—A Ford roadster, cheap.  
See it at Water Power Garage, 215  
Johnson street.

FOR SALE—Cheap if taken at once,  
bakery and restaurant stock, valued  
at \$2,000. Address "Bakery," care  
Gate City.

FOR SALE—Fine English bull dog,  
one year old. Phil Nichols' saloon,  
13 North Sixth.

FOR SALE—Shoats and pigs. Call  
Red-290.

### LOST.

LOST—Old style cameo pin between  
Fifth and Blondeau and Tenth and  
Main. Return 707 Blondeau. Reward.

LOST—Gold link moonstone rosary.  
Inscription A. Zimmerman. Return  
to office and receive reward.

### MISCELLANEOUS.

MONEY TO LOAN—See Wm. Tim-  
berman, 522 Main street.

A GOOD proposition for a hustler.  
We furnish everything. Address  
Box 4, Gate City.

SMALL MISSOURI FARMS—Either  
10, 20, 30 or 40 acres (you take  
your choice regardless of size); also  
three town lots and 300 shares in suc-  
cessful 1,000-acre orchard company,  
with two canning factories and full  
equipment; all for only \$300, \$5 down  
and \$5 monthly, without interest or  
taxes; will pay round trip railway  
fare of buyers; payments stop in case  
of death. Write for photographs and  
full information. Willis R. Munger,  
210 N. Y. Life Bldg., Kansas City, Mo.

RAILROAD firemen, brakemen, \$120.  
Experience unnecessary. Send age,  
postage. Railway, care Gate City.

\$80 MONTHLY and expenses to  
travel, distribute samples and take  
orders, or appoint agents; permanent.  
Jap American Co., Chicago.

REPRESENTATIVE WANTED—To  
sell strictly non-intoxicating beer,  
manufactured by responsible brewery.  
Can be sold without United States in-  
ternal revenue tax. It contains no  
alcohol. It looks like beer—tastes  
like beer and it is beer. Exclusive  
territory to salesmen who can make  
good. Must be able to furnish bond.  
Write for full particulars today.  
Tabor Brewing company, 2336 Cooper  
street, Chicago.

WOULD YOU WORK for \$15.00 per  
week, 8 hours a day? Woman  
wanted to distribute free packages  
Borax Washing Powder. Ward Soap  
Co., 215 Institute Pl., Chicago.

Swedish Employment Bureau.  
The Swedish government operates  
public employment bureaus. Their  
services are free of charge.

## FOR SALE

No. 700 North Twelfth street,  
six-room, partly modern cottage  
and full lot; good barn.

Nos. 926 and 928 Concert  
street, two 6-room brick houses;  
located on corner lot, and should  
interest you if you are looking  
for investment property.

No. 1429 Concert street, part-  
ly modern brick flat, located on  
corner lot. Will make a nice  
investment because, priced very  
low.

No. 1423 Concert street, eight-  
room modern frame. Without  
doubt the best constructed  
frame house in the city, and at  
a price far below construction  
cost.

No. 1212 Orleans avenue, a  
six-room frame house with full  
cellar. This property has an  
80-foot frontage, but will sell  
the house and 40 feet.

No. 907 Exchange street, an  
eight-room, thoroughly modern  
house in the very best condition.

No. 1328 Des Moines street,  
an 8-room, partly modern house.  
Priced at a figure that should  
interest anyone wishing a home  
in this vicinity.

No. 213 South Sixth street, 7-  
room partly modern, half of  
double brick.

No. 1227 William street, sev-  
en-room frame house at very  
low price.

No. 1428 Estes street, six-  
room frame house, with good  
barn and three lots. Will sell  
the house and one lot or will  
sell the vacant lots separate.

Nos. 1100 and 1102 Reid  
street, a double frame house  
with three lots. Will sell the  
house and one lot or the vacant  
lots separate.

No. 718 South Fifth street, a  
six-room frame cottage, with lot  
having a 70-foot frontage, and  
will consider any offer that you  
care to make.

None of the above occupied  
houses will be shown by owner  
or tenant without orders from  
this office.

**John Tumelty**  
INSURANCE  
AND REAL ESTATE.  
12 N. Sixth St. Phone 1699.

Lead in Flax Production.  
Russia leads the world in the pro-  
duction of flax fiber and Argentina in  
the production of seed.

