

GIVEN A HEARING

Governor Deneen Listens to Pros and Cons on the School Book Bill.

BEFORE PASSING UPON IT

Publishers Contend It Would Put Them to Great Expense—Ettelson Defends Measure.

Springfield, Ill., June 9.—School book representatives, county and city superintendents of schools and school book jobbers appeared before Governor Deneen yesterday and urged him to veto the Ettelson maximum price bill. The representatives of the book companies declared that the bill, if it becomes a law, will drive them out of the business in Illinois. They claimed that the demands of the Ettelson book bill are extravagant and drastic and that the bill would prevent the best text books from being used in schools. Senator Ettelson appeared alone in defending the bill. He made a strong argument in favor of it, and for an hour answered questions that were fired at him by the book representatives.

Requires Many Samples.

J. B. Scott, representing Scott, Foreman & Co., said the bill would compel his company alone to furnish \$88,320 sample copies of text books if it submitted bids in the 11,816 districts in the state. As a bond is required to accompany each bid, he said that it would cost his company \$55,000 to put up bonds, which would aggregate in all the school districts \$1,500,000.

Ettelson took issue with statements made by different representatives of the book companies, to the effect that the bill would compel them to furnish surety bonds in every district, amounting to millions of dollars. Ettelson said that the bill contained nothing about surety bonds, and that under its provisions any publisher in good repute could furnish security, outside of surety bonds, for the performance of the contract.

Governor Signs Bills.

Springfield, Ill., June 9.—Governor Deneen yesterday signed three senate and eleven house bills, including the following:

House bill 524, appropriating \$5,000 per annum to the State Historical library with which to procure papers and publications relating to the north-west territory and the state of Illinois.

House bill 422 (by Scanlan), increasing the compensation of shorthand court reporters from \$3 to \$8 per day. Chicago court reporters are now paid \$10 a day.

House bill 10 (by Wright), raises the maximum allowance from \$25 to \$50 for the burial of indigent soldiers and their widows.

House bill 587 (by Stearns), providing that legal notices and publications in newspapers shall be published only in newspapers that have been regularly published for six months prior to the first publication of the notice.

House bill 581 (judiciary committee), makes it a felony punishable by a fine of \$2,000 and from one to ten years' imprisonment for any member of a firm or corporation to make false representation concerning the financial condition of the concern for the purpose of obtaining credits.

A Grand Family Medicine.

It gives me pleasure to speak a good word for Electric Bitters," writes Frank Conlan of No. 436 Houston street, New York. "It's a grand family medicine for dyspepsia and liver complications; while for lame back and weak kidneys it cannot be too highly recommended." Electric Bitters regulate the digestive functions, purify the blood, and impart renewed vigor and vitality to the weak and debilitated of both sexes. Sold under guarantee at all druggists. 50 cents.

FOUND

A Good Location at 119 Brady street, Davenport.

J. P. WILLIAMSON & CO.
The old Second Hand Dealer of 1628 Second avenue, Rock Island.

Have returned from Los Angeles, Cal., and now opening up a

FINE NEW AND SECOND HAND STORE.

At 119 Brady street, and will be glad to see all of my old patrons and as many new ones and will pay more for goods than any other dealer and sell cheaper.

J. P. Williamson & Co.
119 Brady street, Davenport.

Ostrich Week! Sale of South African Ostrich Plumes at Prices Considerably Less Than Usual.



Prettily Dressed Hair

is a great aid to good looks and style. The Beauty Parlor has so many helps and so many suggestions for charming coiffures, a visit will delight you. By way of suggestion—

See the pretty Billie Burke Clusters, the Auditorium Puffs, Coronet Puffs, the new Pompadours, Chignons and Psyche Knots—all the latest in Hair Ornaments, Bands, Combs and Barrettes, and remember the Beauty Parlor for Hairdressing, Scientific Scalp Treatments, Electric-Vibratory Facial and Scalp Massage, Instantaneous Skin Bleaching, Stampouting and Manicuring.



What Kind of a Go-Cart for Baby

Gendron Collapsible Go-Carts with heavy rubber tires, dark red, green and tan leatherette with hood, \$9 and \$10.

