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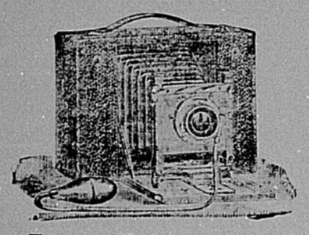

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Dr. Mighell, surgeon and physician.

Abstracts, loans. B. F. Cummings.

Good butter, 20 cents a pound, at C. J. Hoyt's.

Expert watch repairer, Miller, the jeweler.

Crimp candy, 10 cents per pound at Fellner's.

All the latest show music at Harlan's for 25 cents.

Mrs. G. P. Stewart, of Quarry, was in the city today.

Three dollar men's Viel and tan shoes at Trautmann's.

Don't miss our dress goods sale. See ad. Archie Parker.

Everything in the music line at the Tuffree Music House.

Mrs. Myron Woodard, of LaMolle, visited in the city Friday.

Ten girls wanted to learn the trade at Graham's cigar factory.

A beautiful line of calendars for 1900. They are gems of art. C. D. Lusby & Co.

Mr. M. M. Garvey today assumed the position of manager of the A. Barry saloon.

Miss Lizzie Olson, of Dunbar, spent Friday in the city with Miss Josie Johnson.

Good time now to select a Christmas tie or muffler. We have a beautiful line. Stern.

If you want good butter order of C. J. Hoyt. The price is right, only 20 cents a pound.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Davenport, of East Linn street, are entertaining a son at their home.

Miss Eva Thompson, of Tama, is in the city to spend Sunday with Miss Sabra Bradley.

If you are looking for the best jewelry and the latest designs call at Allen's. Everything new.

Mr. Will J. Noe, editor of the State Center Independent, spent Friday in the city on business.

Trading stamps given away with all cash purchases of soft coal and wood. Gregory, Brown Coal Co.

Ironing boards, moulding boards, meat blocks and the best clothes drying rack, Schmidt's hardware store.

Mrs. F. W. Russell returned Friday evening from a delightful visit in Davenport with Miss Nelle Hayward.

A cold wave is coming. Get fixed for it. Order the Anderson heater at once, corner First avenue and Church street.

Mrs. Dicks, mother of Engineer Charles Dicks, of the Central, is quite ill at her son's home, suffering from erysipelas.

When cold weather sets in and your cellar or coal bin is empty you will wish you had ordered coal of the Lamb Lumber Company.

Headquarters for good table knives, good butcher knives and the best paring knife, Schmidt's hardware store, 102 West Main.

Kurtz Bros. are prepared to make and put on your storm doors and windows on short notice. Have it done and save fuel bills.

Order your Sunday Chicago papers at Van Derveer & La Schelle's, and smoke one of their famous Key West cigars while having your shoes polished.

The Ladies' Guild of St. Paul's church will hold its regular monthly tea Monday, Dec. 4, at the home of Mrs. D. W. Marston, on East State street.

Rev. H. C. Richardson, pastor of the Universalist church, has been confined to his home for a week past with illness, and no service will be held at the church tomorrow.

One of the Chicago riot suits has just been decided, but the verdict that the winter hats sold by Mrs. Morrill are the best has been a matter of record for some time.

It is economy to have your windows protected with storm sash. Kreutzer & Wasem have the reputation of making first-class sash and storm doors, and will have them put on for you.

Those nobby tailor-made suits and jackets are made by Arthur Wall. He also has some very attractive patterns for suits and overcoats, that he is selling very cheap considering the quality.

Mrs. H. L. Stine and daughter Marie went to LeGrand this morning, called by word announcing the very serious illness of Mrs. Eli Richards, aunt of Mrs. Stine. Mrs. Richards is suffering with heart trouble.

When you buy coal you want the best. The Jasper County Coal Company has a good supply of all kinds, including Hocking Valley and other first-class coal. L. S. Schimp is the agent and will deliver coal on short notice.

Workmen are already engaged in building the new platform at the union station. A great quantity of lumber has been unloaded here for the purpose, and the new platform promises to be better and more substantial than the old one.

