

# The New Store

Friday morning at 9 o'clock the women, misses and children of Ottumwa are invited to inspect the finest specialty store west of New York City. The Sidney Co. will always display the newest styles at popular prices. Women intending to purchase a Spring Coat, Suit or Dress should wait until Friday, when they will see something different in style and at prices that will cause a sensation.

## The Sidney Co., Inc.

Women's, Misses' and Children's Outfitters.  
111 East Main Street, Ottumwa.

Stores at—

- New York, N. Y. Ottumwa, Iowa.
- Rochester, N. Y. Waterloo, Iowa.
- Chicago, Ill. Marshalltown, Iowa.
- Sioux City, Iowa. Mason City, Iowa.

WANTED. — Experienced Salesladies and alteration hands. Highest salaries to efficient people.

## ATTENTION FARMERS! PICKLES

The Ottumwa Pickle Co. is ready to contract for Cucumbers at 70c per bushel, delivered at any of its factories at Ottumwa or Eldon, and will furnish seed free. Call or address

Ottumwa Pickle Company Ottumwa, Ia.

Have your suit or overcoat tailored to order.

**\$15**

**Stern & Stern**

New Era Tailors.  
129 East Second Street.



**A HINT**

A word to the wise is sufficient, but the wise woman only needs a hint. We repair furniture and upholster it so that it looks as good as new and wears as well as new. That's all. The wise woman will act on that hint. It means saving and comfort and beauty—all three.

**H. W. Suechting,**  
Corner Washington and Second  
Ottumwa, Iowa.

**YOU DO YOUR SELF  
AN INJUSTICE**

If you buy elsewhere before seeing our thousand styles

No More **\$15** No Less

**The Glasgow Tailors**  
224 East Main St.

**You Can Pay More**

Than we ask, but you get no better shoes

**You Cannot Get Better Shoes**

Than we sell, but you can pay more

Shoe **H. & F. Store**

C. A. Hagberg

124 East Main

## OTTUMWANS TO PARTICIPATE

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH MEMBERS WILL TAKE A LIVE PART IN PRESBYTERY MEETING.

Ottumwa Presbyterian missionary society members will take a lively interest in the presbytery of Iowa meeting at Fairfield April 16 and 17, the program for which has just been issued. Mrs. D. B. Wells of Chicago, will be one of prominent workers present. Delegates from the foreign and home societies of the local churches will be present.

The officers of the societies are:

**Home Missions.**  
President—Mrs. S. O. Thomas, of Burlington.  
Vice president—Mrs. J. R. Hughes, of Mt. Pleasant.  
Secretary and treasurer—Mrs. F. W. Throw, of Ottumwa.  
Secretary of literature—Miss M. B. Robertson, of Burlington.

**Foreign Missions.**  
President—Mrs. R. A. Montgomery, of Ottumwa.

Vice president—Mrs. H. Ballantyne, of Burlington.

Secretary and treasurer—Mrs. W. G. Blood, of Keokuk.

Secretary of literature—Mrs. T. L. James, of Fairfield.

Secretary of Christian endeavor—Miss Mae Waldin, of Burlington.

The program for the two days' convention will be as follows:

Tuesday, April 16, 1:45 p. m.

Enrollment.

Appointment of secretary.

Devotional—Mrs. E. B. Newcomb, Keokuk.

Greeting—Mrs. J. F. Hinkhouse, Fairfield.

Minutes of last meeting.

Auxiliary reports, A to O.

Reports of secretary of literature—Mrs. T. L. James, Fairfield.

Secretary of Christian endeavor—Miss Mae Waldin, Burlington.

Presbyterial secretary and treasurer—Mrs. W. G. Blood, Keokuk.

Conservation of Christian forces—Mrs. D. B. Wells, Chicago.

Appointment of committees.

Adjournment.

Supper 25 cents.

Tuesday, 7:30 p. m.

Devotional—Rev. W. W. Montgomery, Fairfield.

Address—The Meaning of the World's Unrest, Mrs. D. B. Wells, Chicago.

Pageant by twenty-five young ladies.

Offering.

Prayer.

Music.

Benediction.

Wednesday, April 17, 8:30 a. m.

