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Hand turned.

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1623 Second Ave., Under Rock Island House.

Special February Bargains.

Upon sorting up our stock we find remnants and broken lots of paper, good, desirable, salable patterns. But we must have shelf room for our large stock of new spring goods which are arriving almost daily, and these remnants and broken lots must go at a sacrifice.

Less Than Half Price.

To make trade lively through February we have also inaugurated a way down price on our new goods and our stock all the way through.

We will not be undersold. Always to the front at the

Adams Wall Paper Company,

310, 312 and 314 Twentieth street.
Biggest Store. Biggest stock in the three cities.

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A car load of handsome bed room suits going at the following prices.

Suits worth \$15.00 go at	\$12.50
" 20.00 "	15.00
" 25.00 "	18.00
" 27.50 "	20.00
" 30.00 "	25.00
" 35.00 "	27.50
" 40.00 "	30.00

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1525 and 1527
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124 126 and 128
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This is the Greatest Chance Ever Offered
in the Three Cities. The balance
of Our Stock of

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To go at less than half price. Every purchaser should visit our store before buying, as these are the greatest bargains ever offered in the three cities.

BEE HIVE,

114 W. Second St., Davenport.

SIDE TALK.

Discussions Incidental to the
Council Meeting.

SEVENTEENTH STREET PAVEMENT.

The Entire Matter Laid Over Under the
Hole-The Misunderstanding as to Sun-
day's Fire Alarm to be Formally Inven-
tigated and Blame Properly Placed.

At last night's meeting of the city council the proposed Seventeenth street paving ordinance received the greater portion of the council's time. Ald. Maucker read the ordinance in three sections, in which form they will be eventually acted upon. The first ordinance read provided for the paving of Seventeenth from Ninth to Eighteenth avenue, to a width of 36 feet, and after Ald. Maucker had read it, H. W. Dunsin, on behalf of Dr. Paul and himself, the two gentlemen being jointly interested in the land at the head of the street, where there is almost a convergence with Twentieth street, presented a memorial, setting forth the burdensome effect of the council's pursuing its policy of paving both Seventeenth and Twentieth, in view of the present unimproved condition of the land, and accompanying the same by a remonstrance, signed by various property holders. This section of the ordinance was thereupon laid over under the rules on motion of two aldermen. Ald. Maucker then read the section from Seventh to Ninth avenue, which likewise provided for a 36-foot street, and this was likewise laid over, as was the section from Fourth to Seventh, providing for a 32-foot street, after the latter had been duly read. The plan of these ordinances is to pave the section from Fourth to Seventh by special taxation and the other two sections by special assessment, and Mayor McMill's surprise at the disposition of some of the property holders to stave off the paving was altogether natural. "These ordinances," said the mayor, "are the response to the petitions of property holders along Seventeenth desiring paving, the council having instructed the mayor, city attorney and city engineer to draw them up, and this has been done with great care. It certainly is not encouraging to our efforts to comply with the will of property holders, when they come here at one meeting and attempt to kick over which they have asked for at a previous meeting. We were particularly anxious to have these ordinances adopted tonight in order that the necessary proceedings might be entered in the county court tomorrow morning, as in the event of delay there the entire matter will have to go over to the July term, and this would be a serious and unfortunate retardment to our paving operations this year."

Let the Street be Paved.
Seventeenth street should be paved, and paved through to the city limits, and while it is not the purpose to inflict unreasonably heavy burdens on any property holders, there is one thing that should always be taken into consideration as overshadowing all other interests, and that is the public good, and this ought to be the first consideration of the aldermen. As it is the court proceedings must necessarily be delayed, but that need not hinder the council from going ahead and ordering the paving and putting it in.

