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Tri-Weekly Courier

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changed will please give the name of
the Postoffice to which the paper has
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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

From Tuesday's Daily.
Newsham sells the best watches.
Fresh sassafras bark at Sargent's.

Mrs. Naomi Day and Mrs. Flora J.
McAdaran of Bloomfield, passed
through Ottumwa today enroute to Des
Moines, where they will attend the
State W. C. T. U. meeting now in progress
in the capital city.

Mrs. Donald McGregor of Fairfield
stopped over night with Mrs. C. Y.
Smith, 587 West Fourth street, enroute
to Lincoln, Neb., where she will
visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Creath of
Agency, passed through Ottumwa last
evening, enroute to Des Moines, on
business.

Mrs. S. A. Menger of Agency was a
shopper in the city yesterday.

Mrs. C. A. Meeker of Agency, passed
through Ottumwa last evening enroute
home from a short visit with relatives
in Highland Center.

Mrs. E. Miller of Chiffand was a
shopper in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Wall of Rubio
turned to her home this afternoon after
being called here by the illness and
death of her aunt, Miss Mary Riordan.

Mrs. F. Ritter and Miss Elizabeth
Cornell of Bonaparte, passed through
the city today enroute to Melrose,
where they will visit relatives.

Mrs. D. C. McCormick of Highland
Center passed through the city today
enroute to Chariton, where she will
visit relatives.

Mrs. Ernest Ragen of Highland Center
is in Ottumwa today.

Miss Florence Lower of Albia is a
shopper in the city today.
Lewis Fisher of Eldon, who has been
confined in the Ottumwa hospital with
a broken limb, was removed to his
home today.

Recall celery and iron tonic builds
up Sargent's.

Mr. and Mrs. James Fisher of Eldon
are business visitors in Ottumwa today.

Miss Bernice Watkins of Agency is
in the city today.

Miss Carrie Smith of Kirksville is a
business visitor in the city today.

Mrs. J. H. Henderson of Blakesburg
is a business visitor in the city today.

Mrs. Harry Pearson of Kirksville is
a shopper in the city today.

Blackleg vaccination serums at Sargent's.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. T. Buffington of Ed-
dyville, who accompanied their daughter,
Mrs. C. C. Buffington, formerly of
Knockville, to her future home in Bid-
well, passed through Ottumwa en
route home today.

David Jay of Blakesburg spent yesterday
afternoon and last night in the
city on his way to the good roads convention
in Des Moines, where he went
this morning on the Rock Island. Mr.
Jay, after attending the convention in
Des Moines, will go to Ames, where
his son Richard is attending the agricultural
college. He will return home
the last of the week.

Frutula, the gall stone remedy, at
Sargent's.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Manro of Eldon
were business visitors in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Anna Huffman of Keosauqua
returned home last evening after an
over Sunday visit with relatives and
friends in the city.

Mrs. Ella Neff of Eldon returned home
last evening from a short visit
with Mrs. J. C. Garrers, who resides on
the corner of Ray and Mary streets.

Mrs. J. M. Parsons and Mrs. A. L.
Nicklin of Douglas-Leando were shoppers
in Ottumwa yesterday.

Fulton's wonderful renal compound
and diabetes remedy at Sargent's Six
for \$5.

Miss Arlie Coolidge of Bonaparte,
who has been visiting Mrs. M. O.
Schretver, 421 North Green street, returned
home last evening.

From Wednesday's Daily.
Mrs. G. R. Cleag of Albia, is a business
caller in the city today.

Mrs. Amanda Parson of Keosauqua,
is visiting Mrs. H. O. Davis, 1038 West
Second street.

Mrs. D. Clifford of Kirksville, is a
business caller in Ottumwa today.

Mrs. F. Griffith of Kirksville, is a
shopper today in the city.

Mrs. Florence Fleming of Keosauqua,
is visiting Mrs. Ida Prather, 538
North Green street.

Miss Gertrude McCarty of Pleasant
Platin, is a guest at the home of Mr.
and Mrs. John J. Morrissey, 441 East
Fourth street.

Mrs. A. Hanson of Dudley, who has
been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Bert
Redburn, 141 West Park avenue, returned
home today.

Mrs. F. W. Seaburg of Dudley, is
shopping in Ottumwa today.

First grade deck foot rubber boots
\$3.50. Other rubbers and overshoes in
proportion. Why pay more? Church
Shoe-Co.

