

NOTICE!

THE report circulated that Collier Stationery Co. has succeeded to the business of the Cushman Stationery Co. is not correct.

J. N. Collier took the merchandise and fixtures covered by mortgage to satisfy demands we could not meet.

We did not transfer our BUSINESS and are located temporarily at 511 Blondeau St. Phone 1661. New location announced later.

We are ready to fill the bill.

Cushman Stationery Co.

SUNDAY
Mr. Underwood Presents at
The Orpheum
The City
A Beautiful Drama
IN TWO PARTS

—ALSO—
Mabel's New Job
A Comedy
IN TWO PARTS

Remember You See the Best at the Orpheum
Shows Regular Hours. Prices Always the Same

Francis X. Bushman
In a two reel Comedy Drama
'His Stolen Fortune'
Adapted from Munsey Magazines
—AT THE—
Colonial Theatre
TO-NIGHT

Also "THE GYPSY GAMBLER" Exciting Kalem Western.
"A MODERN SAMPSON" Edison Comedy. 4 HIGH CLASS REELS NOTHING BUT THE BEST.

BIG APPLE CROP OF GOOD QUALITY

Estimate is That it will Run into a Million Bushels in Iowa This Year.

AMES, Ia., Aug. 29.—The Iowa apple crop estimates as published by the Iowa weather and crop service and by the state horticultural society, indicate a probable production of approximately one million bushels for this year. The horticulturists at Iowa State college say this production is largely from well sprayed and well cared for orchards, so that it should be of best quality. This class of fruit is expected to find a ready market at a fair price this year when it will not have to compete locally with the poorer grades and cull stock from un-

sprayed orchards. Unsprayed orchards will produce practically nothing this year, while sprayed orchards report as high as 70 percent of last year's yield. The crop in other states of the middle west varies, but on the whole the crop in this section will not be large. Missouri shows an estimated production of 50 percent; Arkansas, July 1, 65 percent; southeastern Nebraska, the principal apple section of the state, 40 to 45 percent; Kansas, 35 to 45 percent; Illinois and Indiana, probably not to exceed 40 percent. Later reports will probably lower these estimates. **Might as Well See the Best.** "I say, Mabel, if we aren't going to buy anything let's look at something expensive."—Life.

START WORK ON NEW EXTENSION

New McKinley Avenue Car Line to be Completed Within Month, It is Now Expected.

TO GET WATER SERVICE

Mayor Moorhead States City Will See That Water Mains Are Extended to Addition.

Active work on the extension of the street car line through the new McKinley avenue district will be started tomorrow morning. It is expected by officials of the street car company that the new line will be ready for operation within three weeks or a month. Assurances have been given, also, by Mayor Moorhead that the water mains will be extended into this district according to the agreement made between the interested parties last spring. If the water works company continues to refuse to extend the mains the work will be done by the city and the expense deducted from the monthly water bills paid by the city to the company. Superintendent Ingle stated yesterday that most of the material for the extension of the car line already was on the ground. The poles for the wires were hauled out along the proposed line yesterday and will be placed by workmen of the company who will start tomorrow to do this work.

The contract for excavating the street for the rock foundation of the track has been let to James Cameron and his men also will start work tomorrow. 1,500 ties, 6,000 feet of rails, 75 poles, and 3,000 feet of wire will be used in the extension.

No Reply Yet.
No reply has yet been received from President Hoffmaster of the water works company, in answer to the letter of Commissioner Collins, published recently, in which Commissioner Collins urged the official of the company to reconsider his decision not to extend the water mains. The reason for Mr. Hoffmaster's decision was that it would be impossible to market bonds to cover the cost of the work on account of the present financial stringency induced by the European war.

The cost of extending the mains would amount to a little over \$2,000. If the work is done by the city it is planned to deduct from the monthly payment to the water works company about \$500 until the cost of the work has been covered.

The council yesterday authorized the clerk to draw a warrant for \$1,050 for the payment of interest on the \$42,000 bond debt. A warrant for \$60 was issued to Fred C. Eppers who lost considerable property in a fire caused by sparks from a city steam roller.

W. C. T. U. CONVENTION BROUGHT TO CLOSE

Delegates at Burlington Approve Action in Regard to John E. Craig.

The convention of the W. C. T. U. of the first district held at Burlington the last two days closed last night. The Keokuk union was represented by Mrs. Hancock who made the report of the committee on literature.

