



Mid-Summer Opening

Friday and Saturday
June 3rd and 4th

In the large eastern cities Mid-Summer Openings are as much of an event as the spring opening. In fact, many thrifty ladies put off buying their spring hats until then, knowing that the smartest dressers are waiting for this event to buy fascinating hats, and

The Mid-Summer Hats and Frocks are Certainly Fascinating

Phillips' Big Store Company

with its usual enterprise, has had its milliners busy preparing the most beautiful creations in Summer Hats. Hats that are different. Hats that are just a little newer. Hats with enough more style to make them distinctive and pleasing at prices that won't take all the change in your pocket-book.

On These Two Days Every Lady Visiting Our Premium Department on Second Floor Will be Given Absolutely Free a Knap Sack Containing Ten Red Stamps.

Midsummer Hats at \$10, \$7.50, \$5 and 3.00 || Midsummer Waists at \$5, \$3.98, \$2.98, \$1.98 and 98c || Midsummer Dresses at \$25, \$15, \$10, \$5 and 3.50 || Midsummer Long Coats at \$15, \$10 and 4.98 || Midsummer Pumps and Oxfords \$3.50, \$2.50 and 1.48

Mid-Summer Hosiery
A beautiful new line of Ladies High Grade \$1.50 Silk Hose 98c
An exceptionally fine line of Ladies' 75c and \$1 plain Lisle and Lace Hose 49c
Any of our 35c Queen Quality fine Lisle and Silk Finished Hose 25c
Any of our Ladies' and Children's 15c Hose in black, tans and colors 10c
Ladies extra size Hose for stout ladies, regular 19c grade only 10c

Mid-Summer Underwear
Ladies' 75c Combination Suits—Drawers and Corset Cover in one piece 49c
Beautifully Trimmed Drawers and Skirt with Corset Cover, like cut 98c
Ladies' \$1.48 Nainsook Gowns and Low Neck Slip-Overs Lace and Emb. trimmed 98c
Ladies' \$1 Wide Circular Skirt Drawers—3 rows of insertion and lace edge 69c
The new \$2 Form Reducing Corsets double side staves fully guaranteed 23 to 36 1.50



This \$1.50 Combination Suit for 98c

Mid-Summer Shirt Waists
The new Middy Waists with wide Sailor Collar—sale price 49c
Any of our new \$1.50 Middy and Low Neck Lingerie Waists—Opening price 98c
A beautiful line of Tailored, Embroidery and Lace Waists 98c
New Novelties in Ladies' Silk and Net Waists at \$5, \$3.98 and 2.98
Ladies Long Summer Kimonos in a wide range of patterns 98c

Mid-Summer Dresses
Yes, we are showing some exceptional values in the new Tunic Effects, \$4.98 to 17.50
Odd lot of \$12.50 to \$7.50 Tulle and Foulard Silk Dresses in nearly every color 6.98
A table of \$3 and \$3.50 Silk Waists in this season's styles in every size 1.48
Ladies' and Misses Lingerie Dresses in white, blue and pink, \$5.00 values 3.50
Ladies' Loose Back Lawn Kimonos in all sizes 69c grade 39c

Mid-Summer Sale of Furniture, Carpets and Rugs at Cut Prices

Yard wide all Wool Ingrain Carpets 62c || Yard wide Bed Room Carpets 25c || Large Floor Size 9 by 12 Rugs for 4.98 || Large Velvet Rugs 9 by 12, \$25 grade 19.75 || Full size Gold Bells, latest novelty 5.85 || Sanitary Couches sell elsewhere at \$5 3.98

18.50 large side board with French plate mirror 14.75. \$15 Chase leather couch, steel construction, \$9.85

10c Sale Don't forget our annual 10c sale this week. See add on page 7. **Phillips Big Store Co.** Red Stamps cost us but 12c a thousand—other stamps cost the dealers \$4 per 1,000. **Red Stamps**

A Better Premium When \$42.50 is Purchased Than Other Stamp Concerns Give With \$95.00



It's a safe step that puts your foot into a Douglas shoe. The result will be satisfaction such as is seldom found in footwear; comfort, good style and durability will be yours. We have them in all leathers at \$3, \$3.50 and \$4.00. See ours before you buy.