Brick Formula.
Ald. Kuschmann, of the street and alley committee, presented the formula for the standard of brick to be used in paving operations hereafter. It provides that the size shall be 2 1/4 by 4 by 8 inches; they shall be straight, regular in size and shape, and free from flaws, cracks and breaks. They shall be made expressly for paving and shall be hard, tough and thoroughly vitrified. The brick for the top course, and for one course of pavement must fulfill the following requirements:

The modulus of rupture for traverse strength must not be less than 1,600 pounds per square inch, computed by formula; brick to be tested flatwise. They shall not absorb more than 1.75 per cent of their own weight of water after being immersed for 48 hours in water, shall resist abrasion in the rattler equal to the best Quincy granite, and shall not contain lime in such quantity as to cause disintegration or cracking after 10 days' immersion in water. Brick for bottom course must endure the following tests:

The modulus of rupture for traverse strength tested as above shall not be less than 1,200 pounds per square inch. They shall not absorb more than 4 per cent of their own weight of water, after being immersed in water for 48 hours; shall not lose by abrasion in the rattler more than four times as much as Quincy granite, and shall not contain more lime than the brick for the top course.

These specifications wisely adopted by the council will provide for a standard of brick to be used in pavements hereafter, without mentioning any particular brand.

Fire Alarm to be Investigated.
Ald. Kinner called attention to the misunderstanding and the criticism that had arisen as to Sunday's fire alarm, and moved that a formal investigation be made by the police and fire and light committees, and the blame properly placed. This course is undoubtedly the wisest the council could have pursued, as it will result in the vindication of any who have been unjustly accused and the placing of the responsibility where it belongs.

Supr. of Waterworks Murrian main-
tains that the reason Engineer Car-
anough neglected to alarm the fire
department was that he had reason to
believe Officer Brennan did that as
soon as he notified him, and all that
remained for the engineer to do was
to sound the general alarm and look
after the pumps. It is said of Officer
Brennan the he attempted to notify
the police and fire department, but
could not get them just then, and
so gave it up.

THE K. P. DANCE.

A Pleasant Affair at Castle Hall Last
Evening.

Last evening at the K. P. Castle hall, in Carver block of St. Paul lodge 107, K. P., about 35 couples attended one of the most pleasant events of the season. The hall was decorated with flags emblematic of the order, and U. S. flags. Blener's orchestra furnished the music for the merry dance. Strohle's prompting being much enjoyed.

The following people were present:

Men and Women:
Frank Atwater, H. P. Greenough, A. A. Rogers,
T. H. McNeven, W. Stewart,
Ed. H. Cooper, Harry Sayre,
O. B. Allen, William Atkinson,
Charles McElroy, W. H. Apple,
P. G. Conway, John Lusk,
W. W. Fowler, H. P. Greenough,
McKenzie, Victor McKibben,
F. B. Crawford, E. A. Adams,
Grace Wilson, E. A. Adams,
Hettie Thomas, Louise Atkinson,
Florence Ladd, Roscoe Bowley,
Ella Kuhl, Lucy Smith,
Emma Herbst, Nannie Holappi,
Alpha Turner, Lella Cowell,
Lizzie Cook, Liza York,
Katherine Normale, Fannie Sayre,
Helen, Joe Scheer,
E. Ruchman, Charles Lippincott,
E. M. Cook, John Lippincott,
John Lippincott, F. W. Wheeler,
F. W. Wheeler, S. R. Wright,
Will Ullmeyer, Joe Turner,
Charles Hild, Robert Sayre,
C. H. Stoddard, Fred Whaler,
Will Posig, Steve,
M. Bearaskey.

The Hobby Club.

The Hobby club was elaborately entertained by Mrs. Morris Rosenthal yesterday afternoon. The striking feature was a spelling bee, in which the honors were won by Mrs. Adair Pleasants, the prize being a pearl handled paper cutter. It was a most unique as well as enjoyable affair.

Rural Camp.

Rural camp, 186, M. W. A., gave a pleasant affair at the Rural town hall Saturday night. Eight new members were initiated, and at the conclusion of the ceremonies, a fine supper was served under the direction of J. B. McMichael, assistant steward of the poor farm. Head Clerk Hawes was a guest, and the Orin camp sent over a delegation to help entertain the occasion. F. O. Swanson, a member of the camp, was given a rousing demonstration, in view of his recent wedding, and not to be outdone he had cigars for all of his visitors. Head Clerk Hawes spent Sunday with Supervisor Wilson, who is clerk of Rural camp.

A Student's Funeral.

