

TOM LAFLIN NAMED

Well Known Rock Island Sportsman Made Congressional Game Warden.

APPOINTMENT A POPULAR ONE.

He is to select Assistants in the Several Counties of the District, They to Work Under His Immediate Direction—His Commission to Date From the First of Next Month.

Thomas P. Laflin, Rock Island's popular marksman and sportsman, has received notice of his appointment as game warden for the Tenth congressional district.

Mr. Laflin was chosen by Henry W. Loveday, state game warden, by and with the approval of Gov. Tanner. The several counties of the district will also have wardens, these to be named by Mr. Laflin, under whose direction they will work.

Deserving Appointment.

The appointment of Mr. Laflin is a deserving one and will be a source of great satisfaction to his friends. His commission dates from July 1.

The Weather We May Have.

Showers and thunderstorms tonight and Tuesday. Cooler Tuesday. Today's temperature 65.

J. M. SHERIDAN, Observer.

CITY CHAT.

Andrae bicycles.

Alaska refrigerators.

Pay your water rent.

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Leaf hard at Gilmore's.

Reidy Bros., real estate.

Buy a home of Reidy Bros'.

For insurance, E. J. Burns.

For real estate, E. J. Burns.

Comfortable shoes at Dolly Bros'.

Phone Eberhart for piano tuning.

Spencer's ad on page three; don't fail to read it.

The Retail Merchants' association meets tonight.

Alaska refrigerators, prices right. Summers & Co.

Stop at Eckhart's and see the fine line of hammocks.

Choice bargains in children's hats at Miss Kate Byrnes'.

Don't forget the bargains in millinery at Miss Kate Byrnes'.

Fine millinery at cost for the next 30 days at Miss Kate Byrnes'.

Examine the bargains in houses advertised by E. H. Guyer on page 4.

Ernest Rambo, indicted for grand larceny, is on trial in the circuit court today.

Just think of it, \$50 and \$60 bicycles for \$28 and \$30 at Spencer's, 1730 Second avenue.

Who makes the bicycles? Read David Don's ad and call and examine America's leading wheel.

D. J. Kennedy has sold his new residence on Seventeenth street to Howard Baker for \$2,950.

Drink Milan artesian water and save doctor bills. Drop a postal card to Joe Fitzpatrick, Milan, Ill.

The Y. W. C. T. U. will hold a meeting tonight at the home of Miss Ann Bromley, 1135 Tenth avenue.

America leads the world and America's leading wheel is the sky high Crescent. See them at David Don's.

The Misses Jones will have dancing class at the Tower every Monday. Children in the afternoon and adults in the evening.

John Gilman, a brother of Mrs. James Reynolds, of this city, was accidentally killed at Rock Springs, Ark., Saturday.

Six hundred people took in the excursion to Milwaukee arranged by the Comus club. The excursion was via the C. M. & St. P.

The regular Tuesday and Friday concerts have commenced at the Watch Tower, afternoon and evenings. Fine programs.

All fixtures of the grocery store of the late C. J. Long, including safe, ice-boxes, show cases, etc., will be sold very cheap if taken soon.

The family of the late Mrs. August Sass wish to extend their thanks to neighbors and friends for kindness and sympathy shown in their late bereavement.

The Cobb vase in Court House square has been exquisitely repainted and decorated under the direction of Sheriff Cralle, adding much to the beauty of its appearance.

To parties having money to invest—\$100, \$150, \$200, \$250, \$300 to \$500 and up—can place same in an investment absolutely secured and paying 7 per cent. Apply to E. J. Burns, room 12, Mitchell & Lynde building.

Can you use a long covered hack or

Calumet
Baking Powder
MAKES HEALTHFUL FOOD
NOT MADE BY THE TRUST.
MODERATE IN PRICE

a 2-horse express wagon? For cash or on time. If so, see Eastman, 1712 1/2 Second avenue. Both are at Stuh's wagon shop on Third avenue, between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets.

E. T. Mattausch desires to thank his customers for their patronage in the past, and would like to have them continue trading with Roy S. Porter, who assumed charge of the business this morning. Mr. Porter, formerly of Moline, is the son of Samuel R. Porter, for a number of years county treasurer of Rock Island county. E. T. Mattausch, Jr. does not leave the market for some time.