Extra leather storm shield in colors to match, \$1.00.

YOUNG and



McCOMBS

See the Window—A most interesting window display, showing the birds and the unfinished products.

Underclothes We Believe In

Kinds for all tastes. We do not dictate. Prices for all purses. We believe in helpfulness. Qualities that will wear right. Honest equivalent for price.

But come and see for yourself the sort of underclothes we believe in. We think you will find them the very kind you believe in and that it will pay you to buy at once your summer's supply. Some hints:

DRAWERS AT 25c—Four styles.

DRAWERS AT 50c—Muslin with ruffle headed with clusters of tucks and finished with lace in filet designs.

DRAWERS AT 75c—Nainsook with ruffle of exceedingly pretty blind embroidery.

NIGHT GOWNS AT 50c—A very good looking style of soft cambric, the round neck finished with hemstitched lawn ruffle and band of insertion in front.

NIGHT GOWNS AT 85c—A little beauty of Nainsook with Dutch neck outlined in front with broad band of handsome embroidery, the neck finished with lace and ribbon.

SKIRTS AT \$1.35—Cambric skirts with deep flounce, trimmed with braid and tucks. Special at \$1.35.

Madeira Underclothes

Exquisite Underclothes, embroidered by hand in the lovely Madeira work that has a charm all its own.

Night Gowns, \$2.35, \$2.50 and \$3.00.
Chemise, \$2.75.
Corset Covers, \$3.00.

NIGHT GOWNS AT \$1.00—Nainsook charmingly trimmed with lace and embroidery.

PETTICOATS AT \$1.00—Cambric, deep flounce, trimmed with hemstitched tucks and ruffle of eyelet embroidery.

PETTICOATS AT \$1.50—Five good styles, one has a very deep flounce of handsome embroidery.

PETTICOATS AT \$2.50—French nainsook embroidered flounce, insertion at top of flounce.

CORSET COVERS AT 50c—A tabular of delightful styles, very charming is one of soft nainsook with just a dainty edge of Valenciennes lace.

COMBINATIONS AT \$1.50—Nainsook corset covers and drawers very elaborately trimmed with embroidery, threaded with wide ribbon and the crochet mesh lace.



Extra-Size Underclothes

An important part of the showing. The same ratio of good value. It pays a woman to buy now what she needs. And our extra-size garments are cut extra-size in proportion all over, which makes them fit comfortably and wear well. Trimmed daintily, of course, in ways to please the refined woman.
Extra Size Drawers, 50c to \$1.50.
Extra Size Gowns, \$1.00 to \$2.50.

Ribbons Much Underprice

SATIN TAFFETA RIBBON, 5 inches wide, in black, blue, pink, Copenhagen, yellow, red, cream, suitable for hair ribbons and sashes, 35c values, 29c.

NEW MOIRE AND CHECK BELTINGS, in black and colors, 35c and 25c yard.
6 INCHES WIDE ALL SILK RIBBON, extra heavy Taffeta in black and colors, 39c yard.

Women's Glove News, Brief But Important

Gloves needed now—prices worth coming for. Here are the details.

75c, WORTH 85c—16 button Lisle in tan, white and black.

42c, WORTH 50c—2 clasp Milanese Lisle.

Hosiery—Humming Specials

25c FOR WOMEN'S 35c HOSIERY Colored hose in mercerized lisle, with double sole, heel and toe; extra elastic top; regular 35c grade at 25c.

19c FOR WOMEN'S 25c AND 35c HOSIERY—Fancy hose in

black embroidered in silk figures of almost any color, 25c and 35c hose, at 19c.

10c FOR CHILDREN'S 15c HOSIERY—Fine ribbed with absolutely fast and stainless dye; special at 10c.

Match Your New Gown

New Shade of Silk Lisle Hosiery

A first showing of colored hosiery: garter top and double sole, recede, crushed mulberry, oxblood, amethyst, wisteria, 50c.

London smoke lavender, bronze, Copenhagen, champagne; all colors to match your new gown, 50c.