Among the resolutions adopted were the following: "Believing that moderate and social drinking is not only evil but a peril, both to the individual and the nation, in that it increases impurity, wreckage of the home and the cause of divorce, therefore we reaffirm our loyalty to the principles of total abstinence and urge more earnest effort to secure signers of the total abstinence pledge. "We heartily endorse the actions of President Wilson in not appointing John E. Craig of Keokuk, as attorney for southern Iowa."

DR. AND MRS. HUGHES VISITING IN CITY

Are at Old Homestead, 205 Morgan Street for Week or Ten Days.

Dr. Joseph C. Hughes and Mrs. Hughes are in Keokuk for a week or ten days, at the old homestead, 205 Morgan street. They live now in Eustis, Fla. Dr. Hughes is a prominent member of one of the old first families of Keokuk, and for years was a leading surgeon of Iowa and dean of the College of Physicians and Surgeons. He left this city, and retired from active practice about fifteen years ago. He has a fishing lodge below Fort Meyer and brought north some remarkable fish photographs. Mrs. Hughes was for many years one of the most popular women in Keokuk society and like Dr. Hughes will be warmly welcomed by the old guard of Keokuk's four hundred.

Y. M. C. A. ITEMS

Camp Sheridan.

It will be remembered that Y. M. C. A. boys returned recently from their camp, situated just this side of Nauvoo, on the Illinois side with a splendid view overlooking the Mississippi river, which afforded them a refreshing and healthful bathing place, during the heated term in which they enjoyed themselves as no lads ever enjoyed themselves better. The prime factors in establishing the camp was good wholesome fun and the training of character, and of the former there was an abundance and the week's sojourn out amid the invigorating play places of nature, a splendid natural wood, where character is formed. The boys are even to this time reciting the adventures of that glorious camping time. A jolly camp without a yell, a song is like a college without a yell. The boys at Camp Sheridan had a variety of yells that resounded along the bluff and skurried down the river bed and went musically meandering down its ribbon bosom. But the songs from the partially trained chorus of boy voices was sung with a spirit and enthusiasm which would attract the attention and give a thoughtful inspiration to the most callous individual. Its memory should be perpetuated and for that purpose is given below. The words of "Camp Sheridan Song," as it was named by the boys, were hastily written by Donald Strickler, one of the boy campers, adapted to the tune of "My Harem." Below are the words:

Camp Sheridan Song.
The big show man is with us;
We've tried all his biscuits;
Cakes for breakfast,
Beans for dinner,
Spuds for supper—My!
Everything that tastes good
For the campers from the "Y."
CHORUS
At the "Y" camp, the "Y" camp,
There's Eddie, Davey, Vathy
And the eats they chew,
It really makes you
Laugh, at the "Y" camp near old
Nauvoo.

But we must have our troubles,
And make them burst like bubbles;
Homesick Scally,
Sunburnt Johnny,
Shiftless Palmer Pyle—
You can never fool us,
We see through your artful guiles.
CHORUS

At the "Y" camp, at the "Y" camp,
There's Eddie, Clyde, Skinney,
And the stunts they do
You would really wish that you
Were at the "Y" camp near old Nauvoo.
It became popular in the camp and its popularity will no doubt continue to be used at camp next year.

Chapman's Departure.
Ben D. Chapman was delayed somewhat in his departure for his new position at Clinton, which commences September 1. He expected to spend a few days enroute at Cedar Rapids.

LATEST MARKET QUOTATIONS

United Press Association Telegraph Market Report Over Gate City Lead Wire.

Grain Review.
[United Press Leased Wire Service.]
CHICAGO, Aug. 29.—Wheat gained 7/8 to 7/16 this week, bringing the total advance since the beginning of the world war to more than 30 cents. Early in the week, there was a reaction against the high prices of the week before. New traders, however, took hold of the market and ran prices up in startling fashion until September on Thursday reached \$1.12 and May \$1.25. The regular traders did not join in this furore and prices fell sharply the following day, but the indications that the struggle in Europe will continue many months overshadowed any bear feature. The close today found September \$1.07, December \$1.11 and May \$1.18.