Dress Goods
Trimmings

Again we direct
your attention to our
distinctive assort-
ments. Again the
superiority of our
values is made mani-
fest. Again price
economy predominates
at this store. Dress
Goods is a very im-
portant factor in wear-
ing apparel this season.
The enormous de-
mand made on us is
evidence of the popu-
larity of our styles
and prices and the
growing demand for
the best fabrics is
shown by our early
and increased sales.
Our price range is ad-
equate to meet the re-
quirements of every
person satisfactorily.

New Dress Goods
50c to 3.00
New Trimmings
5c to \$12

Samples mailed on
request. Prompt atten-
tion given mail orders.

S. C. Cullen & Co

126, 128, 130 East Main
RESOLUTIONS UP
TO ROAD MEETING

ways, but expressed himself as doubt-
ful if Iowa wants these kind of roads
now.
"Iowa will not undertake such propo-
sitions now," he said, "so I must ulti-
mately come to a discussion of dirt
roads."
There is but one difficulty with Iowa
dirt roads, he pointed out, and that is
keeping the water out and off of them.
Then the governor paid his compli-
ments to the road trustees of the state
and informed them that while he did
not want to abuse them, he wanted
some sort of a change that they may
be relieved of the road building and
maintenance work.
In Iowa we have the dirt roads, he
said, but no gravel or stone. Hence
he said, the question is one of im-
proving the dirt roads.
County Engineer.
In this work he asserted that the
services of competent road engineers
was absolutely necessary and he went
on record as favoring a law giving to
each county a road engineer. He is
not in favor of the scheme advanced
by some, he stated, for the appoint-
ment of a state road engineer, for, he
pointed out, a state engineer could not
possibly be familiar with local condi-
tions, something absolutely necessary
in the building of good roads.
He expressed himself further as in
favor of the proposal to set apart a
portion of the township fund for road
draining purposes.
Referring to the present state road
laws, and especially those passed by
the last general assembly, the gov-
ernor said they were all right in prin-
ciple but were weak. He pointed out
to the audience certain sections which
were indefinite and admitted of con-
struction whereby little or no work
had to be done to comply with them.
The afternoon meeting was strictly
of the good roads delegates, but in
the evening a joint session was held
with the threshermen, with whom the
good road and bridge problem is a ser-
ious one.
The gist of all the talks was to the
effect that Iowa's road laws are weak,
that the system is bad, and that it is
up to the farmers and the users of the

A FAVORED FEW
THE MAKERS OF WOLTEX GAR-
MENTS WRITES US

They have mailed their 1910 style
book to a few of the ladies in our city.
If you were so fortunate as to secure
one of these books and would like to
see the originals, they would be pleased
to have you call next Saturday
or Monday, on which date they will be
on display and sale in our suit depart-
ment. Woltex garments are the high-
est type of American manufacture,
they use only the best all wool ma-
terials and make nothing but strictly
high grade tailored garments which
they guarantee for two seasons satis-
factory wear.
The fact that the makers of Woltex
maintain a fashion bureau in Paris,
Berlin and London, enables them to
give the correct styles many a season
in advance of other manufacturers.
Charles A. Stevens of Chicago, is
one of the most liberal users of these
celebrated garments in suits ranging
in price from \$25.00 to \$45.00. Mr.
Stevens considers them the best ob-
tainable. Owing to our economical busi-
ness methods, owning our own build-
ing, etc., our prices are considerably
under those of the large city stores we
are thus enabled to sell Woltex suits
from \$22.50 up, instead of \$25.00, as is
usually asked. We make a corres-
ponding saving on skirts and top coats,
and would consider it a pleasure to
have you call and inspect the line.

PHILLIPS BIG STORE CO.

He also dwelt upon the neces-
sity of the drainage of roads.

Sides With Governor.

Representative F. A. O'Connor of
New Hampton urged the creation of
the office of county engineer in draw-
ing up the proposed good roads bill to
be presented to the next legislature.
He said in this connection:
"I believe we should have an officer
known as the county highway engi-
neer. He should be a graduate civil
engineer, if possible, but if not he
should be a man possessing exception-
al qualifications in the practical re-
quirements of his office. To his care
and supervision should be entrusted
the construction of the permanent
roads of his county. The selection of
the particular roads to be improved I
would leave in the discretion of the
board of supervisors. When that body
had agreed on the portion of the road
to be constructed permanently, it
should be the duty of the engineer to
assume control. He should perfect his
plans and specifications with as much
care and caution as the builder of a
modern skyscraper or the constructor
of a railway system. The work there-
after should be let by contract and
be under the direct supervision of the
county engineer. As to whether or not
he should be charged with other du-
ties such as the employment of the
labor, the payment of claims and bills,
the purchasing of supplies, etc., I am
in doubt. It appeals to me that it
might be better if he were relieved
from these incidental duties and that
his work should be largely in the na-
ture of the overseer or architect of a
building. He should be charged with
full responsibility for the construction
of permanent good roads and should
in the prosecution of his work be un-
hampered as far as possible."

