

\$2.50 Less This Week Only

Hoosier Kitchen Cabinets

For a single dollar right now, you can have "White Beauty," the famous Hoosier Cabinet, put into your home at \$2.50 less than even the low cash price fixed by the Hoosier Company; balance in small weekly dues of \$1.00.

You can search the whole world and find nothing that saves so much labor in your kitchen. All the old features that have made the Hoosier famous in 800,000 kitchens are retained, but the new

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Here are some Exclusive Hoosier Conveniences. They will save you, records show, millions of steps.

The Remarkable Flour Bin.

You can judge the whole cabinet by the remarkable flour bin alone. This bin, all high-grade metal, is so smooth inside no flour can stick. Dust can't get in. The top is low—easy to fill. Entire top slides off for filling. The big sliding glass panel in front keeps contents visible—makes cleaning easy.

The new shaker sifter—a Hoosier patent—is a wonder. New principle entirely. Shakes flour through; doesn't grind it. Can't wear out. Can't grind grit through. Cleans the flour it sifts. Makes it fluffy and light.

Like the rest of the cabinet, every detail of this bin is perfect.

What Shall You Cook?

Mrs. Christine Frederick's Food Guide answers this eternal problem. Simply turn the dial to meat you like. A choice of simple menus is before you that balance perfectly with that meat.

Don't fail to see the forty other features—seventeen of them new.

This may be your last chance to buy at this saving of \$2.50. Our allotment is strictly limited by The Hoosier Company. Price goes up again when these are sold. Come in right away and decide.

This is Our March Sale Special for This Week and Will Not Be Duplicated in April

Duncan-Schell Furniture Co.

TO THE PUBLIC: We authorize this sale, limited to "White Beauty" Hoosier cabinets, at \$2.50 less than the fixed cash price of these cabinets, this week only. THE HOOSIER MFG. CO., New Castle, Ind.



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AMUSEMENTS

COLONIAL TODAY

A Big Feature in Two Reels Featuring Dorothy Davenport

THE CRYSTAL GLOBE

As good a feature picture as you can see in the city

Two more reels, including a roaring Comedy, entitled

WHY PERCY GOT MARRIED.

You'll laugh when you see this as you never laughed before

WIGGINS & GORRELL
Change their vaudeville act tonight, giving you another funny one entitled Gym Troubles.

FIX TO KUM.

JUDGES ANNOUNCE WINDOW WINNERS

Ayres & Chapman Get First Ribbon in the First Contest of This Sort Held in Keokuk.

RATINGS ARE ALL CLOSE

Only Fraction of Point Separated Several of the Contestants When Totals Were Reached.

WINNERS AND THE SCORE.

Ayres and Chapman	927
Baur and Mullarkey	908 1-3
Nathan S. Lowitz	906
Renaud's	895 1-3
E. C. Weisman	893

The blue ribbon, signifying first place in the first window display contest held in Keokuk, is awarded Ayres and Chapman by the score cards of the three judges. The awards were announced this morning just before noon, by the contest committee, after going over the three score cards and totaling the points given by the arbiters.

The winning window was of Kelley green satin overdraped with white silk marquette, with Killarney roses as the decorative flower. To Baur and Mullarkey the red ribbon is given, signifying second place. N. S. Lowitz wins the white ribbon of third place, Renaud's takes the pink with its fourth place significance and E. C. Weisman is given the lavender bow, for fifth place. Money prizes go with each of these ribbons, six dollars for first prize, five, four, three and two dollars for the other four places.

The ribbons together with cards signifying what place the windows occupied in the contest, were placed in the prize winning windows by the contest committee this noon.

How Points Were Awarded.
The windows were judged on the following ratings by the three judges: Cleanliness, 250 per cent; artistic arrangement, 100 per cent; sales value, 250 per cent; general effect and impression, 300 per cent; appearance of store, principally, cleanliness, 100 per cent.

The judges also took into consideration the size of the windows, and the conditions under which the window was competing. This gives the small merchants just as equal a show as the larger ones, and where a man has only a few inches of display window compared with his neighbor's several feet, the judges did not fail to take this into consideration.

Best Average for Cup.
The merchants who were in on this first contest all have a chance for the cup. The best average will win the handsome silver cup. A window may take second or third in every contest, and yet have a higher general average than the window which took first in one contest, and second or third in the others. Only these in all contests can have a chance at the cup.

The contest committee announced after looking over the scores that the ratings were exceedingly close. In several instances it was shown that only a fraction of a point separated the windows of various stores. This means that everyone has a chance for the cup who stays in the race, as their general average might be better than the winners in individual contests.

Judges' Job Hard One.
The three judges had no easy job in making the ratings. It took considerable time to inspect the windows and to make their ratings. The judges acted independently of one another, and the contest committee awarded the prizes after totaling the ratings on each of the cards.

The three judges who served this time were Mrs. W. G. Blood, Dr. C. R. Armentrout and Harry L. Culkin.

Credit to Towne.
Too much credit for the success of the first window display contest cannot be given to O. B. Towne, manager of the Industrial association, and M. E. Justice, president of the Retailers' league. Mr. Towne originally made the suggestion that the contests be held and did everything he could to aid the merchants by securing information from other cities where similar contests have been held. Mr. Justice has pushed the contest at the meetings of the Retailers' league and his influence has been largely responsible for the interest that has been taken by the merchants.