Saturday afternoon at the court house in Davenport the grounds of the Davenport Fair and Exposition were sold at sheriff's sale to Col. P. W. McManus upon an execution in the case of the Citizens' National bank against the Davenport Fair and Exposition company. The sale was to satisfy a claim of the bank in the sum of \$23,023.55, principal and interest, which was secured by mortgage, and was under foreclosure. The bid of Col. McManus was \$24,523.55, a sufficient amount to satisfy the claim of the bank and other outstanding obligations of the company.

Errors in Illustrations.

There sometimes seems reason for a complaint common among authors that artists do not read the text they are to illustrate. In one of the leading magazines recently the writer mentioned the fact that her heroine was entirely bald—a circumstance, indeed, that might have been deduced from the fact that she was nearly 100 years old.

Picture the author's disgust when the old woman was represented with a head of hair that might have served for the advertisement of some wonderful "restorative."

Even worse seems the fate of an unhappy writer who wrote a story about a boy named Patsy. The artist metamorphosed him into a girl.

The readers of a recent novel were puzzled by a statement which it seemed impossible to reconcile with facts. The text represented a devoted band of soldiers scaling well high perpendicular cliffs, urging their jaded horses forward. The explanation was that the artist had represented the gallant band as mounted. The author had depicted them on foot. When attention was called to this discrepancy, the easiest way out of the difficulty appeared to be to insert the few words as above, which was accordingly done without heed to the context.

Mr. James Payn relates a similar story of his tale, "A Perfect Treasure." The plot was taken from the story of the Nancy diamond. The jewel was stolen after the battle to a faithful servant, who fell among thieves and to secure its safety swallowed it. It is probable that no family retainer has ever been regarded with such solicitude for the quarter of a century as he was.

The work was brought out with a picture by Sir John Millais, the wood cut of which happened to be in the publisher's possession and which seemed to him to illustrate the subject, "A Perfect Treasure," for it was a little baby in its mother's arms.—Youth's Companion.

Feminine Generalship.

On one occasion the noted British officer Tarleton was speaking contemptuously of Colonel William Washington to a patriot lady. "Why," said Tarleton, "they tell me he is so ignorant that he cannot even write his name." With a meaning glance at Tarleton's right hand, which Washington had wounded, the lady replied, "But nobody is better aware than you, Colonel Tarleton, that Colonel Washington knows how to make his mark."

Notice to the Public.

We call your attention to our distilled water. It is absolutely pure and consequently healthy. You cannot be too careful with your drinking water. Also our lithia water, the best kidney cure known. All our goods are made of this same pure water. Delivered to any part of the city.

CAUSE & OILWELLER, Phone 1014.

High School Commencement.

Friends of graduates receiving advance tickets may reserve seats at Bleuer's jewelry store, beginning at 9 o'clock, June 14.

The sale of tickets to the public will occur at 8 o'clock, June 15 and 16, at same place. E. V. Robinson.

Cyclones-Tornadoes.

The "cyclone belt" broadens every year. Our section may be next. Too late to secure indemnity after a cyclone has devastated your property. Take out a tornado policy now. Best companies, lowest rates.

HAYES & CLEVELAND, Insurance Agents, Office Bengtson Block.

M. W. of A. at Columbus Junction.

On account of the log rolling of Modern Woodmen, to be held at Columbus Junction, Iowa, the C. R. I. & P. railroad will run a special train, leaving Rock Island at 7:10 a. m. Thursday, June 15, returning that evening. Fare \$1.52 for the round trip.

Buffalo, N. Y. and Return.

On June 11, 12 and 13 the C. R. I. & P. railroad will sell round trip tickets to Buffalo at rate of \$18.60 or \$19.70.

Tony Faust.

Anheuser-Busch celebrated beer always on draught at Lothar Harms'.

What you want is not temporary relief from piles, but a cure to stay cured. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cures piles, and they stay cured. Soothes and quickly heals old sores, scalds, cuts, bruises, wounds and skin diseases. For sale by T. H. Thomas, A. J. Reiss and M. F. Bahnsen, druggists.

Subscribe for THE ARGUS

Who Makes the Wheels.

The Cycle Age has prepared an estimate of the bicycles that will be made and sold by the various manufacturers for 1899, from which we take the following:

Cresecent Bicycles.....	\$135000
Andrae Bicycles.....	5000
Patee Bicycles.....	6000
Elbridge & Belvidere Bicycles.....	7500
Hoffman Bicycles.....	5000
Stearns Bicycle Co.....	12000
Rambler Bicycles.....	35000
Racyle Bicycles.....	15000
Columbia & Hartford Bicycles.....	75000
Ide Bicycles.....	15000
Snell Bicycles.....	12000
Barnes Bicycle Company.....	17000
Monarch Bicycle Company.....	40000
Sterling Bicycles.....	15000

You make no mistake if you select America's leading wheel, THE SKY HIGH CRESCENT. Prices and quality guaranteed. See them at

DAVID DON'S,

1615-1617 Second Avenue.