Muslin Specials

42 inch soft finish bleached pillow casing, 11c yard.

45 inch soft finish bleached pillow casing, 12c yard.
9-4 bleached sheeting, yard 22½c

Summer's Daintiest Embroideries

Fashion calls for their free use.

the season's most beautiful novelties are here—here at prices lowered by trade conditions that we turn to good account.

THE ZION LACES are the talk of the town, sold by the 12 yard bolt at .52; sold by the yard at 5c.

FINE CLUNY LACES, Cream and white, Heavy Cluney laces cream and white at popular prices.

18 INCH WIDE CORSET COVER EMBROIDERIES in all the best designs, 25c per yard.

18 INCH WIDE SWISS FLOUNCINGS in beautiful and dainty designs, 39 and 49c per yard.

OSTRICH WEEK

Sale South African Ostrich Plumes

Male Ostrich Plumes of the Finest Quality.

11-inch Plumes at98c
12-inch Plumes at\$1.45
13-inch Plumes at\$1.85
14-inch Plumes at\$2.19
15-inch Plumes at\$3.19
16-inch Plumes at\$3.39
17-inch Plumes at\$4.39

18-inch Plumes at\$5.98
19-inch Plumes at\$7.98
20-inch Plumes at\$9.49
21-inch Plumes at\$10.69
22-inch Plumes at\$12.98
23-inch Plumes at\$15.98

Elegant Willow Plumes.

14-inch Willow Plumes\$7.89
15-inch Willow Plumes\$10.98
16-inch Willow Plumes\$14.95
22-inch Willow Plumes\$15.00

Ostrich Novelties.

Fancy Plumes in clusters in light shades, pastel shades, taupe, rose, castor, leather amethyst, emerald etc.
White Aigrettes and magnificent Paradise birds.

Ostrich Week—Come with the crowds. Free—To every woman visitor we will give a natural Ostrich Feather—Free.

Railroad Fare Free in a Radius of 50 miles of Rock Island on Purchase of \$25 or More—Double Stamps Mornings to 12 O'Clock.

The Right Refrigerator Will Keep Down the Ice Bill

Every refrigerator sold here has been selected because it gives the best refrigerator with a minimum of ice. Each one has some individual meritorious point. Come in and see which one is best suited to your needs.

Bohn Dry Air Syphon White Enamel Lined Refrigerator

White porcelain enamel, nickel-trimmed; large ice and food chambers, interior white porcelain enamel, price, \$95.

Extra large refrigerators in selected oak, interior white porcelain enamel, \$62.50.
Oak refrigerators, white enamel interior, extremely low priced, \$27.50, \$37.50 and \$42.75.

Minnesota Refrigerators, \$17 up.

White porcelain enamel refrigerators, high in efficiency and low in cost, \$17 up.

Ice Boxes \$9.25 up.

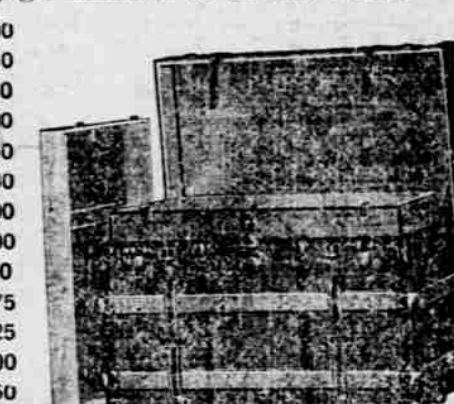


Stirring Time Among the Trunks

Away They Go—Trunks, Bags and Suit Cases

Low prices like these will send them in all directions. And "Low Price" is backed up by "Quality"—by strength that will challenge the baggage smasher to do his worst.