Devotional—Mrs. A. D. McKay, Mt. Pleasant.

Auxiliary reports, O to Z.

Minutes of last meeting.

Reports—

Secretary of literature—Miss M. B. Robertson, Burlington.

Secretary of Christian endeavor—Miss Celia Lumsdon, Ottumwa.

Secretary and treasurer—Mrs. F. W. Throw, Ottumwa.

Music.

Open parliament.

How can we—

1. Make our meetings more effective?—Mrs. H. F. Reeves, Keokuk.

2. Increase the attendance?—Mrs. John Condon, New London.

3. Enlarge our gifts?—Mrs. F. F. Stoltz, Ottumwa.

4. Promote the study of missions?—Mrs. W. E. Parsons, Fairfield.

Prayer.

Conference of officers.

Luncheon, 25 cents.

Wednesday, 1:30 p. m.

Devotional—Mrs. Carl Montanus, Wapello.

Westminster Guild—Mrs. M. H. McKittrick, Burlington.

Christian endeavor—Mrs. G. G. Bruce, Mediapolis.

Report of committees.

Presentation of new work.

Closing words—Mrs. R. A. Montgomery, Ottumwa.

Prayer and benediction.

**FIRST CONCERT**

**NEXT THURSDAY**

FIFTY-FOURTH WILL PLAY THIS WEEK IF WEATHER PERMITS;

FUND IS RAISED.

Because of the fact that the solicitors, T. J. Phillips and his assistants, secured \$1,600 for the city park concerts this summer, which is \$200 in excess of the amount subscribed last year, the Fifty-fourth regiment band will give an extra concert this year, to be held Thursday evening of this week in the city park, the weather permitting. Mr. Phillips, the ardent supporter of the Fifty-fourth, reported the securing of the \$1,600 to the band boys last night. It pleased the musicians that the public should take such interest in the concerts this year, and by unanimous vote it was agreed that this extra concert be played Thursday night. Prof. Worrill will announce his program later.

The public, too, is pleased with the success of the solicitors and are already enjoying the pleasures of anticipation knowing the rare treats in store for them this summer.

**CHRISTIANS ARE MEETING AT ALBIA**

Albia, April 9.—The district convention of the Christian church is in session at Albia this week. The first regular meeting was held last night. The session will continue over Thursday.

"The Good Clothes Store"  
**MARTIN'S**  
The Green Front  
214 East Main

**MATT MIER MADE GOOD CATCH TODAY**

**NABS MAN WANTED FOR GRAND LARCENY IN KANSAS AND EARNS \$25 REWARD.**

Night Captain Matt Mier will soon bear the jingle of twenty-five silver dollars in his pockets, the reward for the capture of Ira Doughty, wanted in Arkansas City, Kan., for grand larceny. Capt. Mier pounced on the fugitive this morning in the business district and straightway Doughty was landed in jail. Mier was not looking for the fellow at the time but the moment he saw him he recalled the description given the Ottumwa police department by Deputy Sheriff C. H. Peek of Arkansas City. His man answered the description to a "t." When landed in jail, the man admitted his name was Doughty although he has been going by the names of Ira Dougherty and Harry Ross. Chief of Police Alva Fiedler immediately notified the Arkansas City authorities to come after their man.

The communication regarding Doughty from Arkansas City stated that the man had been in the hospital here. This was found to be untrue but the police have been keeping a sharp lookout for him in the city. The letter from the Kansas sheriff reads as if Doughty is wanted badly there. Doughty is also thought to have stolen a suit of clothes at Fairfield, Iowa. Chief Fiedler has not as yet received an answer to his telegram.

Information gained by the police this afternoon shows that Doughty was married a week ago today under the name of Harry Ross to an Ottumwa girl, and that he has been working on the Milwaukee as brakeman since his coming here two months ago.

When Captain Mier started for Doughty near the corner of Main and Jefferson streets, the latter tumbled to the fact that he was the goal of the officer. He ducked into the Opera house drug store and when Captain Mier followed, made his getaway upstairs. The night captain went right up after him and after searching, found him hiding between some rolls of wall paper.

