

Local Exemption Board has been
 that Arthur E. Peterson, for-
 ward of 123 East State street, who an-
 nounced here Dec. 13, 1917, deserted at
 Kelly Field, Tex., Jan. 15, 1918.

Strand

Tonight and Wednesday
Vod-a-vil
 "MOVIES"
ALBER'S
Polar Bears
 World's Greatest Trained
 Bears

Tetsuwari
Japs
 The Mikado's Royal
 Acrobats

La Zelle
Sisters
 Dance De La Orient

ERLER'S
NOVELTY
 3-Ring Animal Circus

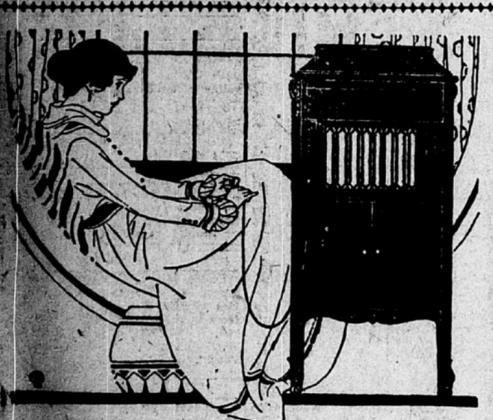
CABARET
GIRLS
 An Array of Pulchritude

FIVE-REEL FEATURE
May Marsh
 IN
"The Fair Pretender"
 OUTING PICTURE

Seventy-five per cent of school
 children are afflicted with some
 form of spinal defect, and this is
 the cause of many grave and
 dangerous diseases later in life—
 J. H. Cronshaw, M. D., St. Louis,
 Missouri.

See the Chiropractic Talks
 Every Wednesday.

Dr. Schindler D.C.
 THE SCIENCE OF HEALTH!
 Over 214 East Main St.
 MARSHALLTOWN, IOWA



What is the Aeolian-Vocalion

It's a new musical instrument which reproduces music
 in the finest degree of perfection. By means of the Grad-
 nols you can play each record according to your personal
 idea of expression, not merely hearing it but living it—feel-
 ing it.

The construction of the tone arm permits the playing
 of all makes of records without changing the reproducer.

Stop in the next time you are up town and judge for
 yourself.

DO IT NOW—DON'T DELAY

MARION GARD
 214-218 EAST MAIN STREET

Soldier Finds Old Friend in France-- Copy of the T.-R.

To come across unexpectedly an old
 friend in far-away France was the
 happy experience of Private Floyd C.
 Staves, Company C, 307th United
 States engineers, whose former home
 was at 24 North Seventh street, this
 city.

The old friend was a copy of the
 Times-Republican. It was a month old,
 "but it sure was some treat," Staves
 writes the newspaper. "I think it came
 thru the red triangle, which is sure
 some blessing to the American army,"
 says the soldier.

Staves says: "We are pleasantly
 surprised at the way we are taken care
 of over here. We expected that hard
 lack and canned Willy would about
 constitute our bill of fare but we are
 eating as well as we did in America,
 and best of all it is good old American
 grub. Armour & Co.'s stamp on the beef
 makes it last better, you know. We
 are one happy, care-free bunch over
 here, and some of these days will see
 us go thru these sauer kraut eating
 ages like a good old Iowa blizzard."

Notice.
 I will be responsible for debts
 contracted only by myself after this
 date. Calvin Vinton, Whitten, Iowa.

CASINO

Theater
 Wednesday-Thursday

Clara
 Kimball
 Young

A brilliant comedy drama.

"The Marionettes"

Has a thrilling story gor-
 geously produced, and with
 a superb cast.

—also—
"His Busy Day"
 HEARST-PATHE NEWS
 TONIGHT—Last Times

"Intolerance"

ONE DELIVERY RULE IN EFFECT

RETAILERS OF CITY JOIN IN
 MOVEMENT TO LIMIT THEIR
 SERVICE.

ONLY DELIVER ONCE TO
 EACH CUSTOMER EACH DAY

Plan Goes Into Effect in All Lines of
 Retail Business in the City—Retail-
 ers Committee Announces Joint Move
 and Makes It Become Effective at
 Once—is to Conserve Help.