Blood Troubles
And Skin Diseases

Quickly Succumb To the Beneficial
Effects of Stuart's Calcium
Wafers.
Trial Package Sent Free.
Science has proven Calcium Sul-
phide to be the most powerful blood
purifier known. Stuart's process of
giving the system this great cleaner
for the blood, has been called the best,
for preserving the full strength of Cal-
cium Sulphide.
Calcium Sulphide is not a poison.
It is harmless, though greatly power-
ful.
Children may take it with freedom
and their delicate organisms thrive
with its use.
Skin diseases flee when the blood is
charged with this great eradicator.
The blood at once feels its influence
and eruptions cease and fade away al-
most beyond belief, so immediate is
its action.
No matter what degree of eruptive
skin trouble you may have, Stuart's
Calcium Wafers will purify and enrich
the blood. The little wafers go into
the stomach just like the skin impuri-
ties get it. They tone up this organ,
enter the intestines, are absorbed by
the lacteals and lymphatics, are drawn
into the blood, course quickly to every
organ and atom of the body, and re-
move secretions and decay. The lungs
are assisted, the liver is aided, the
stomach re-informed and skin diseases
are assailed from their source. All
retreat, for diseases is cut off from the
rear, and very quickly nature routs
the effects of such maladies which ap-
pear in the form of pimples, eruptions,
blackheads and scaly formations,
which have scaly backed up.
You have actual proof when you take a
Stuart's Calcium Wafer. Not a mere
feeble effort at relief, but a remedy
of nature that has relieved human sub-
jects greater in number by far than
the entire army of America and Can-
ada. For chronic or temporary blood
disorders and skin diseases these
wafers are without an equal.
If you will go to your druggist and
ask him the virtue of Calcium Sul-
phide his answer will confirm these
statements.
Stuart's Calcium Wafers, he will al-
so say, are the most popular and sci-
entific method of using this wonderful
ingredient. They sell for 50c per
package, or send us your name and ad-
dress and we will send you a trial
package by mail free. Address, F. A.
Stuart Co., 175 Stuart Bldg., Mar-
shall, Mich.

GRAND OPENING
Friday and Saturday, March 18 and 19,

We will give away absolutely free one Rubber Tire Top Buggy.
Come in and look over the largest stock of Vehicles, Wagons,
Implements, Harness and small goods that was ever shown in
Southern Iowa.
150 Buggies on the floor. Top Buggies from \$39 up.
Something Else Free
To the person who purchases the largest number of dollars
worth of goods between March 1 and 19 at 3:45 p. m., we will give
a set of \$20 Buggy Harness. To the second a \$10 Robe. To the
third a Whalebone Whip. Buy your goods during the above time
and you may get one of the above prizes.

Ottumwa Buggy Co.,
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built then for buggies and wagons,
now they must be built for heavy mo-
tors, autos and traction engines.
The concluding session of the good
roads men will be held today at the
Coliseum in the convention room.

MUNTERVILLE.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Emil Larson
Sunday, March 6, a son.

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Liden of Rock Island, Messrs. E. F.
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Mrs. Sarah Moore entertained the
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John Crist, of Woodburn, returned
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Rev. O. A. Elmquist, C. Dahl and
Miss Anna Lundquist went to Ottu-
mwa Monday evening to attend the
district conference of the Swedish
Lutheran church.

ELDON.

The Bay View reading club will
meet with Mrs. C. Stanton next Mon-
day, Chapters 6, 7 and 8 in Brave Lit-
tle Holland. Mrs. S. L. Murry, maga-
zine leader. Mrs. Cogshall, history
leader.

The ladies of the M. E. church will
hold a bazaar and supper in the K. of
P. hall Saturday March 26.

William B. Crawford, an old soldier
near Selma died Sunday evening and
was buried in Iowaville cemetery on
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