Modest Des Moines.  
Davenport Democrat: With its  
usual modesty, Des Moines offers one  
candidate for senator on each ticket  
—Cummins, Meredith and Schenk.  
The capital city believes in playing  
safe.

## Cut This Out

Name .....

Address .....

Amount Wanted .....

and mail to us if you are in  
need of a little money and  
our agent will call on you  
and explain our easy pay-  
ment methods of loaning

## MONEY

We have no office in Keokuk  
but are in the city every  
Wednesday and will make  
you a loan of any amount,  
\$5 to \$100 on your HOUSE-  
HOLD GOODS, PIANO,  
HORSES, VEHICLES, ETC.

Let us help you pay  
your debts.

**Burlington Loan  
Co.**  
224 Tama Building  
Burlington—Phone 16

## AMUSEMENTS.

"The Man From the Golden West."  
Program for four days, commencing  
Sunday, May 24. "The Man From the  
Golden West."  
Jim Melvin ..... Jack Lewis  
Lester Morton ..... Jefferson DeArmond  
Lester Dawson ..... F. S. Gordon  
Amos Simpson ..... Chas. Breckenridge  
Robert Morton ..... Clifford Mack  
Dick Bowman ..... R. A. Bernier  
Amy Simpson ..... Edna Grandin  
Mrs. Simpson ..... Mae Dudley  
Dolly Morton ..... Mae Hadley  
Act I—Home of James Morton (N.  
Y. Time, evening.)  
Act II—New York tenement home  
of Jim and Robert.  
Act III—Office of James Morton  
& Co., brokers.  
Act IV—Same as act I. (Evening.)  
Mr. Jack Lewis and the Lewis Oliv-  
er players have been secured by the  
management of the Hippodrome the-  
atre for an engagement of indefinite  
length in this city. The company  
will present a number of high class  
plays, the best that are being offered  
by any stock company at the present  
time. The first will be given this  
week, starting this evening. "The  
Man From the Golden West" is  
the title of the first play that will be  
presented. The cast has been care-

## IMPORTANT TO AUTO OWNERS

Here is a curious side-light on the  
doings of the drivers and mechanics  
who are preparing their cars at the  
Indianapolis speedway for the big  
race

Chas. Keene, driving the Beaver  
Bullet, received a set of Airless Tires,  
which he had requested to be sent  
from Dayton for a test. After giving  
the Airless Tires a most severe test  
at a high rate of speed, Keene found  
them, much to his surprise, to be  
more resilient than pneumatics, and  
it developed that one set of these tires  
would easily carry a car through the  
entire 500 miles of the race. This  
would win for any car carrying the  
Airless Tires, as the race is more a  
test of tires than of cars.

Knowing, however, that this advan-  
tage would not be allowed by the race  
managers, the Airless Tires were re-  
moved and Dayton Pneumatics sub-  
stituted, which ran 51 miles, at the  
rate of 98 miles an hour.

Finding this tire record to be be-  
yond anything that had ever been  
done before at the track, the Beaver  
people geared up their car to a higher  
speed, and in their next tryout were  
able to go into the turns at 110 miles  
per hour, and make even higher  
speeds on the straight stretches with-  
out tire trouble.

Jokingly, Keene was accused by  
DePalma, Goux, Barney Oldfield, and  
some of the other drivers, of using  
Dayton Airless Tires with Dayton  
Pneumatic lettering, and this trio of  
great drivers would not believe the  
contrary until the valve caps were re-  
moved and the air valves tested.

There is absolutely no question, but  
a known fact, that the Dayton Airless  
is by far the cheapest tire in the  
world when durability and the easy  
riding qualities are considered. They  
have no inner tubes, no blow-outs, ab-  
solutely no competitor. We have posi-  
tive proof of these tires on light cars  
having traveled 21,000 miles and still  
in operation.

Call at 306 Main street and inspect  
them.

**WATSON & LAMBRAKIS,**  
Agents.

## CITY NEWS.

—A moonlight excursion on Lake  
Cooper, aboard the steamer St. Paul  
will be given tomorrow evening by  
the young lady telephone operators.  
It is expected that a large crowd will  
take the outing and a fine time is  
anticipated.

—Read The Daily Gate City, 10c  
per week.

**Keokuk Retail  
Merchants  
Refund Railroad  
Fares on  
Purchases.**