Beginning today customers of city
 stores must content themselves with
 one delivery of merchandise from each
 store a day. Hereafter, for the period
 of the war, or until some other plan is
 put in effect, each store will make only
 one delivery to a customer a day. The
 plan goes into effect in all lines where
 delivery service is furnished by an
 agreement made by all retailers of the
 county. This new move in retailing
 will force careless customers to ar-
 range their purchases so as not to
 attempt to secure delivery of mer-
 chandise more than once a day from
 each store.

The plan has been under considera-
 tion and discussion by the retailers of
 the county for several weeks, the re-
 tailers agreeing to adopt the rule put
 in force by a committee they appointed
 to formulate a plan.

It is to conserve man power.
 The limiting of deliveries is made at
 the urgent request of the government
 to conserve man power, the lack of
 which many retail stores are feeling
 the same as are other lines of business.

The reasons for the move and the
 outline of the plan is set forth in the
 following communication from the re-
 tailers' committee, addressed to the
 buying public:

"Our government is asking for con-
 servation of man power, machinery and
 gasoline. In line with this request our
 local council of defense has recom-
 mended that the merchants of
 Marshalltown co-operate in a union
 delivery, and appointed the under-
 signed committee to work out the plan.

"At present the plan is one delivery
 per day at each residence for each
 line of merchandise, the last delivery
 being at 4 p. m.

"We ask the buying public to be
 patriotic and co-operate in this effort
 to comply with our government's re-
 quest.

"Many who are familiar with and
 who are watching conditions are of the
 opinion that the day may not be far
 distant when the government will ask
 that delivery of merchandise be en-
 tirely discontinued for the period of
 the war. In connection with this we
 state the following requests which are
 made by our government at Washing-
 ton:

"Carry your purchases whenever
 possible. Shop early in the day. Carry
 back merchandise sent you on ap-
 proval. Pay your bills promptly."

"The above action will go into
 effect at once—Aug. 6, 1918. George A.
 Olson, George W. Herlin, E. R. Lay,
 George L. Andrews, B. A. Morgan, J.
 V. Bass, William Springer, committee."

M. & ST.-L. OFFICERS NAMED.

Officials of Corporation Appointed Under
 Federal Control.

Officers of the Miscoapolis & St.
 Louis Railroad Company now under
 federal control, have been appointed
 effective Aug. 1, by General Manager
 W. H. Bremner, with the approval of
 R. H. Ashton, regional director. Under
 federal control the name of the com-
 pany has been changed, the word com-
 pany being dropped from the name and
 only the designation of the line being
 retained.

The list of appointees is: R. G. Kenly,
 general superintendent; F. B. Town-
 send, traffic manager; M. M. Joyce,
 general solicitor; J. H. Reinholdt, chief
 engineer; W. G. Manchester, purchas-
 ing agent; A. E. Smith federal auditor.

MARSHALL COUNTY FOOD PRICE BULLETIN

The following are the prices paid today in the city and county by retailers
 for the staples named and the maximum prices at which they should be sold
 to consumers. These retail prices must not be exceeded. If they are penalty
 for profiteering will be evoked, but retailers may sell for less prices than those
 quoted. Any complaints by consumers as regards any radical overcharges
 or variations from the prices below should be reported in writing to the
 county food administration office, Room 2 in the court house.

The prices below are based on good quality and dependable merchandise.
 Consumers will note on some articles a considerable range in prices. These are
 due to the various qualities and sizes of packages. An extra and separate
 charge for delivery service and carrying book accounts is permitted.

Price Interpreting Committee of County Food Administration.

