

WEDNESDAY, AUG. 17, 1904.

—Band Concert this (Wednesday) evening.

—Allen R. Loomis of Fort Dodge spent Thursday in this city.

—Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Magirl of Ryan were Manchester visitors Friday.

—Miss Kate Barr of Fayette is the guest of her sister Mrs. John Colledge.

—Harry Barber of Waverly was visiting friends in this city the first of the week.

—Miss Addie Jakolin of near Lamont is visiting the World's Fair at St. Louis this week.

—Miss Marie Storey who has been seriously ill for the past two weeks is convalescing.

—Rev. Abrams has entered upon another campaign against the Buchanan county saloonists.

—May Sheldon is the guest of relatives and friends at Rochester, Minnesota, and Osage, Iowa, this week.

—Jacob Mangold left Monday via the Illinois Central for Sioux Falls, S. D., to visit his two sons residing there.

—Boys Buster Browns is the chief topic in Gildner Bros. adv. Note the prices they quote on boys fall suits.

—M. W. A. Picnic at the fair grounds in this city on Thursday, August 25. Everybody invited to attend.

—Miss Blanche Smith and Elizabeth and Mayme Voelker of Dyersville visited friends in this city the first of last week.

—Mrs. N. P. Malven and children departed Saturday morning for Rockford, Ill., where they will make their future home.

—An ice cream social will be given on the St. Mary's church lawn this week Thursday evening. Everybody invited to attend.

—The next regular visit to this city of Dr. G. E. Boyce, the eye specialist, will be on Monday, August 29th Office at the Clarence House.

—Its up to you, Robert Barr of Prairie township, to answer the charge made against you in the "Letter from Egypt" on another page.

—Simon & Atwater brought in an adv. too late for this issue in which they show the merits of the Akron Air Blast Furnace. Watch for it next week.

—Miss Madge Smith accompanied by her grandmother, Mrs. Thos. Simpson and Dr. E. G. Dittmer departed the first of the week for Batavia, Michigan, where she goes for medical treatment.

—Messrs. John and George Barr, a B. & M. Master Lind-

—The new bridge across the Maquoketa river in this city is finished and will be ready for service as soon as the approaches are completed by the city.

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—The L. A. Society of the U. B. Church will hold an Ice Cream social on the Church lawn Saturday afternoon and evening Aug. 20, Cream and cake 10 cents.

—The Manchester Lumber Co. sent in an adv. to late for this issue and wish to state that they are selling hard coal delivered at \$9.50 per ton or at the yards for \$9.00.

—Should we be favored with good weather, our coming county fair will be a "hammer." Never in its history has the effort been made to secure attractions as has been made this year. And what's more "it will have em."

—The first statement to the Auditor of State of the recently organized Dundee Savings Bank, is published this week. The bank is located in a wealthy community; its stockholders are men of means and its officers capable, efficient and experienced bankers. Watch it grow, as grow rapidly it surely will.

—The editor of this great moral family newspaper patronized the Illinois Central railroad when he journeyed to St. Louis. When it comes to passenger service and making the newspaper man think he is the salt of the earth, the Old Reliable Illinois Central has all of the other roads beat a mile. Most every employe we met was good, natured and gentlemanly, and they were boosting for the road as though they had been schooled by Capt. Merry. A newspaper man who doesn't have a good word for the Central is a freak.—Spencer Herald.

—The Eastern Star and Masonic Home committee were in this city last Thursday, for the purpose of investigating the advantages offered here as a suitable place for the location of the proposed home to be established by the Grand Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star of Iowa. The committee were shown several desirable sites for the home and in the evening an informal reception was given its members at the Masonic Temple. Several thousand dollars have been subscribed by our citizens for the home, if located here. A number of other cities are competing for its location. Here's hoping that the Dairy City will be the one selected.

—A Kansas editor who stopped at the Inside Inn in St. Louis writes: "There are more bell boys than guests in the Inn. They use em for change. When you give the clerk \$5 he hands you back \$2 and a bell boy. My room is a little far back for meals but I make it nicely I start for supper at 9 a. m. and stay for lunch on the way with a friend I know in room 2,507. But a friend of mine who lives in room 76,649 is up against it. He got two days behind with his meals living out in the country at the rear end of the hotel. Finally he found that he was near to Moberly, Mo., than he was to the dining room so now he walks over to Moberly every morning."

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—Guy Crozier was a Cedar Rapids visitor Sunday.

—Miss Faith Crumb is visiting friends at Webster City.

—Wm. Hunter of Clarinda was the guest of friends in this city last week.

—Mrs. Henry Luthmers of Oelwein visited friends in this city last week.

—Senator Newberry of Strawberry Point was in town Friday on legal business.

—George Malven of Hampton Sunday with relatives and friends in this city.

—The Iowa State fair begins next Monday and will continue all of this week.