## JURY FOUND FOR DEFENDANT

**BARTON SECURED JUDGMENT FOR \$1 IN MUCH TRIED HORSE CASE YESTERDAY.**

Strange things sometimes happen even in law suits and the outcome of the Brown-Barton suit brought to recover \$55 as the balance due on the sale of a horse, which was concluded yesterday was among the strange freaks of justice. The jury in the case brought in a verdict for the defendant for \$1 on a counter claim, ignoring the claim of the plaintiff for \$55.

A sketch of this case goes back to the purchase of a horse by Ed O. Bar-

Sale of  
**Embroidery Flouncings**  
—at—  
**Swirles'**  
The very best values ever offered.  
27 inches wide.  
Handsome designs in extra fine Swiss Material.  
Worth twice what we ask.  
**39c**  
a yard.  
See our West Window.  
**SWIRLES**  
112 East Main St.

We pay Railroad Fare According to Rules of Retail Merchants' Association.

Ottumwa's Biggest Best and Busiest Store

**Donelans**  
OTTUMWA, IOWA.

New York Office, 45 E. 17th St.

Curtain  
Stretchers  
Stationary  
Adjustible  
and Sliding  
Pins  
98c to  
**\$1.98**

High  
Grade  
Light  
Running  
Carpet  
Sweepers  
**\$2.50**  
to  
**\$4**

## Two Big Assortments of PRETTY LACE CURTAINS

**In a Timely Special Sale**

House cleaning time soon and you'll no doubt want some new Curtains—To bring you attention to our splendid new stock of curtains and materials we offer some exceptional values this week that should prove very interesting.

A Broad Selection of \$1.50 Nottingham Curtains

**AT \$1.19 PAIR**



A great many choice new patterns including plain and small figured centers, new ribbon and scroll borders and other pretty effects in both white and ecru.

These are good wide curtains in standard lengths and are all excellent \$1.50 values, but during this sale we reduce the price to a pair ..... **\$1.19**

**\$3.50 Madras Point** **\$2.50**

—and—  
**Nottingham Curtains**  
Save a Dollar Each Pair

**\$2.50**

Twenty different styles in beautiful madras point, choice new Nottinghams, also popular cable nets, in white and ecru, are offered just for this special sale at a pair ..... **\$2.50**

## Rare Values in Novelty Curtain Nets

A beautiful selection of our regular 39c new fancy nets in white and ecru including the season's most popular effects, on sale this week at ... **33c**

75c Value Elegant

**Novelty Nets**

**YARD 59c**

White and ecru in rich arts and crafts, block filets and other pretty designs, are offered here at a liberal saving.

## Rugs=Rugs

We have never before shown so many beautiful styles in Room Size Rugs and although our prices are invariably lower than elsewhere, we offer a few special reductions to create a stir this week.

Our best regular \$14 quality 9x12 feet seamless Brussels rugs in many handsome new patterns and colors in this sale ..... **\$12.50**

9x12 feet seamless Brussels rugs—the best cheap rug made, in fast colors, durable, easy to sweep, good \$16.50 value for only ..... **\$14.75**

A choice assortment of new styles in splendid \$20.00 seamless Velvet Rugs, this is an extraordinary value on sale this week only at ..... **16.98**

\$25 handsome and very durable heavy Axminster rugs in good selections of newest floral and oriental designs, sale price ..... **22.50**

Just eight patterns in our \$39 high grade Royal Wilton rugs, size 9x12 feet, in the best styles shown anywhere this season, a bargain at ..... **34.00**

## Standard Linoleums

Extra heavy pure cork body, well finished—  
6 ft., per square yard, 55c to ..... 65c  
12 ft., per square yard, 69c to ..... 85c

**MARRIED AT HOME OF REV. J. G. BARTON.**

Miss Bessie E. Louderback and Guy W. Doolittle were married Sunday afternoon at 3:30 by Rev. J. G. Barton at his residence, 137 North Willard street. They were accompanied by Mrs. Wm. Toole and her brother Randall McDonald. They left yesterday to visit the groom's parents at Weldon, Iowa. The groom is employed as clerk at the Ballingall hotel. Mr. and Mrs. Doolittle will begin housekeeping on the north side.