	Cost Price	Selling Price
Wheat flour, per lb.	\$0.06	\$0.07
Corn flour, per lb.	.05 1/4 @ .06 1/4	.07 @ .08
Barley flour, per lb.	.05 @ .05 1/2	.07
Rice flour, per lb.	.10	.12
Eye flour, per lb.	.08 @ .07	.07 1/2 @ .08 1/2
Oat flour, per lb.	.06 @ .06 1/2	.07 @ .07 1/2
Wheat graham, per lb.	.06 @ .06	.06 @ .06 1/2
Corn meal, per lb.	.05 1/4 @ .06	.06 1/4 @ .07 1/4
Oat meal, bulk, per lb.	.05 @ .06	.07 @ .07 1/2
Oat meal, large package, per pkg.	.26 1/4	.32 @ .37
Oat meal, small package, per pkg.	.10 1/2	.12 1/2 @ .15
Hominy, cracked, per lb.	.06 1/4 @ .07	.07 1/4 @ .08 1/4
Edible corn starch, per lb.	.13	.13
Rice, per lb.	.10 @ .10 1/4	.12 1/4 @ .13
Beans, Michigan navy, per lb.	.13 1/4 @ .15	.18 @ .20
Beans, lima, per lb.	.14 1/4 @ .15 1/4	.17 1/4 @ .20
Cheese, cream, per lb.	.27 1/4 @ .30	.35 @ .37
Lard, pure, per lb.	.33 @ .32 1/2	.33 @ .37
Lard compound, per lb.	.23 @ .24 1/2	.28 @ .29 1/2
Oleomargarine, per lb.	.20 @ .23	.24 @ .27
Butter, country, per lb.	.38	.40
Butter, creamery, per lb.	.46	.50
Granulated sugar, 2 lbs.	.17 1/2	.20
Granulated sugar, 5 lbs.	.43	.48
Syrup, dark, 5 lb. can.	2.15	2.40
Potatoes, home grown, per lb.	.02 @ .02 1/2	.03 @ .03 1/2
Corn oil, gals.	2.14	2.75
Corn oil, quarts.	.58	.75
Corn oil, pints.	.31 1/4	.40
Evaporated milk, tall, per can.	.10 1/4 @ .13	.12 1/4 @ .15
Condensed milk, per can.	.18 @ .20	.23 @ .25
Syrup, light, 5 lb. can.	.34 @ .37	.44 @ .49
Syrup, dark, 10 lb. can.	.65 @ .70	.80 @ .85
Syrup, light, 5 lb. can.	.36 @ .39 1/4	.48 @ .53
Syrup, light, 10 lb. can.	.68 @ .75	.90
Sardines, mustard, per can.	.15	.18
Sardines, oil, per can.	.07 1/4 @ .08 1/4	.10 @ .11
Red salmon, tall, per can.	.23 @ .25	.30 @ .32
Pink salmon, tall, per can.	.16 1/4 @ .17 1/4	.24 @ .25
Salmon, fancy red, 7 oz., per can.	.19 @ .21	.25 @ .27
Salmon, fancy red, 15 oz., per can.	.32 @ .33 1/4	.40 @ .42
Dried peaches, per lb.	.14 1/4 @ .16 1/2	.20
Dried apricots, per lb.	.18 @ .25	.25 @ .30
Prunes, 50 to 60, per lb.	.14 1/4 @ .15	.20 @ .22
Raisins, 16 oz. seeded, per pkg.	.11 1/4 @ .13 1/4	.16 1/4 @ .18 1/4

WIDOW SUES FOR HUSBAND'S DEATH

MRS. VIRGINIA E. JONES STARTS
 ACTION AGAINST THOMAS H.
 MEICKLEY

CLAIM IS MADE FOR
 DAMAGES OF \$5,000

Alleges Meickley, Whose Car Struck
 Edward L. Jones at Street Crossing
 Was Operating Car Carelessly and
 at Excessive Speed—Meickley Now
 in Service—Other Court News.

Claiming damages of \$5,000, Mrs. Vir-
 ginia E. Jones has filed suit against
 Thomas H. Meickley for the death of
 her husband, Edward L. Jones, who
 died from the effects of injuries sus-
 tained when he was struck by the car
 Meickley was driving while crossing
 the intersection of Main and Center
 streets, May 8.

The petition alleges that Meickley
 started his car at a high rate of speed
 in an effort to run ahead of a street
 car going in the same direction, and
 that he was operating it negligently.

Fred W. Gates, owner of a tobacco
 store and pool hall, pleaded guilty be-

HEAT HITS 104 MARK.

Mercury Climbs to Highest Temper-
 ature in Several Years.

With a maximum temperature of 104,
 reached by mid-afternoon Monday and
 maintained for an hour or two, the
 city suffered under the most terrific
 heat of any day for five years. A wind
 that blew from the southwest was so
 hot that its aid in tempering the heat
 was of little effect.