—John Anderson who has been on the sick list for the past week is convalescing.

—Work of putting up the electric wires for the lighting of fair grounds is in progress.

—Mrs. A. V. Morey of Kansas City is the guest of her mother Mrs. H. C. Graham.

—Frank Belknap is enjoying a visit from his friend Olney Allen of Aurora, Illinois.

—E. M. Carr has been engaged in legal business at Clinton, Ill., for several days past.

—Mr. and Mrs. Byron Bronson returned Monday from a ten days outing at Okoboji Lake.

—Harvey Keyes of Fairmont Minnesota is the guest of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Keyes.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Arnold and Dr. and Mrs. H. A. Dittmer leave today for a two weeks outing at Clear Lake.

—Note the excel showing made by the Delaware State Bank in their statement in another column.

—Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Cary, and Dr. and Mrs. N. S. Craig of Jennings La. are here for a month's visit with friends.

—Misses Nellie Laird and Theodore Collins of Shellburg, Wisconsin are guests at the home of County Recorder Latimer.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hoffman of Dubuque were guests the latter part of last week of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Congar.

—Are you going to the World's Fair, or do you wish to visit the South? In either case E. J. Breckon's advertisement should be consulted.

—Letters addressed to Mrs. Frank Skinner, Miss Sprema Humble, Mr. J. H. Lane and B. P. Leach are advertised as unclaimed at the Post Office.

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—Miss Daisy Dunham has returned to Iowa City.

—John McGrew of Cedar Rapids was a Manchester visitor over Sunday.

—Check Lang and Loyd Emerson of Strawberry Point transacted business in this city Monday.

—Manchester Lodge No. 165 A. F. & A. M. will hold a regular meeting Saturday evening August 20.

—There will be a regular meeting of Olive Branch Chapter No. 48 R. A. M. this Wednesday evening.

—Miss Kate Commerford of Dubuque was a guest of relatives and friends in this city over Sunday.

—The Woman's Home Missionary Society of the M. E. Church will meet Wednesday Aug. 24th with Mrs. A. Sefstrom.

—Miss Madge Conger of Los Angeles Cal. who has been a guest of relatives in this city departed Friday for Chicago. Mrs. Chas. Thorpe accompanied her.

—The Herald office building on Franklin street is to be enlarged. Messrs McCormick have decided to add another story to the building and have already commenced work thereon.

—You never will regret it if you come to the all Delaware County Fair, September 6, 7, 8 and 9. Unusual attractions and an all around good time for old and young. Don't miss it or you will regret it.

—The Manchester Womens Club will hold a picnic on the grounds just east of the High School Building next Friday August 23. Members of the club and families are invited. Lemonade will be furnished by the club.

—The paving of the streets is going rapidly forward and will be ready for use soon. There has been an unfounded report going the rounds to the effect that hereafter teams will not be allowed to be tied on the paved streets. We are informed that such is not the case but the streets will be open to the public for use the same as before the paving was done.

—At the meeting of the city council held Monday evening provision was made for the lighting of the new bridge on Main street and also a light ordered placed in North Manchester on the C. H. Johnson corner. The following taxes were levied: 10 mills for corporation fund, 5 mills for corporation road, 2 mills for library, 1 mill for fire, 2 mills for sinking fund, 2 mills for sewer, 2 mills for grading and 5 mills for improvement fund.

Library Silk Quilt Club.

It has been decided by the promoters of the Library Silk Quilt Club, to vote the product of their labor (a beautiful silk quilt) to one or two of our most popular young people of Manchester, Miss Gertrude Anderson or Mr. Joe McCormick of the Herald. Votes at ten cents apiece will be solicited and in view of the fact that Miss Anderson and Mr. McCormick have contributed generously of their time and talents to various enterprises for the aid of the library. It is hoped that the project will receive the liberal support of the town. The money derived from the votes will be used in the purchase of some work of art for the library building.

COFFINS MOVE.

Everybody is busy thrashing. There are two machines in the neighborhood and both are turning out the grain quite fast. A. J. Hersey and Wm. Herman expect to thresh to day.

Mr. and Mrs. John Satterlee, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hillier and Emory Cook, left Sunday with M. B. Cook of Winthrop.

Ed Kelley seems to be seen on our streets quite frequently lately.

Mrs. Bessie Scanlan has gone east on a visit. I did not learn any of the particulars about it.

Will Lepley is still trying to trap the wood chucks on his farm. One of them having nearly destroyed all his cabbage.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sly and Mary Evans are contemplating going to St. Louis to the fair.

Mr. John Hillier and son Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hillier, Emory Cook, Kitie and Maggie Smith spent a few days last week camping out. The place chosen was near the Mississippi at Guttenburg. They had a very enjoyable time and returned home with plenty of fish (caught with a silver hook). By the way, the map given by the Democrat helped us on our way while in the country.