Shoe **H. & F. Store**
HAGBERG & FARRINGTON
124 East Main.

Graduation Gifts

A visit to our store—Ottumwa's ideal gift store, will reveal the gift possibilities of our beautiful displays. No other store offers so great a variety of truly artistic gift wares—displays which enable anyone to choose a gift of the highest artistic and practical worth at a price range to suit the purse of all.

W. C. Wyman
The Only China Store.
Visitors Cordially Invited.

Piano and Organ Repairing
at
RHEEM'S
109 W. Main.

Have Your Suit Made By Us
No More \$15 No Less
1,000 All Wool Samples to Select From.
The Glasgow Tailors
224 East Main St.

ANNOUNCEMENT

I hereby announce that I am a candidate on the Republican ticket for the nomination for member of the board of supervisors for the term beginning 1912, subject to the voters at the primary election June 7, 1910.
J. R. Stodghill, Dudley, Ia.

BLOOMFIELD.
Memorial exercises were observed in this city Monday. An extra large crowd attended.
Mrs. Minnie King and children of Des Moines are here to spend the summer with her mother, Mrs. Woodford Owens. Mr. King visits her over Sunday.
Miss Kate Wise returned Monday to her school near Prairie City, Ia.
Mrs. Bessie Burgey of Marengo, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Barnett, left Monday for Des Moines where she will be joined by Mr. Burgey and from there they will go to Mitchell, S. D., to visit Mrs. Burgey's sister, Mrs. A. T. Downey.
Miss Belle Gorrie who has been visiting at the Geo. Barnett home, left Monday for her home in Aurora, Ill.
Misses Frankie and Grace Brabbery left Monday for a short visit with their sister Mrs. R. H. Gray of Albia.
Miss Viola Toney returned to Ottumwa Monday from a few days visit with her parents, John Toney and wife.
Miss Virgie Rayburn was an Ottumwa visitor Monday.
Miss Effie Lantz who has been teaching at Pierson, Ia., returned home Monday.
Chester Rown of Ottumwa spent Sunday with relatives in this city.
Miss Minnie Pearson of Pulaski, passed through here Monday enroute to Kirksville, Mo., to attend the commencement of the college.
Miss Delpha Nafziger of Des Moines spent Saturday and Sunday with her mother Mrs. Hattie Nafziger.
Mrs. Levi Siler of West Grove visited Monday at the Mrs. Jim Varner home.
W. E. Cade of La Mar, Colo., returned home Monday from a week's visit with his sister Mrs. Tom Ridd.
Mrs. J. W. Wray and son Junior

spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Jim Milligan.
Mrs. W. B. Kays of near Memphis, Mo., visited over Sunday with her grandparents, Geo. Wray and wife.
Mrs. Levi Beauchamp, Misses Emma and Irene Beauchamp of Pulaski, visited at the Dr. Beauchamp home Monday.
Tom McIntire returned Monday from a two weeks' trip to southern Texas.
Mrs. Arthur Frady of Pulaski was a city visitor Monday.
Rev. J. W. Altheide will hold services at Orleans Sunday morning and evening.
RUSSELL.
Chester Everett of Ottumwa spent Sunday in Russell with his parents, Glenn Jennings and wife returned Friday from Lincoln, Neb., where they have been visiting the last week.
J. A. Brower who has been the teamster for McKleven & Elkenberry has resigned his position and gone to Villisca, where he will work on a farm.
P. A. Rocky and wife spent Sunday in Chariton with her parents P. V. Van Arsdale and family.
Walter Riker of Ottumwa spent Monday in Russell with his parents G. W. Riker and wife.
Bert Vinzel of Nevada, Ia., spent Sunday and Monday with his parents J. A. Vinzel and wife.
Verner Hasselquist of South Dakota is visiting in Russell with his many friends.
Memorial day was fittingly observed at Russell. The exercises were held in the Presbyterian church where Judge H. M. Towner of Corning gave a most excellent address. The house was crowded and the entire audience