There was no relief in eight days,
 which opened hotter than Monday, and
 promised another day of heat above the
 100 degree mark. The coldest period
 for the twenty-four hours ending at 7
 this morning was at 7 Monday morning,
 when the temperature stood at 79. The
 mercury did not drop that low in the
 night, and at 7 o'clock this morning the
 temperature was 80, ten degrees war-
 mer than at the corresponding hour Mon-
 day morning. A year ago Monday the
 extremes were 83 and 51.

THREE DISCHARGED AT PIKE.

Trio From Marshall County Rejected
 as Physically Unfit.

Three of the contingent from this
 county sent to Camp Pike July 24
 have been discharged as physically un-
 fit and returned home. They are Henry
 Woodard, 210 South Fourth street;
 Jesse E. Spease, Gilman; and Michael
 Coval, Waterloo. A fourth name, that
 of Clarence Clark, appears in the list
 discharged from this county's contin-
 gent, but the contingent did not in-
 clude a man of that name.

SPECIAL BARGAINS.

To Close Out at Once at Benedict &
 Brintnall's.

Your choice of five silk dresses for
 \$14.48.

Your choice of all the balance of our
 white wash skirts for one-third off.

Your choice of all our voile summer
 dresses one-third off.

Your choice of five dozen ladies white
 waists for 50 cents each tomorrow only.
 Benedict & Brintnall, Headquarters
 for satisfaction.

Hog Sells For \$150; Red Cross Gets the Money

A. A. Moore, chairman of the county
 Red Cross chapter, today received a
 check for \$150 for the Red Cross from
 Jacob D. Walmeyer, farmer and
 swine breeder of near Melbourne. The
 money represents the price for which
 one hog was sold at a sale of pure bred
 animals, held at the Walmeyer farm
 at short time ago. The owner adver-
 tised one hog would be sold for the
 benefit of the Red Cross. He bid the
 animal in himself, kept it, and turned
 the purchase price over to the chapter.

COLONIAL TODAY

RAY STEWART
 —IN—
 "ONE SHOT ROSS"

WEDNESDAY
 "THE FLASH OF FATE"
 with HERBERT RAWLINSON

THURSDAY
 "THE SHOOTING PARTY"

An unusually good western drama.
 WM. S. HART in "THE SQUEALER"

Albion Band Concert.

At the concert to be given by the
 Albion band Wednesday evening, be-
 ginning at 8:30 the following program
 will be observed:

March—"The Squealer."
 Overture—"Imperial."
 Popular airs.
 Waltz—"Amalgam."
 March—"National Emblem."
 Overture—"Down the Mississippi."
 March—"Camp Sheridan."
 National air.

MARRIED.

Excit-Lambeth.
 J. B. Excit and Miss Gail Lambeth,
 both of Colo., were married at the Meth-
 odist parsonage at 3 o'clock Monday
 afternoon by Rev. W. G. Crowder. The
 groom is in the draft and will enter
 the service Aug. 15.

Cut Rate Grocery and Meats

103 WEST MAIN W. L. PECKHAM, PROP. PHONE 182

WE LEAD, OTHERS FOLLOW

Talk About Soap Sales—Three (3) bars of Palmolive Soap for	25c
3 big loaves of bread	25c
4 dozen heavy jar rubbers	25c
1 pound of cocoa	38c
1/2 pound of cocoa	20c
Creamery Butter, per one-pound bricks	45c
You make a big mistake if you do not see us before buying your groceries and meats.	
3 cans pork and beans	25c
4 cans salmon paste	25c
Box of matches	5c
3 pkgs macaroni	25c
FOUR-ROOM HOUSE TO RENT. WE SELL CHEAPER. Three bars of Palmolive soap for	

ARE YOU A STOCKHOLDER?-- Your Number Please?

The 1/2 Price Rummage Sale

Continues at High Speed

DO NOT FAIL TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THIS ONE WEEK OF ONE-HALF PRICE SELLING OF LOTS, WHICH WE CAN NOT CARRY OVER INTO ANOTHER SEASON. SPRING SUITS, SPRING AND EARLY FALL COATS, DRESSES, SKIRTS, MUSLIN AND KNIT UNDERWEAR, HOSIERY, Etc., in the 1/2 price rummage.



Levia Dry Goods Co.

EVERYBODY'S STORE

INC.