ROCK ISLAND.

Do You Want...

to prepare a delicious Sunday dinner? If you do order your vegetables and fruits at Hess Bros., as they always have everything that the market affords. Read the list below.

VEGETABLES.

New Peas, New Potatoes, Cabbages, Spinach, Summer Squash, Celery, Wax Beans, Artichoke, Tomatoes, Asparagus, Radishes, Bermuda Onions, Head and Leaf Lettuce.

FRUITS.

Strawberries, Pine Apples, Naval Oranges, Pines, Apples, California Cereals.

POULTRY.

Dressed Chickens, Spring Chickens dressed to order.

HESS BROS.

1615-1617 Second Ave. Telephone 1091.

Waverly Bicycles

At \$30 Are Winners.

They are fitted with sliding adjustment in case that gives the wheel that easy glide.

Call and try them at

HYNES,

324 Twentieth Street, Rock Island.
503 W. Third St., Davenport.

FOR JUNE WEDDINGS

We have a beautiful line of

Rich Cut Glass,
Sterling Silver Ware,
Fine Plate Ware
and Mantel Clocks.

Do not put your money in cheap Cut Glass, it is clear at any price. We handle nothing but the best hand cut.

J. Ramser,

Manufacturing Jeweler and Optician.
Phone 4093.

THE BOSTON.

OXFORDS.

We are showing the swellest line of low cuts in the Tri-cities. We can give you all new shapes and patterns, fancy vestings, etc. All Widths. Hand sewed. No tacks.

A Full Line of Men's Low Cuts. Swell Summer Shoes.



Those Hot Sizzling Days

ARE HERE AT LAST.

The days that make men wish it was fashionable to wear only a sun umbrella, a palm leaf fan and a smile. But it's not. Here's where we help you out.

Summer Coats In black sateens, alpacas, flannels, mohair, plain and fancy pattern from \$4.50 down to **50c**

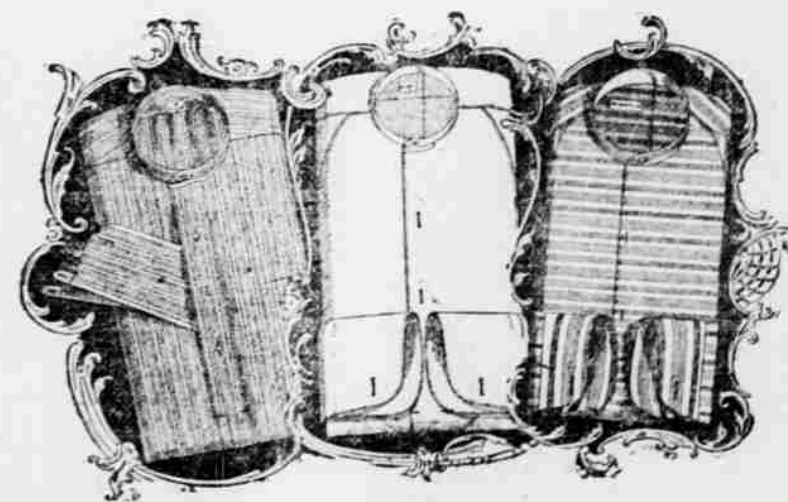
Crash Suits In plain and fancy patterns, neat, stylish, well tailored garments, longs, stouts, and regulars, from \$5 down to **\$2.50**

Men's Serges In single and double breasted sacks, blue and grey, all wool, fast colors, from \$5.85 down to **\$2.95**

Children's Wash Suits We are sole agents for the celebrated Facility wash suits, a suit that can be worn without a separate waist, any color or combination of colors desired, from \$2.35 down to **25c**

Men's Fancy and Negligee Shirts

Fairly good shirts have no place in our stock. They must be Good, with a capital "G" before they can enter our store.



Whatever your thought or desire may dictate in Silk, Madras, Percales, or French Flannels, here you will find its materialization, in such celebrated makes as Manhattan, Anchor Brands, Eagle make, and Stanton. Prices from \$1.50 down to 25c.

M. & K.

1729 Second Avenue, Rock Island.

115 and 117 W. Second St., Davenport.