then went to the cemetery where fit were very well pleased. The soldiers graves ceremonies were held at the graves of the departed soldiers.
J. W. Mendenhall who formerly lived in Russell died in Des Moines Sunday. His remains were taken to Melrose for burial.
Mrs. Joseph Baker suffered a paralytic stroke Saturday and is in a serious condition at her home in the east part of Russell.
Raymond Brewer of Melrose spent Sunday in Russell with Frank Brewer and family.
AGENCY.
Rev. C. S. Cooper has bought seven acres of ground just outside the city limits on the Ottumwa road and will build a dwelling on it and move there in the near future. Rev. Lambert of Burlington was here Friday looking for property to buy.
G. W. Newell of Des Moines is here for decoration day.
Mrs. C. W. Wilhite is visiting with friends in Missouri.
Mr. and Mrs. Woodford of Ottumwa spent Sunday with friends here.
Miss Effie Peden of Floris was calling on friends here Friday.
Mrs. A. J. Burnaugh of Pulaski is visiting friends in this vicinity.
Mrs. W. H. Hillery has returned from Kansas where she has been for some time.
Mrs. G. L. Nye and grandson Lloyd Nye are visiting in Chicago.
Mrs. Dahl of Packwood visited her parents here last Friday.
Mrs. Nettie McMinn of Des Moines is visiting friends here.
Rev. Cherry of Keosauqua delivered a fine memorial sermon at the M. E. church Sunday morning. A large congregation listened to the address at

which they shook hands with the old soldiers present.
STOCKPORT.
The laying of the walls of the A. R. Hiatt new building commenced Monday morning. This is to be a cement building 40x80 feet.
J. C. Silvers has purchased a new auto.
W. S. Whitaker of Hillsboro spent Sunday at Stockport. He will go next week to Waterloo to the grand lodge of the A. F. and A. M. and from there to Wyoming, but will return in time to resume his college course at Ames this fall.
F. W. Lucas came home Saturday from Kirksville, Mo., to spend vacation with his father and mother. He is studying medicine.
Floyd and Richard Johnston went to Birmingham Friday.
E. V. Whitaker, Jr., of Hillsboro spent last week in Stockport.
E. E. Veatch has purchased a new automobile.
J. H. McCarty went to Chillicothe Wednesday, returning Tuesday.
Mr. Bell took his little son to Burlington Thursday. He was operated on for appendicitis. The little fellow is getting along nicely.
Memorial services were held at the M. E. church Sunday evening, conducted by Rev. Hatfield.
POINT.
Miss Minnie Pogge visited her sister in Ft. Madison Thursday.
Mr. and Mrs. Edward O. Conner and daughter who have been visiting Louis Jacques and family near La Crow, have returned to their home in Montague, Calif.
Mrs. Jos. Jansen very pleasantly entertained a number of lady friends at her home Tuesday evening, it being

her fortieth birthday. Refreshments were served and a very pleasant social hour enjoyed.
Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Johnson of West Lebanon, New Hampshire, are visiting at the E. S. Cook home.
Miss Rose Groem left Saturday for an extended visit in Oskaloama and Ft. Worth, Texas.
Mrs. Caroline Schierbrock entertained a number of relatives at a family supper Sunday evening in honor of her son Vincent who was a member of the first communion class.
Robert Flohrer of near Denmark was kicked in the face by a horse on Thursday morning. He was unconscious for some time. A gash two inches long was cut under the eye. Mr. Flohrer was currying the horses at the time of the accident and was unable to see which horse did the kicking.
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Heberer and baby left Monday for Dickinson, N. D., to spend the summer with Mrs. Heberer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Herstein.
Mrs. J. B. Rubly and children of Chicago are visiting Mrs. Wm. Link, Sr.
Miss Lula Beck of Peoria and Miss Maud Paddelford of Denmark are visiting Miss Kathryn Klopfenstein.
Steve Walljaeger who has been seriously ill is slowly recovering.
Miss Anna Lohman is visiting relatives in Edina, Mo.
Miss Minnie Jansen left Wednesday for a visit with her sister in Davenport.
Mrs. J. W. Conley recently visited friends at Montrose.
Miss Clara Pogge of Keokuk is visiting her mother Mrs. Pogge.
Mrs. S. H. Johnston of Keokuk is visiting her son, Rev. S. M. Johnston. Mrs. Chas. Wilson and children spent several days visiting home to spend the summer with Mrs. Herberer's parents.
Miss Anna Rigler of Bentonport is visiting her sister Mrs. Albert King.
Mrs. P. M. McGuire and daughter are visiting relatives in Nauvoo, Ill.