IN THE HEART OF MARSHALLTOWN

IN THE RUMMAGE SALE
 The Entire Stock of

WOMEN'S VOILE SUMMER DRESSES

1/2 Price

\$6.50 voile dresses at	\$3.25
\$8.75 voile dresses at	\$4.37 1/2
\$10.00 voile dresses at	\$5.00
\$12.50 voile dresses at	\$6.25
\$15.00 voile dresses at	\$7.50
\$16.00 voile dresses at	\$8.25
\$22.50 voile dresses at	\$11.25



THE REMAINING STOCK OF
 CLOTH SUITS

Mostly Navy and Black, at
 1/2 Price

\$25.00 suits at	\$12.50
\$27.50 suits at	\$13.75
\$32.50 suits at	\$16.25
\$35.00 suits at	\$17.50
\$37.50 suits at	\$18.75
\$39.75 suits at	\$19.87 1/2
\$45.00 suits at	\$22.50
\$50.00 suits at	\$25.00

Double X Stamps

9 to 11 a. m.
 IN EVERY
 DEPT.

In 1/2 Price Sale

SPRING, SUMMER AND EARLY FALL COATS.
 of finest all wool poplins, gabardines, and poiret twills: Half
 and full lined, mostly in tan, rookie and other desirable colors. (No
 navy or black).

\$22.50 coats, 1/2 price. \$11.25 | \$37.50 coats, 1/2 price. \$18.75
 \$25.00 coats, 1/2 price. \$12.50 | \$50.00 coats, 1/2 price. \$25.00

If you need a fall coat this is your opportunity.

Double X Stamps

9 to 11 a. m.
 IN EVERY
 DEPT.

FASHIONABLE SKIRTS OF CLOTH AND SILK

1/2 Price

\$6.50 novelty cloth skirts at	\$3.25
\$8.50 novelty cloth skirts at	\$4.25
\$10.00 cloth of silk skirts at	\$5.00
\$12.50 silk skirts at	\$6.25
\$14.00 silk skirts at	\$7.00
\$15.00 silk skirts at	\$7.50
\$19.50 silk skirts at	\$9.50
\$22.50 silk skirts at	\$11.25

Kayser Silk Gloves at 1/2 price

12-button length, "Kayser"
 silk gloves, in black or
 white, \$1 values at... 50c

Palm Olive Soap and Colgate's Talcum

1/2 price:
 15c value Palmolive
 soap, at... 7 1/2c
 25c value Colgate's
 talcum powder, at... 12 1/2c

Many Desirable Lots in UNDERWEAR & HOSIERY

1/2 Price

Women's fiber silk hose, in black, white and colors, 85c values, pair	42 1/2c
Women's gauze lisle hose, 39c values, at per pair	19 1/2c
Women's Burson balbriggan hose, 50c values, at per pair	25c
Women's \$1.25 lace silk hose, in black, white and colors at per pair	63c
Boys' balbriggan union suits, 24 to 34, 50c values, at	25c
Girls' fine white cotton hose, 50c values, at per pair	25c
Boys' 1x1 extra stout cotton hose, 50c values, at per pair	25c
Extra size women's swiss ribbed vests, 25c values at	12 1/2c
Women's fine lisle union suits, regular and extra sizes, \$1.00 values, at	50c

100 PIECES HAND-EMBROIDERED ART NEEDLE- WORK PIECES

1/2 Price

Hand Embroidered Pillow Tops.
 Hand Embroidered Combing Jackets
 Hand Embroidered Doilies
 Hand Embroidered Chemise
 Hand Embroidered Petticoats
 Hand Embroidered Covers
 Hand Embroidered Yokes

and many other pieces in hand embroidery at
 one-half price.

In the Second Floor Annex WANTED MERCHANDISE

1/2 Price

Women's muslin gowns and envelope chemise, lace and embroidery trimmed, slightly soiled, \$1.98 values	99c
39 boys' white military wash suits, 2 1/2 to 9 years, at one-half price, \$4.50 values,	\$2.25
at	\$2.25
Girls' white dresses, also dresses of fine col- ored tissues at one-half price.	
\$2.75 values at	\$1.37 1/2
\$3.50 values at	\$1.75
\$4.50 values at	\$2.25
\$5.00 values at	\$2.50
\$5.75 values at	\$2.87 1/2
\$6.50 values at	\$3.25
\$7.50 values at	\$3.75
\$12.50 values at	\$6.25