CITY NEWS.

Attend Maccabee's card party and dance Tuesday evening, March 16, Hawkes' hall. Agne's music.

Regular meeting of the Knights and Ladies of Security tonight at 8 o'clock, at Hawkes' hall. Refreshments.

A number of people were out yesterday, lured by the pleasant weather. The store windows along Main street attracted many.

Keokuk council No. 1039, Knights and Ladies of Security, regular meeting tonight at Hawkes' hall at 8 o'clock. All members urged to attend. Important business. Refreshments.

The annual meeting of the school board will be held this evening at 7:30 o'clock. There being no changes on the board, there probably will be no changes except in the personnel of the committees.

Winter seems loath to leave this vicinity. The old coger who is lin-

First Formal Showing of Ladies', Misses' and Children's Suits, Coats Dresses, Skirts

We wish to announce that our beautiful assortment of spring garments is ready for your inspection. The styles are not quite so extreme as they have been for a few seasons; colors are more subdued and the cut of most garments is suitable for any one and cannot at all be classed as freakish. Our stock this spring shows a very wide range of styles, there are not two exactly alike. The spring season is short, so we advise an early selection. Come in and see the new styles. It will be a pleasure to show you what the leading manufacturers are making.

Sullivan & Auwerda

Only a few days remaining in which to secure the "Delineator"—the most popular woman's magazine—at a very special price.

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CHICAGO PIANIST APPEARS TONIGHT

Monday Music Club Program Will Feature Glenn Dillard Gunn, Musician and Critic.

Glenn Dillard Gunn who appears of the Monday Music club program tonight is a conspicuous figure in American music.

He is one of the few American pianists to have been heard with the representative orchestras of the country, having appeared with the Thomas, New York Symphony, Minneapolis Symphony and Boston Opera orchestras. He is musical editor of the Chicago Tribune and a member of the extension faculty of the University of Chicago.

His standing as a pianist is sufficiently attested by the cordial greeting given him by the music lovers of Chicago—who should know him best—and who filled Music hall, on the occasion of his recital on March 10, 1912, despite the competition offered by Vladimir de Pachmann and John McCormack, who were giving recitals in adjoining auditoriums at the same hour.

He offered an unusual program. It opened with the prelude to the Beethoven "Fantasia Contrapunctistica," performed for the first time in America on this occasion, and contained further important compositions of Debussy, Ravel and Liszt. The comments of his colleagues of the Chicago press are particularly interesting. Mr. Felix Borowski, musical editor of the Record-Herald, occupying Mr. Gunn's desk at the Tribune for this occasion, wrote as follows in the latter paper:

To Glenn Dillard Gunn arrived the distinction, at his piano recital yesterday in Music hall, of having drawn the largest audience that has occupied that temple of art during this long and not uneventful season.

As the numerical proportions of a gathering in a concert hall are generally considered to be an index to the popularity of the artist presenting a performance there, it may be presumed that Mr. Gunn is highly popular, and that so tangible an evidence of his condition fills him with the liveliest joy. By this token it must be taken as a matter of course that Mr. Gunn's recital was a great success.

The program will begin at 8 o'clock at the Y. W. C. A. auditorium. Membership tickets must be presented at the door, and visitors' cards may be obtained here for those not members.

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AT THE GRAND

TOMORROW—2:30 and 4; 7, 8 and 9:15

"THE \$20,000,000 MYSTERY"

WEDNESDAY—2:30 and 4; 7, 8 and 9:15

Special St. Patrick's Day Program

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A World Feature in five parts from the successful stage production of Liebler & Co.

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Prices 25c to \$1.50

PERSONALS.

Frank Nelson is home from a trip to southern California.

Mrs. J. H. Helm has been called to St. Joseph, Mo., by the serious illness of her brother Harry Vaughn. She will leave this evening.

Decision on Franchise Today.
[United Press Leased Wire Service.] KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 15.—Kansas City fans will know today whether or not Kay Sore has a Federal league ball club. Packer representatives are in Chicago where suit for an injunction restraining the league from removing the club comes up for final argument before Judge Baldwin, who has announced he will make his decision from the bench.

AMUSEMENTS

ORPHEUM THEATER

Universal Quality

RIDGEWAY OF MONTANA.

"101" Bison

From the book of Wm. McLeod Rains By Henry McRea, With Wm. Clifford and Marie Nolcamp

THE PLUMBER WINS THE GIRL.

A "Joker" Comedy

TOMORROW

IT'S A LONG LONG WAY TO TIPPERARY.

A Wierd and Interesting War Drama Coming Thursday, Fifth Episode of **THE MASTER KEY.**

Hear Our Orchestra. 2 to 5, 7 to 10:30.

Double Murder Discovered.
[United Press Leased Wire Service.] ABERDEEN, S. D., March 15.—Breaking into the home of George W. Carlaw early today, authorities found his wife and 16 year old girl murdered. Carlaw has been missing since Friday.

Subwayites Had Thrill.
[United Press Leased Wire Service.] NEW YORK, March 15.—Subway passengers went through the thrills of another fire scare early today, similar to that of two months ago, when a short circuit set fire to planking at Forty-second and Broadway. Traffic was tied up from 3 to 6 o'clock and later passengers nervously "sniffed smoke" enroute down town.

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