Mrs. Wm. Boucher spent a few days last week with her daughter.

Amos Satterlee had the misfortune to have one of his horses drop dead last week while he was mowing.

One of Clarence Fullers children was on the sick list last week.

Dock Bushnell has been helping Ed. Cook on his threshing Machine for a few days in Charlie Jordison's place. The latter returned to his work Friday.

A. E. McGehee was over come with heat while they were threshing at his place last week and had to stop work for a while.

One hundred new and startling acts is what the Norris and Rowe Greater Shows advertise this season and as they have in the past fully fulfilled all promises made, we can readily believe the assertion. Norris and Rowe are the most progressive and liberal managers before the public today and the reason is not difficult to find. They are young, energetic and above all ambitious and it takes these qualities to make the modern showman of large ideas. The public profits by this ambition for each succeeding season witnesses a public getting more and more for its moneys worth and at no increased cost of admission. This season a complete train of twenty cars is utilized to carry the vast army of acrobats, jugglers, equilibrist, riders, dens of cages of rare wild animals, the trained elephants, ponies,

Boys' Children's Fall Suits



We just unpacked our new fall line. Can now show you the most complete line of Buster Browns suits ever shown here before. Come and see the new styles whether you intend to buy or not.

Boys' Buster Browns—in neat dark stripe patterns, ages 3 to 8, \$3.00.

Boys' Buster Browns—in grey trimmed with black, with belt, only \$4.00.

Boys' Buster Browns—in brown and grey mixtures, two rows of buttons, also with belts, now \$5.00.

Boys' Knee Pants—just the thing for school, extra strong in blue and brown mixed, equal to any 75c pant ever shown before, only 50c.

Boys' and Juvenile Shirts—in assorted patterns and strictly fast color, only 25c.

All Boys' Dress Straw Hats only 39c.

Gildner Bros., Your Clothiers.

Celebration Silk Sale at Newcomb's.

Organized under the laws of Iowa, located at Manchester, Ia. in the county of Delaware, at the close of business on the 4th day of August 1894, made to the Auditor of State as required by law.

STATEMENT
Of the Condition of the Delaware County State Bank,

Assets:
Amount of Bills, Bonds and other evidences of debts discounted or purchased actually owned by the bank \$47,441.20
Amount of cash on hand, deposited and undrawn 982.79
Gold coin 11,002.80
Silver coin and bullion 982.79
Legal tender and national bank notes and subsidiary coin 4,320.00
Drafts and other cash items not discounted, on hand and belonging to the bank 1,141.88
The amount subject to demand drawn at sight on deposit with solvent banks or banks 17,576.08
First National Bank of New York 4,570.44
First National Bank, Chicago 2,129.44
Merchants' Loan & Trust Co. 26,288.04
Second National Bank, Dubuque, Iowa 9,076.24
Des Moines 8,881.31
Merchants National Bank, Cedar Rapids, Ia. 11,338.24 73,159.51

Liabilities:
The amount of capital stock actually paid up in cash 60,000.00
Amount of deposits 56,323.48
Amount of time deposits 28,141.51 49,094.81
The amount of undivided profits as follows:
Surplus fund 30,000.00
Other profits on hand (after deducting taxes and expenses) 18,876.92 48,876.92
Total liabilities 512,971.73

The value of real property (owned by the bank) 12,347.00
The value of personal property (owned by the bank) 2,500.00 14,747.00
Total Assets 512,971.73

WM. C. CAWLEY, President.
CHAS. J. SEEDS, Cashier.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence by W. C. Cawley and Chas. J. Seeds this 4th day of August, 1904.

G. G. PIERCE, Notary Public.

H. F. ARAOLD, H. W. KEAGY, Directors.
G. W. DUNHAM, Attested.

Manchester Markets.
Corrected weekly by M. I. B. Richmond.

Hogs, per cwt.	\$4.50
Stocks, per cwt.	2.25
Butter, per cwt.	2.00
Corn, bulcher's stock, per cwt.	1.75
Turkeys, per lb.	12 1/2
Ducks, white, per lb.	8 1/2
Ducks, dark, per lb.	8 1/2
Chickens, per lb.	8 1/2
Geese, per lb.	8 1/2
Corn, per bushel	32 1/2
Hay, wild, per ton	10 00
Timothy, per ton	10 00
Butter, creamery, per lb.	24
Eggs, per doz.	14
Flour, per sack	12 1/2
Olive oil, per gal.	7 50

Residence Property for Sale.
We are authorized to offer for sale the Dr. Sherman residence property on Butler street. For terms apply to BRONSON & CARB. tf.