Don't wait to select your Christmas presents until the last minute and then take Hobson's choice. Come in and let us show you the handsome line of couches, sideboards, rockers and other articles in the furniture line that can not but please you. Marion Gard.

The dispatches today announce the death of Mrs. J. H. Rhea at Cedar Rapids. The lady had many friends in this city, gained during her residence here of several years, when her late husband was pastor of the M. E. church. Particulars of her death appear elsewhere in this issue.

Enter business college Monday.

Dr. Janss, physician and surgeon.

Dr. Nichols, 108 East Main street.

Gents' fancy wool or cotton socks at Stern's.

Imported and domestic cigars at the Pantorium Club.

Everything in the music line at the Tuffree Music House.

Dress goods sale Monday morning. See ad. Archie Parker.

Miss Mary Dowd, of State Center, visited in the city Friday.

The finest line of solid silver in the city at Allen's, the jeweler.

Three dollar ladies' Queen quality fine shoes at Trautmann's.

Order your coal of the Lamb Lumber Company. They have all kinds.

H. E. Simkins, undertaking exclusively. Second door west of postoffice.

Thirty-five cents buys an elegant dress pattern. See ad. Archie Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Thompson, of 309 East May street, are the parents of a son.

Elegant line of holiday goods. See them before you purchase. Miller, the jeweler.

Misses Bertha Rockhill and Katherine Olmstead, of Albion, spent Friday in the city.

Just received a full line of double indexed diaries for 1900. See them. C. D. Lusby & Co.

Two car loads of fancy rockers from which to select your holiday presents. Marion Gard.

New York cheese, something extra fine, at O. H. Adams', East Main. Telephone your order.

Buy the piano with an honest name, of honest people and at honest prices. Harlan sells them.

Heavy building paper for storm doors and foundations. Schmidt's hardware store, 102 West Main.

Dr. Mairs, osteopathic physican, over Fidelity Bank, Main and First avenue. All chronic cases successfully treated. Consultation and examination free.

Des Moines Register: Miss Margaret A. Pence, of Marshalltown, is in Des Moines to spend the winter with her cousin, Mrs. T. J. Wilcox, of 1149 West Ninth street.

From now until after Christmas, R. W. Chamberlain, the jeweler, will keep his store open until 9 o'clock in the evening, in order to accommodate Christmas shoppers.

Miss Frances Rhoades arrived this morning from New Sharon and on Monday will begin teaching the winter term of the Marion township school No. 3, near Green Mountain.

Lectures at the Spiritual Hall, No. 3 State street, by C. W. Stewart, LL. B., of Arkansas, at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Bible and modern mediumship compared. Tests after the lecture.

The first party of the social club recently formed will be held on Thursday evening, Dec. 7, at Forney's Hall. Schmidt's orchestra, of Oskaloosa, has been engaged to furnish the music.

You will be sorry if you spend your money for trinkets when the same amount will buy a piece of furniture at the Bee Hive. See the large stock of D. C. Wilbur before purchasing.

L. Derby, at 106 South Center street, has a fresh invoice of new corn meal and Tippecanoe pancake flour. Please remember that our Excelsior brand of flour never fails to be the best. All kinds of hay at reasonable prices. L. Derby.

A box of twenty-five of our "Governor Dole" or "Rosina Vokes" cigars would make an elegant Christmas gift to your friend. Van Derveer & La Shelle, the enterprising cigar dealers, have them.

We are selling more nice goods for Christmas than ever before, and buyers are making their selections earlier. Our combination bookcases are going fast, and make very desirable presents. Let us show you what we have. D. C. Wilbur, Bee Hive furniture department.

A 2-months-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Mishler, residing near Liscomb, died Friday. The babe, although never strong, was not ill and had slept well all night. In the morning, when its mother awoke, it appeared to be breathing strangely, and death followed shortly.

Understand us, we give the green trading stamp only on strictly cash purchases. One day or thirty days' time does not entitle the purchaser to stamps. If you desire them you must send your order in with the cash or order to collect C. O. D. Gregory-Brown Coal Company.

Mrs. Johanna Gerhart and daughter, Mrs. F. B. Newcomer, returned this morning from a visit in Minneapolis with their daughter and sister, Mrs. F. E. Stewart. Wednesday evening in their honor Mrs. Stewart and Mrs. Shroyer, who has visited here, entertained a large company.