Corn gained 1/2 to 1/4 for the deferred months but only a shade for September during the week. The market was indebted to the bullish movement in wheat for the advance, good rains over the corn belt acting as a bearish factor. Good export demand for oats, coupled with the sharp advance in wheat, boosted oats futures 2 1/2 to 3 1/2 during the week. The domestic demand continued good. Pork dropped \$1.90 for the week, chiefly because hog receipts at the stock yards were heavier and prices lower. Lard and short ribs lost 7 to 22 cents.

Daily Range of Prices.
CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 29.—
Open. High. Low. Close.
WHEAT—
Sep. 104 1/2 107 1/2 104 1/2
Dec. 109 1/2 111 1/2 108 1/2 111 1/2
May 116 1/2 118 1/2 116 1/2
CORN—
Sep. 79 1/2 80 1/2 79 1/2 80
Dec. 71 1/2 72 1/2 71 1/2 72 1/2
May 73 1/2 74 1/2 73 1/2 74 1/2
OATS—
Sep. 46 1/2 48 1/2 46 1/2 48 1/2
Dec. 49 1/2 51 1/2 49 1/2 51 1/2
May 52 1/2 54 1/2 52 1/2 54 1/2
PORK—
Sep. 20.70 20.70 20.60 20.60
Jan. 22.50 22.60 22.45 22.60
LARD—

Chicago Cash Grain.
CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 29.—Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.07@1.10 1/4; No. 3 red, \$1.06@1.09; No. 2 hard, \$1.06@1.09 1/4; No. 3 hard, \$1.05@1.08 1/4.
Corn—No. 2 yellow, 81@81 1/2 c; No. 3 yellow, 81@81 1/2 c; No. 4 yellow, 80 1/2 @81 c; No. 5 yellow, 80@80 1/2 c; No. 6 yellow, 80 c; No. 2 white, 83@83 1/2 c; No. 3 white, 83@83 1/2 c; No. 5 white, 82 1/2 @83 c; No. 6 white, 82@82 1/2 c; No. 2 mixed, 81@81 1/2 c; No. 3 mixed, 80 1/2 @80 1/2 c; No. 4 mixed, 80@80 1/2 c; No. 5 mixed, 80@80 1/2 c; No. 6 mixed, 80 c.
Oats—No. 2 white, 48 1/2 @49 1/4 c; No. 3 white, 47 1/2 @48 1/4 c; No. 4 white, 47 @47 1/2 c; standard, 48 1/2 @48 1/2 c.
Peoria Cash Grain.
PEORIA, Ill., Aug. 29.—Corn—Receipts 41 cars; market 1/4 c lower. No. 1 yellow and No. 1 mixed, and No. 3 yellow, 81 1/2 c; No. 2 yellow, 81 1/2 @81 3/4 c; No. 6 yellow, 81 c; No. 3 mixed, 81 1/2 c; sample, 80 1/2 c.
Oats—Receipts 20 cars; market 1/4 c higher. No. 2 white, 48 c; standard, 48 c; No. 3 white, 47 1/2 @48 c.
New York Produce.
NEW YORK, Aug. 29.—Butter—Market steady; receipts 6,000 tubs. Creamery extras, 31 1/2 @32 c; firsts, 28 @31 c; seconds, 26 @28 c; ladies, current make, firsts, 23 1/2 @24 c; seconds, 22 1/2 @23 c; process extras, 26 @26 1/2 c.
Eggs, firm; receipts 10,800 cases; fresh gathered extras, 29 @31 c; do. extra firsts, 27 @28 c; seconds, 23 @24 c; refrigerator, special marks, fancy charges paid, 27 c; state Penna. and nearby henneries whites, 34 @36 c; do. gathered whites, 28 @32 c; do. henry brown, 30 @32 c; gathered brown and mixed colors, 23 @29 c; western gathered whites, 24 @28 c.
Poultry, dressed, firm; western chickens, broilers, fresh, 14 @19 c; fowls, 12 @19 c; turkeys, 19 @24 c.

At the wind-up of his business here he found so much to do that it kept him all day yesterday as busy as a candidate on the last day of his campaign, attending to the unexpected matters that presented themselves for adjustment. But he would leave nothing undone that should be done, if the performance of it would necessarily shorten his planned visits along the route to his new home. He got off yesterday and will spend a short time at Cedar Rapids and then speed on to Clinton to commence his engagement as secretary of the boys department. His departure from here was greatly regretted and among no class of people, more than the young people of the city generally and the boys of the association who looked to him as a safe guide as well as a true friend. He will be greatly missed which will be more seriously realized now that he is gone.