Why do you fret and grumble, Why don't you take a tumble, Try the Smith Premier Typewriter, You will drive away your ills. Try them. 25 cents. All druggists. 6041

Special Homeowners Rates.
Special low rate homeowners excursions to points on Illinois Central and Y. & M. V. Railroads in Louisiana, Mississippi, Tennessee, Kentucky and Arkansas. Dates of sale August 9 and 23, September 13 and 27. For rates and other particulars apply to the undersigned. 32w7 H. G. PIERCE, Agt.

Advertisement for Sids.
The building committee of the I. O. O. F. and Masonic orders are now ready to receive bids for a new building. All bids must be in by September 1, 1904. Plans and specifications will be found at the furniture store. The committee will reserve the right to reject any or all bids. Coleburg, Iowa, August 6, 1904.
G. W. FLATT,
J. W. FLATT,
N. C. GURBIE,
H. A. MALLORY, Committee.

Closing Out Sale.
H. C. Graham & Son are closing out their entire stock of groceries for strictly cash and all those indebted to this firm are requested to call and settle at once. 31tf

For Lumber, Coal, Wood and Posts,
Go to the FARMERS' LUMBER YARD, West Main Street, near bridge.
W. O. Somes, Mgr.

Good News for Buyers of LADIES' TAILORED WEARING APPAREL.



The result of the unseasonable weather and the fact that we over estimated the demand for Ladies' Tailored Suits this season has left us with more on hand than ordinarily at this time of the season. Our stock must be reduced at once for we have gone into the price cutting without reserve so that whether you want the very highest grade of suits or less expensive you can buy them from 30 to 40% under early season prices.

35 SUITS—regular prices \$12.50 to \$14.50. Every garment beautifully made from Cheviots, Broadcloths, Fancy Mixtures in all the desirable shades. Marked to close at \$8.95.

20 SUITS—regular prices \$15 to \$18. Made from the best materials obtainable, beautifully lined and trimmed. To close these handsome garments, we have marked them \$10.95.

15 SUITS—regular prices \$20 to \$24. The cloths are fine fancy mixtures and Broadcloths most artistically made and lined with best qualities of satins and Taffeta silks, to go at \$14.95.

ABOUT 20 ODD SUITS—partly last season's styles that sold formerly at \$9.00, \$10.00, \$12.50, to close at... \$4.50.

Our shoe stock is much too large for the room we have, and in order to close down to our usual stock, we have marked just about 300 pairs at just one-half former price.

B. CLARK.

Manchester, Wednesday Aug. 24, Performances at 2 and 8 p. m.

NORRIS & ROWE'S NEW BIG SHOWS

CIRCUS MENAGERIE MUSEUM HIPPODROME

JUST TWICE LARGER THAN EVER BEFORE

2-RINGS STAGE RINGS-2

A NEW CIRCUS THROUGHOUT



A Multitude of New Features Never Before Presented in America

5-MARVELOUS BELFORDS-5 The World's Greatest Acrobats

4-FLYING LA VANS-4 The Most Sensational Aerial Gymnasts

MELNOTTE, LA NOLE and MELNOTTE Europe's Premier Comedy High Wire Artists

6-GARDNER FAMILY-6 Heroes of the High Horizontal Bars

6-GRACEFUL GROTHS-6 Most Remarkable Contortionists Extant

3-MCDONALD BROS.-3 The Foremost Trick Cyclists

8-ROYAL OKA JAPANESE TROUPE-8 ARENIC ARTISTS AND ANIMAL ACTORS

Performing elephants, Camels, Lions, Tigers, Hyenas, Tapirs, Llamas, Buffaloes, Kangaroos, Ostriches, Elk, Deer, Ponies, Goats and Monkeys

20-JOLLY JESTING CLOWNS-20

ONE HUNDRED STARTLING ACTS

Grand Gold Glittering Street Parade at 10:30 a. m.

Adults, 50c. Children, 25c. One Ticket Admits You to Everything



There is just one make of writing machine built upon lines which all experts and inventors agree are mechanically correct. It is

The Smith Premier Typewriter

There is just one which all operators agree does beautiful, speedy and practical work of all kinds all the time for all business purposes. It is

The Smith Premier

There is just one so strongly made, and almost frictionless in operation, that it will far outwear any writing machine of any other make. It is

The Smith Premier

We can prove these facts to your complete satisfaction. If you want the proof, send today for our little book, "The Typewriter Question," or better, please our nearest branch office for a salesman.

Supplies, Machines, rented, Stenographers furnished.

The Smith Premier Typewriter Company
235 Wabash Ave., Chicago, Ill.

Two for One. Two for One.

Double Stamp Week.

Commencing Monday August 15,

And to continue through the week, all merchants who have BLUE TRADING STAMPS will give double stamps on all cash sales. Remember the dates, Double Stamps for one week only. Ask for Blue Trading Stamps on your cash purchases. Large stock of New Fall Goods to select from.

Respectfully,

W. L. Drew.

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