At 3 p. m. today from the Friends church occurred the funeral of the late Deborah M. Fawcett. The floral tributes were many and beautiful and were emblematic of the loving and Christian life which had so peacefully and tranquilly glided on to its home, where sorrow and tears are unknown.

Mr. Henry DeVore, of Des Moines, who is employed as a train dispatcher of the Chicago Great Western, spent Friday and today in the city with friends and for the purpose of looking after business matters. Mr. DeVore has been to St. Paul on business and this evening will go to Albia to spend Sunday with a brother.

The Banner flour is winning new customers every day. It is an exceptionally good brand, makes excellent bread, as good as any other manufactured, and the price is satisfactory. If you want a sack of flour that will please your wife, and keep peace in the family, try a sack of Banner. Manufactured by Hammond & Son at LeGrand, and sold by Hammond & Benedict, in this city.

Make your home beautiful. You can easily do it with very little expense. Densel & Wilbur have something new, novel and pretty which they are showing their customers. They have just received a new line of iron bedsteads in colors blue, pink, gold, brown and mahogany. You can have no idea how pretty your bedroom can be made with one of these new bedsteads. One of them for Christmas would make your wife happy.

Fur lined gloves at Stern's.

Dr. Getz, surgeon and physician.

Enter business college day or night.

The new Knox shapes in stiff hats at Stern's.

Have your shoes shined at the Pantorium Club.

Arctic rubbers and warm-lined shoes at Trautmann's.

Spanish peanut candy 20 cents per pound at Fellner's.

Plenty of good butter at C. J. Hoyt's, only 20 cents a pound.

Mrs. Charles Russell, of Liscomb, spent Friday in the city.

Everett pianos and all the latest show music at Harlan's.

Dress goods sale begins Monday morning. See ad. Archie Parker.

Emerson pianos recommended by everybody. Tuffree Music House.

Hand-made chocolate creams from 15 cents to 60 cents per pound at Fellner's.

You will want a box of cigars for your friends Christmas. Buy them at the Pantorium Club.

Ralston entire wheat bread, baked fresh every day, at Sundell's Cafe and Bakery. There is none better or more wholesome.

We still have a good supply of all sizes of hard coal. Buy before prices advance. You will need it soon. Gregory, Brown Coal Co.

Every one is desirous of appearing as well as possible, but it is an effort to be at ease with a shirt on that is not properly laundered. Have Flitton do your work and it will be done right.

Oskaloosa Herald: L. M. Martin, of Des Moines, and son Frank, who is now located in Chicago, were in the city yesterday and called on many friends. Mr. Martin went to Pella this morning.

A large variety of ebony back combs and brushes, ladies' pocketbooks, ebony back mirrors, gold pens and pen holders, and many other useful articles for Christmas at Allen's jewelry store, 14 East Main.

Christmas is coming. So is the demand for my fine photographs, but give me the chance to fill all orders by coming in early. Cloudy weather is no obstacle in the making of a good negative. Theo A. Brown.

Come in and select a desk or music cabinet for your wife as a Christmas present. If she has one, then a center table, leather rocker or couch. Come early and avoid the rush. D. C. Wilbur, Bee Hive furniture department.

We are not exaggerating when we say that we have the best ground feed, corn and oats in the city. We have our own mill and it does excellent work. Five cars of upland prairie hay just received. Everything first-class and at reasonable prices. Hammond & Benedict.

If the old saying, "the first three days of December rule the winter," is true we will have a very disagreeable winter, to say the least, even if it does not promise to be very cold or long. Cold weather would be preferable to the present kind, and would be more healthful.

Mrs. Mary Cogswell left for Fort Dodge this morning, where she will visit relatives indefinitely. In regard to any future action against the Marshalltown Light, Power & Railway Company, on account of the death of her husband, Mrs. Cogswell intimated that one would be commenced in the near future.

Merchant tailoring with Petersen & Co. is a continual source of pleasurable surprises to their customers. They find out just what patrons want and give it to them; that is the end of it. If you leave your measure for a suit today it will be finished for you next week. All the best imported fabrics to select from. It pays to buy of Petersen & Co.