BLOOMFIELD.
Phil Palmer of Kokomo, Ind., visited the last of the week with his parents-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Wishard.
Paul Collins who attends school at Kirksville, Mo., spent Saturday and Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Reeta Collins.
Mrs. Nellie Sherman of Malcomb, who has been visiting her mother Mrs. Grider, returned home Saturday.
Mrs. Don Adams and baby of Sigourney arrived Saturday for a two weeks' visit with her sister, Miss Beryl Horn.
Mrs. Vida Weeks and mother Mrs. S. F. Grinstead of Des Moines are visiting the latter's daughter, Mrs. Tom Van Horn.
The Pirate ball team lost the deciding game of their series at Unionville, Mo., 4 to 2. A twelve inning tie game, 0 to 0 was played Thursday and the tie was played off Friday. The team went to Queen City, Mo. Sunday and defeated the Missourians 6 to 3. They returned in Cincinnati yesterday.
Miss Jennie England of Ottumwa spent Sunday with her parents, Geo. England and wife.
Miss Anna Goode of Ottumwa spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Eliza Goode.
Catherine Graham spent the first of the week with her friend, Miss Lulu Rider of Ottumwa.
Mrs. E. G. Garrison of Pulaski was a city visitor Saturday.
Miss Ida Kittleman of Des Moines was in this city Saturday on business.
John Hull, wife and baby of Ottumwa spent Sunday with Mr. Hull's parents, Jim Hull and wife.
Mrs. Floy Springer of Ottumwa is visiting friends in this city.
Mrs. Foster Garmon and children spent Sunday with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Ben Selman who returned with her for a short visit.
Carl Shaw, wife and daughter of

Ottumwa spent Sunday with relatives in Bloomfield.
Mrs. Will Fortune who has been visiting her parents, Jim Hull and wife returned Sunday to her home in Elliott.
Misses Grace Rothenstein and Marie Rogers left Saturday for a two weeks' visit with their uncle Henry Saner of Lancaster, Mo.
Mrs. Emeline Rogers left the last of the week for a month's visit at the Green Thompson home at Glenwood and with her brother Jim Garmon of Downing, Mo.
Homer Albright and mother Mrs. Sarah Albright of Ottumwa visited the last of the week with John Albright of this city.
ALBIA.
A reward of \$50 has been offered for the finding of Frank Harinak, who is supposed to have lost his mind at this place while on his way from Newkirk, Okla., to Alberta, Canada. The last heard of him by relatives was from Albia from which place he sent home all the money he possessed, saying that he was sentenced to die here. His brother Steven Harinak arrived yesterday to investigate the matter. The young man's suit case was found at the Wabash station and it was learned that he had been seen about one mile north of the city going in a westward direction through the fields of Sam Elder and Tom Dotts.
Rev. E. N. Hankins of Lovilia delivered the Memorial day address to the old soldiers at King's opera house yesterday. The old soldiers to the number of about one hundred were conveyed to the cemetery in automobiles, there being twenty-six machines in the procession. The G. A. R.'s from all over the county were present and Mr. Young, the west side photographer took a very satisfactory view of the company at the northwest corner of the square. The day was ideal and a large crowd was in the city to help observe the day. The Albia band furnished the music for the occasion.
J. G. Thayer of St. Louis an old soldier was at Albia yesterday participating in the Memorial day services.