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The name of this corporation is the Bowman-Boyer Company, with its principal place of business at Keokuk, Iowa.

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The amount of capital stock of this corporation is fifty thousand dollars, to be divided into shares of one hundred dollars each, and to be paid in, and under such conditions as the board of directors may determine.

This renewal shall commence December 12, 1914, and continue for a period of twenty years.

The business of this corporation shall be conducted by a board of not less than three directors, and said board shall at the annual election on the first Monday of November, elect a president, vice president, secretary and treasurer.

The highest amount of indebtedness contracted by this corporation at any time shall not exceed two-thirds of its capital stock.

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Dufus-Hughes Recital.

The fine recitation of songs for Dufus-Hughes recital was held last night.

Those who are going should secure seats at once as the recital promises to be a popular one.

The program has been received and is most interesting.

Miss Dufus will sing the brilliant Polonaise, from Liszt, an opera in which she has won many triumphs. She will also sing Phoebe's "Trot Polka-Dot," a ballad which she has made peculiarly her own. For the symphonic interpretation of Miss Dufus-Hughes, see "The Musical" in the next issue.

Miss Dufus will sing the Polonaise, from Liszt, and see also in, with a simple Irish ballad, like the "Polka-Dot" speak to the hearts of her audience. In a soprano of her type this is unusual.

A collection may be secured by her brilliant runs and rolls, electricity with her accompaniment, with the clarity and beauty of her notes. Her setting is it left for her to touch the heart with sympathy. A Chicago paper says:

"In vocal purity as well as in accuracy of execution and rhythmic variation Miss Dufus fairly swept the critical audience, she came to great sympathy and remained for the so-called and electrified, swept it free from stolidity and passion it to the chariot wheels of her soaring song."

A few years ago Felix Hughes delighted an audience of his friends and music lovers in Keokuk with a recital in the Unitarian church.

The song that captivated his audience and has remained long in the memory of his hearers was a little French song called "Le Meige."

This he has consented to repeat and will appear on his program next Thursday.

Gallery seats are fifty cents. Every music student in town should hear these artists.—Advertisement.

CITY NEWS.

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PERSONALS.

Fort Madison Democrat, Feb. 22: Miss Ethel McBohn who has been the guest of Miss Bees Hamilton returned today to her home in Keokuk.

Bernhardt's Condition. [United Press Leased Wire Service.] BORDAUX, Feb. 22.—Mme. Sarah Bernhardt, whose right leg was amputated at the knee yesterday, passed a comfortable night, according to the first bulletin issued by her physicians today. Her condition was said to be good.

Ignorance and Opinion. F. P. A. in New York Tribune: The editor of Harper's Weekly explains why he has not expressed an opinion on the shipping bill. "It is because," he says, "we have not been able to accumulate enough knowledge; a feeble reason, to doubt, but the only one we have." It is not a feeble reason; it is a strong reason. But it is the very lack of knowledge that sets many an opinion afloat—especially editorial opinion.

Lime Treatment in Tuberculosis.

In the May 25, 1912, issue of the Journal of the American Medical Association appears this statement concerning calcium (lime) medication in the treatment of pulmonary tuberculosis (consumption):

"Under the systematic, continued and prolonged regime of calcium assimilation, Van Gieson has seen a number of his patients improve, undergo an erosion of partial consolidation in the lung, which then resolving would appear to contribute to the healing process. In some instances, however, the patient has died. Head in hand with this course of events, the optimum clear-up of tubercle bacilli, which usually disappears, and the patients are discharged with healed pulmonary tuberculosis."

Medical journals seldom speak so positively about a remedial agent, yet this testimony coincides with that from many consumptives who have secured like results through the use of Eckman's Alternative.

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REPRESENTS CITY AT JOINT HEARING

Telephone Bill Hearing Before Joint House and Senate Committee at Des Moines Tuesday.

WANT MORE HOME RULE FRIGHTENED WOMEN

Project of Legal Service Bill by the City Council is left to a Board of Arbitration.

City Attorney Theodore Craig represented the interest of this city in the joint hearing of the house and senate committee, at Des Moines today on the telephone bill. The bill provides for placing the telephone companies under the control of the cities. At the present time telephone companies in this state are not operated under franchises as they are in many other states. The proposed bill would provide for this.

Mr. Craig will also appear before several other committees in the interests of the city council.

An increase in the amount of money available for the general fund of each city will be sought by Mr. Craig. Under the present statute the maximum of ten mills is not sufficient since the needs of the fund are to be curtailed by the loss in revenue from the mill tax.

The proposed bill to place all electric wiring of each city under the control of the railroad commission will be opposed by Mr. Craig in the interests of the council. More "home rule" by the councils of the various cities of the state will be sought.

The project of the city council of the bill for legal services in the telephone case by W. E. and H. E. Collins has been left to the board of arbitration by an agreement between the council and the attorneys. The board will consist of Judge Hamilton, Judge Bank and a third man to be appointed by the two men named. The third man will be a local business man. Payment of the bill was protested by the council on the grounds that it was too high.

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MORE MYSTERY IN GRIMSLEY HOME

"Grand" Who Has Been Trying to Attract Attention of People Was Arrested Last Week.

Started to Hear Cough Come From Deafened Building and See Arm Waving at Window.

There is another chapter to be written about the old Grimsley house on North Seventh street, above Morgan street. A mysterious figure has been building, evidently trying to attract the attention of passersby, usually women. Last week the "ghost" was arrested and later turned loose when on the apparent against him. Now the information are filed, the police are endeavoring to recapture the individual.

The little old brick house, in need of repair. The doors are all off their hinges or swung back, and the glass in one of the window panes is would hardly seem to be a good place to shelter anyone in winter.

One policeman who went past the building in the night, according to the winter was rather startled to hear a cough and to see what looked like a white arm waving through the opening where a window used to be. Thinking it might be the old Mrs. Grimsley come back, no investigation was made.

Last week, however, two women were going up the street. They were attracted by a cough and saw what looked to be an arm in a white garment waving. They walked around the block to verify their suspicions and then became frightened, when they saw that the apparition was a white arm waving through the opening where a window used to be. Thinking it might be the old Mrs. Grimsley come back, no investigation was made.

WILSON SEES NO CAUSE FOR ALARM

Has Not Determined on Course of Action in the Case of the Evelyn.

[United Press Leased Wire Service.] WASHINGTON, Feb. 22.—President Wilson told newspaper men today that he still sees a possibility of passing his ship purchase bill. The bill will not be substantially altered in conference, the president believed, but some minor changes may be made before it is again placed before the senate.

The president indicated he did not view the incident with alarm. He has not determined upon a course of action in the case.

The practice of nations, the president pointed out, has been not only to furnish pilots to guide neutral ships safely through mine fields, but also to furnish charts showing approximately the dangerous regions.

No decision has been reached, the president said, regarding replies to the German and British war zone notes.

The president is studying the far eastern situation with a view of determining upon a policy for the United States in regard to the Japanese demands on China.

The executive is waiting a full report of investigation by the navy department before acting upon the German and Austrian protest against the building of submarines in the United States for the allies.

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