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New Spring Coats, Suits, Dresses, Skirts and Waists are now being shown. We would be very glad to have you call and inspect this line.

While the line is not nearly complete at present, you can get an idea of the pretty things for this season.

We also have on display the prettiest assortment of wash materials ever brought to Keokuk. The prices are no higher than they have ever been, in fact, we think in many lines, you get better values.

We would be very glad to show you the new goods at any time.

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WHERE TO HEAR SCOVILLE TONIGHT

Tabernacle Meeting Postponed but Evangelist Will Speak at Three Local Church Meetings

HIS WIFE WILL SING

Big Opening Has Been Postponed Until Wednesday Night—Evangelistic Party All Here Now.

On account of the damp condition of the tabernacle, Rev. Charles Reitz Scoville will not open his services here this afternoon as originally planned. But he will speak at three meetings in the evening and those here who wish to hear the noted evangelist should attend either the Congregational church, the First Baptist church or the Methodist Protestant church.

Rev. Scoville will speak about twenty minutes at each church, and his wife will sing. Definite arrangements will not be made until this morning. When he was notified by telegraph that the tabernacle was not in condition to be used this afternoon, he replied that it was essential that a start be made and suggested that several union meetings be held.

The services at the three churches will be in charge of Rev. Scoville's assistants and the evangelist will be taken from one to another by automobile. It is not known yet which church he will speak at first or the hours, but if Keokuk people will attend the services at any of the three, they will have a chance to hear Rev. Scoville speak and his wife sing.

Where to Hear Scoville. Take your pick or attend the nearest: Congregational—Sixth and High streets.

First Baptist—Eighth and Blondeau streets.

Methodist Protestant—Twelfth and Bank streets.

No arrangements have been made yet for services on Monday or Tuesday. These will likely be made when the executive committee meets with Scoville today and announcements will be made in The Gate City on Monday evening.

The tentative plans outlined above were made at a meeting of the executive committee yesterday afternoon. The postponement was necessary because of the fact that the ground floor of the tabernacle has not dried out yet. The snow and ice has been cleared from the ground, but it is in no fit condition yet for the cinders, and sawdust.

The furnaces in the building have been started and will be burned day and night from now on until the inside of the tabernacle has been completely dried out. Then the cinders and sawdust will be scattered and the benches placed in. It was feared that if services were held in the tabernacle as it is now, that an epidemic of colds, grippe and pneumonia would be the result.

"We regret to have to postpone the opening day," said Rev. Frank E. Beardsley, head of the executive committee, "but we feel that we are rendering a service to the people of Keokuk in trying to safeguard their health. The city has just passed through one epidemic of grippe and pneumonia, and the committee does not wish to be responsible for possibly causing another."

Stewart Arrives. Charles Stewart, chorus director for Rev. Scoville, reached Keokuk at 8:45 o'clock Friday night. He was taken directly to the First Christian church, Tenth and Blondeau streets, where he put the revival choir through two or three hymns that will be used in the campaign.

The director had his famous smile with him, and despite the fact that he was weary from twenty hours travel, "put it over" with apparently no difficulty. He taught the choir how to sing his revival songs, how to "get up together" and then complimented every one of the 350 singers on hand.

"We're going to have a great meeting," he asserted. "The spirit here tonight is just a mild indication of what we are going to have."

Stewart was introduced to his

DAVENPORT WOMAN ESCAPED KNIFE

Mrs. S. T. Oliver of 1226 East High Street, Davenport, Ia., was so ill that her physicians told her she must go to a hospital.

An operation appeared necessary. Her case had been diagnosed, she says, as gall stones.

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chorus by Professor P. C. Hayden, chairman of the music committee and the man who has handled the choir to date.

Another Rehearsal Today. There will be another rehearsal of the chorus under the direction of Charles Stewart this afternoon at 2 o'clock in the First Christian church. It is important that every member of this body attend this meeting.

Every member of Scoville's party is in Keokuk now. A telegram was sent to Charles Reitz Scoville Friday afternoon by Dr. F. G. Beardsley, stating that because of the condition of the ground in the tabernacle it would not be possible to commence the revival services until Wednesday. Dr. Scoville made no change in his original plan to arrive in the city Saturday night, but suggested union services in three of the churches.

It was found that there was considerable snow and ice in the tabernacle, and that even after this was taken out, the ground was not in condition to make any kind of a footing until after it had been dried out.

"We felt that to allow people to come into the tabernacle and to walk through this wet ground and sit with their feet on the cold ground would result in an epidemic of grippe and colds and possible pneumonia," said Dr. Beardsley in explaining the delay. "We thought that we would really be performing a service to the community to wait until the ground was in the proper condition and there was no danger to our health. While it was suggested that cinders might be placed on the ground, and then sawdust, it would not have helped matters since the cinders would only have held the dampness. The ice and snow have all been taken out of the tabernacle, and the floor is being dried as rapidly as possible."

THROWN FROM A BUGGY IN RUNAWAY

Mrs. J. Burrows of Alexandria, on the Way to Keokuk Saturday Afternoon, Meets With Distressing Accident.

SHOULDER WAS INJURED

Brought to Keokuk and Treated by Dr. Frank Brown—Daughter Also Thrown, But Was Unhurt.

Mrs. J. Burrows, of Alexandria, Mo., and her seventeen-year-old daughter, were thrown from a buggy about 1:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon on the Alexandria-Keokuk road below the lumber yard while coming to Keokuk, when the horse became frightened at a Stone & Webster motor truck and bolted.

The daughter was not injured in the fall, but Mrs. Burrows struck her right shoulder and it was severely bruised and lacerated. Workmen at the Harrison Box factory stopped the horse after it had run about two hundred yards and also rendered assistance to Mrs. Burrows and her daughter.

The injured woman was brought to Keokuk and taken to the office of Dr. Frank Brown where her shoulder was dressed. No bones were found to be broken upon examination, but the injury was a serious one. Mrs. Burrows was taken back to Alexandria late in the afternoon.

Man Amuck with Rifle. CHICAGO, Feb. 19.—One man was killed and two seriously wounded tonight when Ira J. Meltzer, proprietor of a State street shooting gallery, ran amuck and emptied a sixteen shot rifle into the crowd within and pedestrians outside his gallery at State and Van Buren streets, in the heart of the "loop."

Meltzer began shooting after a quarrel with Charles Bender, 45, who was shot and wounded three times as he stood in the doorway of the place. The next bullet struck and killed Peter Winarski, 24, a bystander, and the next seriously wounded August Luecke, 35, who was standing in the street. Other shots went wild over the heads of pedestrians at the crowded corner.

Meltzer was overpowered and captured by police. Pearl Simon, a young woman employe of the gallery also was held.

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