\$65.00 Wardrobe Trunk\$50.00
\$25.00 Dress Trunk\$19.50
\$20.00 Dress Trunk\$16.50
\$17.50 Bureau Trunk\$15.00
\$15.00 Dress Trunk\$13.50
\$14.50 Steamer Trunk\$12.00
\$12.50 Steamer Trunk\$11.00
\$18.00 Dress Trunk\$15.00
\$13.50 Dress Trunk\$11.00
\$10.00 Steamer Trunk\$7.75
\$10.50 Steamer Trunk\$8.25
\$9.00 Steamer Trunk\$6.00
\$7.50 Steamer Trunk\$4.50
\$12.00 Dress Trunk\$9.50
\$11.00 Dress Trunk\$8.00
\$10.50 Dress Trunk\$7.00
\$33.00 Dress Trunk\$27.50



\$27.00 Dress Trunk\$22.90
\$9.00 Dress Trunk\$6.00
\$8.00 Dress Trunk\$4.50

Put Your Eyes at Ease

You'll have a pleasant feeling of comfort and security the minute you talk to the expert optician in charge of our optical department. He will tell you the trouble with your eyes and won't charge you a cent. If you require glasses they'll not cost much—less than usual, quality considered. Optical Department—Main Floor.

Shirtwaist Boxes, \$2.25 to \$8.00

These boxes are almost indispensable for homes and especially small apartments, because they frequently fit where no other piece of furniture can be placed.

MATTING COVERED SHIRT WAIST BOXES, SPECIAL \$2.25
Early English finished bird's eye maple, cedar shirt waist boxes, up to \$8.

Vudor Porch Shades

The Store that Sells for Less

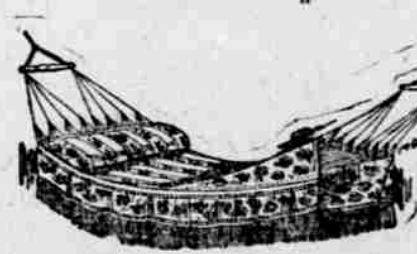
\$2.40 Vudor Porch Shades, 4x8 feet at \$1.65.
\$3 Vudor Porch Shades, 6x8 feet at \$2.40.
\$4 Vudor Porch Shades, 8x8 feet at \$3.15.

Porch Pillows

The latest thing in porch pillows, all made up ready for use on burlap braided in floral and conventional designs, at 59c and 69c.

CONVENTIONAL DESIGNS BRAIDED ON LINEN in red and green; also the creton in light colors, finished with green backs, only 29c.
—Fancy Goods Section.

Get a Hammock, 98c to \$5



A wide range of pretty color combinations in hammocks for the home, the outing and the camp; hammocks in red and yellow stripes, green and yellow stripes, with pillow, 98c.
Large net hammock, closely woven, brown, red and green stripes, \$2.25.

Newest Ideas in Kimonas

Kimona hours are doubly refreshing when the kimona is a soft flowing one of silk, charming new styles and designs.

\$5.98 to \$10.00

Six styles in pretty floral designs, in lawns and dimities empire and straight yoke effects; attractively priced.

\$1.25 and \$1.50



Down Bargain Lane Thursday

Table No. 1—Lace collars and stocks, 19c each.
Russian net yelling, 25c yard.
Table No. 2—50c belts, all styles, 29c cash.
Table No. 3—Zions laces (special) 52c bolt.
Table No. 4—36-inch percale, 12½c value, 8c yard.
Table No. 5—Sanitol powder and paste 17c.
Table No. 6—Women's Union suits, all sizes, 25c.
Women's 25c lace hose, 2 for 25c.
Table No. 7—30 styles in shirt waists, 50c each.
Table 8—Late fiction, 45c.
San silk, all colors, 2c spool.
Table No. 9—Infants' caps, 9c.
Children's 50c shambray dresses, 29c.
Table No. 10—Women's \$2.25 shoes, \$1.85.

Specials in Aprons at 50c

One Day: Tomorrow

For Thursday we place on sale new and practical styles in aprons at 50c.

AMOSKEAG GINGHAM sacque apron full size long sleeves, 75c value, one day, Thursday, 50c.

PRINCESS APRONS, two pockets, full length and width, blue and white, brown and white and checks, special at 50c.

50c



Women's House Dresses in Neat Styles

Special \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.98

Some women always manage to look trim and trig at home—no matter how many tasks or early the hour. Simple little frocks like these help.

House dresses in pretty styles of the always pleasing colors in gingham and percales at \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.98.