TWO NEW SUITS ON FILE ON SATURDAY

River Pilot Wants Divorce and Grain Shipper is Seeking Damages He Claims Due Him.

J. H. Laycock, a river pilot, has brought suit for divorce against Adele D. Laycock. The plaintiff sets out in his petition that he was forced to leave Denver in March 1908 to come to Iowa in order to follow his occupation as steamboat pilot. He claims he has repeatedly asked defendant to come here to live, and that he has sent her money regularly for her support. He asks that he be granted a decree on the grounds of desertion. The Laycocks were married in 1882.

Chris Meleratto has filed suit against the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific railroad for \$150, and interest which he claims is due him because of an alleged shortage of wheat in a car shipped over the Rock Island and alleged delay which allowed market fluctuations to effect his chances of selling. Meleratto claims in his petition that he sent the car of wheat from Nira, Iowa to St. Louis and that when loaded it contained 52,550 bushels. On reaching its destination, he claims only 50,650 bushels were in the car. The car, he claims, was shipped June 22 and didn't get to St. Louis until July 8, and that this was unnecessary delay in transit and during this time the market dropped six cents. He claims \$150 and interest and costs of the suit.

PERSONALS.

A. E. Marks and family have returned home from an automobile trip to Council Bluffs, Omaha and the state fair.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Bonroe and son, Carl, who have been visiting at the home of Mrs. W. F. Kammerer, have returned to their home in St. Louis, Mo.

Mrs. Elmer Ullin and baby daughter of Delta, Iowa, will return home Saturday morning, being called here on account of the serious illness of her brother, LeRoy Bathen.

New Fall Dress Goods and Silks, Dress Gingham and Percalé NOW ON DISPLAY

Just received a large assortment of above lines suitable for school dresses and boys waists

School time will soon be here.

See our Boy's Waists at 25c each
See our Boy's Hosiery at 15 and 25c pair
See our Girl's Hosiery at 15 and 25c pair

Our hosiery department is now very complete.

Many new fall goods arriving daily.

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Home of High Class Vaudeville, Musical and Dramatic Tabloids
Affiliated with Western Vaudeville Managers' Association.

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Starting MONDAY
Rolland Travers Co.
In Magic and Illusion.
NEAL & ABLE
The Man With the Mobile-Free
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Special Feature Pictures
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Francis Le Maire
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Doyle & Elaine
"A Pair of Girls With Daffydil Twirls"
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To all School Children under Twelve Years Until School Opens
Admission 10, 15c, 20c.
Matinee Daily Except Sunday.
Evening shows 7:30 and 9:00 o'clock sharp. Look forward for the big Musical Tabloids during the fall and winter season.

Alive, irregular; western chickens, broilers, 18 @19c; fowls, 17 @18 1/2 c; turkeys, 14 @14 1/2 c.
Chicago Produce.
CHICAGO, Aug. 29.—Butter—Firm; creameries, 24 1/2 @30 c.
Eggs—Lower; receipts 8,337 cases; at mark, cases included, 18 @22 c ordinary firsts, 20 1/2 @21 c; firsts, 22 @22 1/2 c.
Poultry, alive, lower; fowls, 15c; springs, 17 @17 1/2 c.
Chicago Live Stock.
CHICAGO, Aug. 29.—Hog receipts 8,000; market strong and 5c higher. Bulk, \$8.30 @9.25; light, \$8.35 @9.40; mixed, \$8.65 @9.40; heavy, \$9 @9.40.
9.35; rough, \$8.50 @8.70; pigs, \$5.50 @8.85.
Cattle receipts 1,500; market steady to strong. Beaves, \$6.75 @10.65; steers, \$6.35 @9.40; cows and heifers, \$3.80 @9.25; stockers and feeders, \$5.50 @8.15; calves, \$7.50 @11.50.
Sheep receipts 10,000; market generally steady. Sheep, \$4.75 @5.65; yearlings, \$5.60 @6.50; lambs, \$6.00 @7.80.
St. Louis Hay and Straw.
ST. LOUIS, Aug. 29.—Clover-mixed \$15.00 @17.00; timothy, \$16.50 @18.50; clover, \$16.00 @18.50; alfalfa, \$15.00 @17.00.
Straw—Wheat, \$5.50, switched.