The W. C. T. U. held its regular meeting at headquarters in the Woman's Exchange rooms Friday afternoon. The union decided to commence its new departure of work, called "seeding down the field." Extra meetings will be held at which certain programs will be given. The first of these meetings was held Friday, at which time Mrs. Carrie Morgan spoke on "Mormonism." These meetings are public.

Mrs. Walter Evans, of Placerville, Col., who was called to Ames a few weeks ago on the sad mission of accompanying the remains of her husband, a half-brother of Messrs. D. J. and T. D. Evans, and Miss Ida Evans, of this city, and who has been visiting the latter in this city for a fortnight, went to Ames this morning, where she will visit relatives and friends a short time, prior to going to Des Moines to live.

County Clerk Bullock can probably get a job as collector when he retires from office. Friday when he issued warrants for the pay of the jurymen who were discharged for the term he gave them one week too much time. This was $1½ for each of the dozen or more jurymen discharged. He discovered his error after all of them had drawn their money, and a still hunt for the jurymen commenced. After considerable labor he rounded them up and is now out only the price of cigars to the jurymen and the clerk's friends.

Tom Connelly, arrested for intoxication by Officer Cochran, was before Mayor Pierce this morning and sentenced to six days' work. A like sentence was imposed upon J. Stratmoth, arrested by Officer Clark. Strathmoth was noisy in a Third avenue saloon and in being ejected was thrown through a glass door. Justice Allen heard a case for vagrancy this morning, the prisoner being Thomas Foster, arrested by Sheriff McPherson. He was sentenced to thirty days, but the sentence was suspended pending absence from the city.

Christmas will soon be with us, and you'll be puzzling your brains to find presents for your gentleman friend, husband, brother or father. What would make a more acceptable gift than a box of our fine cigars or one of our beautiful meerschaum or briar pipes? You will find a complete line of domestic and clear Havana cigars at our store, which we have had packed expressly for the Christmas trade, twelve and twenty-five cigars to the box. Before purchasing anything in this line be sure and look over our stock. We carry the largest and finest line of high-grade cigars and tobaccos to be found in the city. Van Derveer & La Shelle, wholesale and retail tobacconists.

New England peanut candy only 10 cents per pound at Fellner's.

Elegant line of new ties at Stern's.

Pure Havana cigars at the Pantorium Club.

All kinds of taffy 10 cents per pound at Fellner's.

Everything in the music line at the Tuffree Music House.

Students enrolling each week. Enter Monday. Business College.

The best meat chopper at our popular prices. Schmidt's hardware store.

Emerson pianos recommended by everybody. Tuffree Music House.

Cora Williams, M. D., specialist. Diseases of women. Library building.

Men's all wool fleece lined underwear, best in town at 50 cents, at Stern's.

Old-fashioned mixed candy, 10 cents; three pounds for 25 cents, at Fellner's.

Just the thing for your grate or air-tight furnace, our hard, dry chunks. Gregory, Brown Coal Co.

A nice line of high-grade cigars put up in small boxes for Christmas presents at Sundell's Cafe and Restaurant.

Have you tried our La Purina clear Havana cigar? If not, you have passed by a "good thing." Van Derveer & La Shelle.

Have Kreutzer & Wasem make your storm windows and doors. You will save the price of them in one year on fuel alone.

Miss Lena Hill returned to her home in Montour this morning after a few days' visit in the city with Mrs. Myo Hurlbut.

Did you see our double-back overcoats and ulsters? They protect shoulders and chest and cost no more than single coats. At Stern's only.

Tama County Democrat, Toledo: Louis King, who has been employed at the Smith infirmary for some time, has resigned and will go to Marshalltown.

Mr. Will Woodard, who has been confined to his home some time with inflammatory rheumatism, is not doing as well as desired and Friday was reported as being much worse.

The Minerva township school house case, recently tried by Superintendent Morrissey and decided in favor of the board, has been appealed to State Superintendent Barrett by Mr. Ingledue and the other plaintiffs.

My stock of jewelry is first-class. No sheddy goods, and everything sold is just as represented. If you want to see the handsomest and best jewelry in the city call at our store. George J. Allen, 14 East Main.

