

The Weather We May Have.
Fair and cooler tonight; Wednesday,
increasing cloudiness.
Today's temperature 54.
J. M. SHERMAN, Observer.

CITY CHAT.

Andrae bicycles.
Buy a Hackley piano.
Leaf lard at Gilmore's.
For insurance, E. J. Burns.
Be wise and smoke Kinship.
For real estate, E. J. Burns.
Waverly bicycles at Hynes'.
Mangold's photos are the best.
Business property for sale. Reidy Bros.
Buy your flame oil stove at Eckhart's.
Good investments in real estate. Reidy Bros.
South Rock Island is noted for good chicken pies.
Soda crackers 5 cents a pound at S. J. Apple's.
The \$40 Crusader bicycles only \$25 this week at McCabe's.
Bouquets for the ladies at David Don's opening Friday.
Did you know Mangold is in town? 413 Twenty-third street.
Another bunch of five bicycles came in at Spencer's this morning.
Best ice cream freezers in the world for \$1.22 this week at McCabe's.
Buy your wall paper cleaner at Eckhart's, 19 cents for a large can.
Sensational silk selling every day this week at McCabe's spring opening sale.
When in need of a tinner call on H. T. Simon, 1316 Third avenue. Phone 4741.
Rock Island union made shoes from \$1.85 to \$3 at Hurst's, he cuts the price.
Trinity Improvement guild will meet at the rectory Wednesday at 2 o'clock p. m.
Chicken pie served at 6:30 to all having other engagements, at Case's this evening.
Just received, a full line of garden and flower seeds, two packages for 5 cents at Eckhart's.
Internal revenue collections made by Deputy L. K. Ehl last week aggregated \$2,447.36.
Plenty of choice butter 17 1/2 cents a pound and fresh eggs 12 1/2 cents a dozen at S. J. Apple's.
Remember the charming concert at the Central church auditorium Thursday evening, April 20.
Spencer sold 10 bicycles yesterday, including one Stearns ladies' chainless and one Stearns tandem.
Summers & Co. are handling a first class line of refrigerators. Call and see them. 322 Twentieth street.
Sam White, of the Crescent bicycle factory, will be at David Don's opening all day and evening Friday.
Take a spin out Twelfth street and eat chicken pie at Case's this evening.
The handsomest thing in town—that \$3.50 shoe for young men on the new British last. Hurst, he cuts the price.
The sky high Crescent, America's leading bicycle, at David Don's. You can't afford to ride the common grades.
A pair of silk stockings free with each P. N. corset bought from 3 to 4 o'clock any day this week at McCabe's.
Everybody in town asks \$3.50 for that grade of men's fine Goodyear welt shoes, but Hurst, he cuts the price to \$3.
For a limited time the People's Power company will sell lump coke at \$4 per ton, and crushed coke at \$4.40, at the works.
Chicken pie sociable at H. S. Case's this evening, for the benefit of Aiken street chapel.
The policy of expansion is all right. Anti-Washboard soap is absolutely the best and is made at home. Just expound on that idea.
S. S. Hull, the real estate agent, has homes for sale from \$800 to \$4,000, located in all parts of the city, which he is offering at bargains.
There are other soaps besides Anti-Washboard soap made here at home. The wrappers of any of our brands are valuable for premiums.
J. C. Wallace, music dealer of Davenport, is receiving some elegant pianos, which are on sale at specially low prices during this week.
Tickets for the "Breach of Promise Suit" at Bleuer's jewelry store, 25, 35 and 50 cents. Reserve your seats early as they are going rapidly.
An important meeting of the Ladies' Sewing society of the M. E. church will be held tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock at the church.
Capt. A. H. Russell returned from St. Paul and today resumed the hearing of the grievances of the arsenal machinists at the Rock Island post-office building. He is now engaged in receiving the individual complaints of the men.

Each forenoon this week you can buy at McCabe's annex, all wool ingrain carpets at 33 1/2 cents a yard, and all wool Brussels carpets at 36 1/2 cents a yard.

Reservations for George Kennan, the celebrated lecturer, in "Adventures in Arctic Asia," will begin Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock at the Y. M. C. A.

The young man who likes something strictly up-to-date ought to take a look at that \$3.50 shoe on the new British last, shown by Hurst, opposite Harper house.

The up-to-date Rock Island girl who wants something extra nice, ought to see the Rock Island Shoe company's new line of \$3 ladies' shoes. They're beauties.

"Wynken, Blynken and Nod" will be sung by Madeline Murphy, Sylvia Hemenway, Dorothy Chamberlain, Edward Guyer Horace Greer, Fred Mitchell and Clarence Zurcker.

The Rock Island Shoe company has just gotten out two new styles in women's shoes to retail at \$2.50. They are beauties. They are on sale opposite the Harper house. Hurst, he cuts the price.

The grave of Ralph Humphrey, formerly of Moline, who died in the service of his country during the war, has been located in the pretty little cemetery at Utuado, Porto Rico. The remains will be brought to Morrison for final interment.

Tomorrow morning American beauty roses 3 cents each, choice assorted roses 19, 38 and 50 cents per dozen; sweet peas, 10 cents a dozen; marguerites, 6 cents a dozen; fresh cut home grown carnations, 14 and 19 cents a dozen, at McCabe's.

Through a typographical error it was stated last night that the transferring of the city government from Mayor T. J. Medill, Jr., to Mayor-elect William McConochie would occur one week hence, when the item should have read two weeks, or Monday, May 1.

A grand big bicycle opening every day at Spencer's, and a jolly, big, good-natured crowd buying them as fast as they are opened. Come, get in the big land wagon and be with the big crowd of contented riders that have purchased wheels at 1730 Second avenue. Smile with us; we are happy.