In respect to the memory of C. G. Anderson, whose demise occurred yesterday, all work at Augustana college was suspended at 11 o'clock this morning. At 3 o'clock this afternoon occurred the funeral exercises. At the appointed hour, the members of the several faculties, the father of the deceased, and the class of which he had been a member, entered the college chapel in most solemn procession, accompanied by the pall bearers, who conveyed the remains to the front platform. Committees from the students' union had contributed most elegant floral remembrances. As the procession entered the chapel, a solemn funeral dirge was played upon the organ by Prof. Hall. This was followed by a song by the entire school. Prof. P. M. Lindberg then read a part of the scriptures and offered prayer. Another song in the Swedish language by the Swedish choir, and then followed a most impressive memorial address in Swedish by President Olsson. The Swedish choir, assisted by the members of the third class, then rendered a beautiful song entitled "I Shall Sleep, But Not Forget." After this Dr. E. F. Bartholomew delivered a carefully prepared and eloquent memorial address, at the conclusion of which the English choir rendered in a most impressive manner a song entitled "One Sweet and Solemn Thought." Resolutions of condolence were then read by a classmate of the deceased on behalf of the third class. Resolutions from the Students' union were next read. Again followed a song by the English choir entitled "Sleep Thy Last Sleep," also a hymn by the entire school, after which the remains were escorted to the C. R. I. & P. depot by the class and others. The remains will be interred at La Porte, Ind., day after tomorrow.

A Souvenir Penholder.
Aluminum, the new metal used in the manufacture of Garland stores, can be adapted to other purposes. We are in receipt of a souvenir lead pencil made from aluminum, with the compliments of the Michigan Stove company. The pencil holder is light and bright as steel, and makes a very acceptable souvenir. The Garland stores, which are sold in this city by David Don, are composed largely of aluminum, which, when mixed with iron, makes the latter metal pour smoothly, prevents blow holes and liability of cracking, and benefits the iron in every way.

The Weather.
Local snows and slightly colder; winds northerly.
F. J. WALL, Observer.

High priced competitors disregard a well established law of physics when they buck against Salvation Oil. It is the best and cheapest. 25 cents.

AN EXCITING ENCOUNTER.

A Serious and Violent Cutting Affray on
Muscatine Bridge.

There was a serious stabbing affray on the Muscatine high bridge about 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon in which George Wray was badly wounded with a knife in the hands of Charles Mills. The parties, who hail from Wrayville, and about seven miles from Muscatine, had a wordy encounter in the afternoon, Mills being disposed to provoke a fight. When Wray started across the bridge for home, Mills followed and overtook the former about 100 yards from the Iowa shore. He pulled out his knife and tried to carve young Wray, who in guarding against the blows aimed at his person, had his arm cut in seven different places.

The Muscatine News-Tribune,

speaking of the encounter, says:

Wray came back to have his wounds dressed, but on reaching the bridge approach he became weak from loss of blood which poured out of the cut arm in jets, and was assisted to the office of Dr. J. D. Fulliam, where the wounded member received surgical attention. One cut extended through the left wrist, splitting the leaders, and another in the forearm extended to the bone. He received a bad cut in the shoulder and three lesser ones between the shoulder and elbow. It is estimated that Wray lost two quarts of blood. He was very pale from the loss of blood and so weak that he could not lift a limb, and was carried on a stretcher from the doctor's office to the Kemble hotel, where he was resting fairly well under the circumstances last evening. The attending surgeon is not apprehensive of any serious results, and thinks the patient may be around again within a fortnight.

Mills' Capture and Escape.

After the encounter Mills struck out for home at a running gait, and was pursued by Frank Parker, who overtook him after a 3-mile chase, and took him in custody intending to bring him to Muscatine and turn him over to the police. But half way back he was intercepted by two brothers of the prisoner who released him. The Mills boys are generally reputed to be very troublesome and desperate characters.

George Wray was taken from the Kemble hotel, Muscatine, to his home in Drury township, yesterday afternoon. He is getting along nicely, and no serious results are looked for. His assailant was arrested by Constable Reynolds on Sunday, and was arraigned this morning at 10 o'clock before the justice of the peace in Drury township to answer to the charge of assault with intent to commit great bodily injury. He will probably be brought up to the county jail.

Police Points.

The case of larceny preferred against George Burtis, by Frank Cabalka, was dismissed today. Burtis was accused of stealing a silk dress.