Oskaloosa Herald: Ralph Speer, of the Adams Express Company, was in the city yesterday afternoon calling on friends. He will go to Grinnell to be in the office of the company there as a supply man for a few days.

All persons knowing themselves indebted to the firm of Welch Bros (except regular customers) will please call and settle with me before Jan. 1, 1900, or the same will be placed for collection. J. C. Welch, 311 South Center street.

Mr. Frank Kinsey returned home Friday evening from Clinton, where, with Mr. Lewis Tate, he went to witness the fight between Eddie Croke, of Clinton, and Connors, of Baltimore. Mr. Tate did not return, owing to an attack of illness, being troubled with his old ailment, tonsilitis. He will remain at the home of his brother in Clinton until he recovers.

I have just received a large selection of various styles and latest designs of shell, jet and amber goods; also rhinestones, pearl, gold, silver and turquoise trimmed ornaments, combs, hairpins, daggers, aigrettes, butterflies and many different styles of novelties; also a large assortment of styles in ladies' and gents' hair watch chains at Mme. Rema's, Tremont block.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Russell, of Winfield, arrived in the city Friday evening and were guests over night of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore P. Marsh. This morning they went to Marietta, where they will attend the Friends' quarterly meeting, which began this morning and will continue over Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Marsh and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Holmes are also present at the meeting.

Miss Ella Moffatt, who is one of the national organizers and convention managers of the National Women's Suffrage Association, has just returned home from eleven weeks of active service in organizing county work and attending conventions. The first four weeks were spent in Missouri and the rest of the time in Nebraska, where the work of the suffragists has been concentrated this fall. Two or more conventions were held each week, so an immense amount of work was done and it may be that Bryan's state will be turned over to the women. The work ended with the state convention at Lincoln, the headquarters of the state.

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The food Grape-Nuts was originated for a reason, and with the above facts in view. It is perhaps the most popular food on the American table today, for while it has been in use but little over a year, many of the best people have discovered its unquestioned value.

It is pre-digested and ready for immediate assimilation. It is also thoroughly cooked at the factory, and therefore ready for instant service. Grape-Nuts can be digested by a child in arms, and is appreciated by the athlete because of its flavor and strength. Sold by all first-class grocers, and made by Postum Cereal Co., Ltd., at their factories in Battle Creek.

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Is looked forward to with expectations of joy and gladness. The ordeal of bringing the little one into the world, however, is a critical one for the mother-to-be, and her anticipations of the coming event are shadowed with gloom. Half the pain and all the danger of child-birth can be entirely avoided by the use of "MOTHER'S FRIEND," a scientific liniment of priceless value to all women. Sold by all druggists at one dollar per bottle.

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Is now on inspection. Early buyers can always make most satisfactory selcetions.
We respectfully solicit picture framing for Christmas before the grand rush begins.
Simmons' Book Store,
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Supreme Satisfaction

Follows the possession of one of our handsome and efficient Stewart Heaters. The line is still complete. We have made our third purchase of these goods and while prices are a little higher than they were earlier in the season, we can still give you a low price on this excellent line, which comprises hard coal burners, oaks, hot blasts, Wood Todds, Stewart cooks and Stewart wrought steel and cast ranges.
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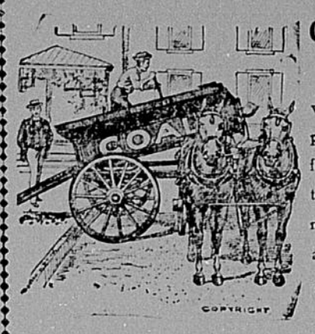

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Now just as fast as our wagons can cart it to your cellars, but the prices are going to go up. Forewarned is forearmed! So don't wait for cold weather to catch you unprepared. Get your supply now, while prices are down and the roads are good. Our coal is high grade, well screened and guaranteed to be satisfactory
J. C. DUNN.

Don't imagine that furniture is all alike. Some of it looks well at first, but soon gives out, because not honestly made. Our Couches, Rockers, Side Boards, Bed Room Suits, and all other furniture is first class. Come in and we will soon convince you.
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If not, now is a good time to place your orders with us for
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