Myrtle, 6-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Burton, 2810 Fifth-and-a-half avenue, is suffering from severe bruises about the body received in being run down on the walk in front of her home by a reckless cyclist. There are liable to be some prosecutions if bicyclists persist in the practice of riding on the sidewalks.

The Moline city council last night passed an ordinance granting the Terminal company right of way through that city, and also giving the company ground for depot purposes near the waterworks. A provision of the ordinance allows any other roads that may desire to enter Moline to traverse the Terminal company's tracks, which are to be located along the tail race.

At the Tri-City Athletic club, Saengerfest hall, Davenport, April 19, 20-round boxing contest to a decision between Tommy Ryan, 154-pound champion of the world, and Billy Stiff, middle-weight champion of the west. Purse of \$1,500. Malachi Hogan referee. Jimmie Barry, retired bantam champion of the world, timekeeper. Jack Leonard manager. Admission \$1. Every one sure of a seat. Tickets on sale at Catton's.

Capt. B. M. Shaffner, of Chicago, commander of the naval militia of Illinois, is making preparations to put the organization in fine shape the coming year. The naval branch of the state will receive its proportion of the \$175,000 just granted to the Illinois National Guard for uniforms, blankets and field equipments. An appropriation has also been made for the foundation of a stationary ship similar to the Illinois, which will be used by the reserves and which will be of practical value.

The mock "Breach of Promise Suit" will be a very amusing entertainment of Sylvan Court of Honor, No. 391, this evening at Harper's theatre. Hon. William McEniry will preside. We have no doubt our young attorneys, Messrs. McCaskrin, who have already won laurels for themselves by their eloquent pleadings, will by their impassioned address, aided by M. E. Sweeney, make it a difficult matter for the jury to decide. It is not known who will be chosen as jurors until tomorrow night. The lawyers' speeches will be impromptu, and until the jury renders its verdict, no one will know what it will be any more than the one knows in some real case.

Chicken Pie This Evening, 6:30 to 8. At the measuring sociable given by the Aiken street Christian Endeavor society, at the home of H. S. Case, South Rock Island.

A Card.
We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50-cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.
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Large sponges 10c.
Shelf paper, assorted colors, per dozen 1c.
600 parlor matches for 5c.
Rolling pins, revolving handle 5c.
Wood potato masher 4c.
Feather duster 10c.
10-quart tin pails 10c.
4-quart coffee pots, tin 10c.
3-quart tin covered pails 8c.
Wire coat racks 3c.
Metal polish, 10c bottles for 5c.
100-piece dinner set, decorated \$4.98.
CHAMBER SETS. Not the cheap goods that some dealers offer. Six piece set, all large pieces, decorated, \$1.97.
10-piece set, decorated, nice pattern \$2.45.
Discounts on all hall lamps this week, 25 per cent off.
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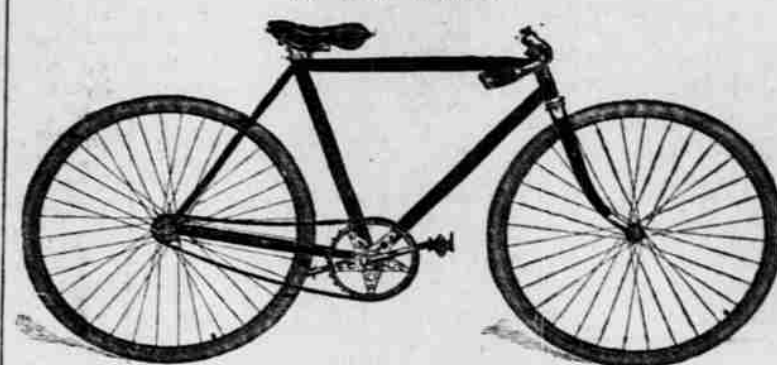
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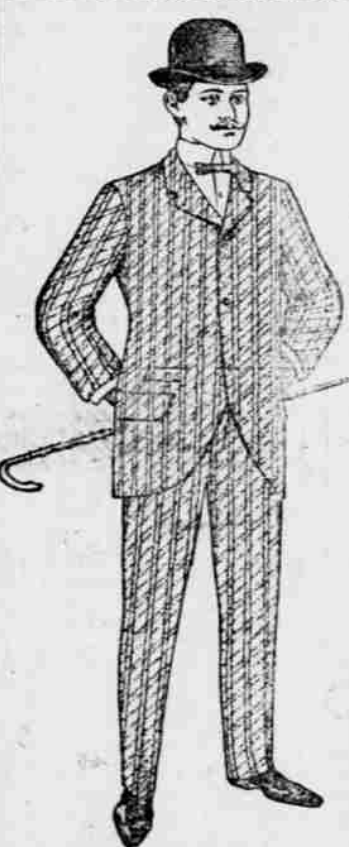
ELDREDGE—\$50.00. 40.00. 35.00.
COLUMBIA—chainless, 98 model, \$65.00.
99 model, \$75.00. chain, \$50. 40. 25.
RAMBLER—30-inch, \$45. \$40. \$35.
LUTHY—highest price chain wheel made,
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IDEALS—\$30. \$25. \$20. \$18.
IDEALS—boys and girls, \$16. \$18. \$20.
Ladies' Diamond Frame Eldredge—\$50.
\$35.

.. Remember the Maine ..

Place for a Trade, Buy or Sell a
Bicycle is at LLOYD'S,
Harper House Block.

Some Men

Who Don't Know



Have an idea that all ready-made clothing is alike, and they go on blindly paying high prices to the custom tailors when they could get the same fabric, the same fit and the same finish here for half the money.

The average clothing store is responsible for this condition of affairs because nine-tenths of them are forcing worthless, shapeless plunder on the people. Those who have worn M. & K. suits will vouch for the superiority of our clothing. A man can't

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