Officer Etzel is acting as day chief during Chief Sexton's visit to Bloomington, and an able one Andy makes, as he is familiar with every necessary requirement.

Ben Johnson, Olander Nelson and Gustav Hogland, three saloon keepers of Moline, were arrested yesterday and today by Sheriff Gordon charged with selling liquor to minors. Johnson and Hogland were bound over in \$500 bonds, and Nelson in \$200.

John Harris, a young man from Chicago, was taken to the police station last evening by a friend. John had imbibed too much of Rock Island's Milwaukee, and the result was he didn't know what he was doing. The gentleman who was with him, tried to tell him something, but he "didn't want to hear anybody." This morning Magistrate Schroeder fined him \$3 and costs, and Officer Etzel went out and bought him a new hat, after which he went his way rejoicing.

Base Ball.

"Tell them Rock Island will be in it." These instructions were given John Ohlweiler, last evening before he departed for Des Moines to attend the meeting of the Western association, which is being held today. Mr. Ohlweiler is an excellent representative, and will see that Rock Island is put near the front. He will also make the necessary deposit to save the franchise, and he has been instructed to try and induce the association to hold its next meeting in Rock Island.

Prospects are very bright for base ball, as already \$300 has been donated without any exertion. A proposition was made last evening which, if carried into effect, will result in a clear gain for the people interested. Two young men agreed that if 18 men could be found in Rock Island and Moline who would put \$100 into a base ball club, they would be willing to invest with only 20 stockholders.

At the Y. M. C. A.

The Rock Island Y. M. C. A. boys defeated the Davenport team at handball in the gymnasium of the Rock Island building last evening, the score standing 30 to 9. The Davenporters were much chagrined by their defeat, and have had a good deal to say about it since.

There will be a general reception at the Y. M. C. A. Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. All members and friends of the association, both ladies and gentlemen, are invited.

The program will consist of music, a chess and checker contest and an exhibition game of basket ball.

If you decide to take Hood's Sarsaparilla do not be induced to buy any substitute article. Take Hood's and only Hood's.

A February Sale.

Beginning Monday morning, Feb. 19.
MUSLIN UNDERWEAR at very low prices.

25c. Worth 50c.

Square or V shape Cambric Corset Covers, embroidery or lace trim. Muslin Drawers, trimmed with embroidery or lace, tucks above. Plain Muslin Night Gowns, lace or ruffle around neck and on sleeves.

White Skirts, ruffled, tucked and hemmed.

50c. Worth 85c.

Torchon Lace or Embroidery Trimmed Drawers, fine quality.

Mother Hubbard Gowns, ruffle embroidery trimmed.

Very fine quality V shape Embroidery Trimmed Corset Covers. Extra fine line of Chemise, trimmed with Lace and Embroidery.

75c. Worth \$1.25.

Fine Muslin Gowns, Mother Hubbard embroidery trimmed yoke.

Plain Walking Skirts, with deep ruffle tucks above.

Extra fine quality Lace and Embroidery Trimmed Drawers.

Full width Muslin Skirts, deep embroidery ruffled bottom.

Perfect dreams in Ladies' Night Gowns, from the celebrated house of Steiner & Sons, exclusive manufacturers of Men's and Women's Gowns. These special novelties must be seen, as a description could not do them justice. Prices from \$1 up.

Fashion says white skirts will be worn again. A shipment of special styles for this sale just received. Prices 75c to \$5. We have a very strong line of low and medium priced gowns at 25c, 50c, 75c, 82c, 75c, 95c and \$2.

Better Muslins, Cambrics and Trimmings than you ever bought before at the prices we sell them.

Infants' Goods.

Cambric Slips, price 25c up.

Cambric Long Dresses, price 39c up.

Cambric Short Dresses, price 25c up.

Children's Dress Aprons, all kinds prices and sizes.

Infants' Flannel Long Skirts and Shawls.

One lot Ladies' Aprons 4c. Three styles Ladies' Aprons 15c. Real value 25c.

One lot Corset Covers 9c.

One lot Children's Tied Waist 9c each.

Dr. Down's Celebrated Self-adjusting Corsets. Our price has always been \$1.45; for this sale take them at 75c.

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