

# NEW MUSIC STORE FORMALLY OPENED

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Home of Smith & Allen Co. in  
Elks Building Is Credit  
to City.

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As announced in the Saturday News Tribune the Smith & Allen company, successors to the music department of French & Bassett, have moved into their new home in the Elks' building, and yesterday afternoon kept open house to their friends, old and new.

The store has been laid out with special attention to acoustics and the needs of a modern music store, many new and novel features having been introduced. Separate rooms for different instruments are provided and the whole store presents a most attractive appearance.

For the formal opening, the main salesroom was artistically decorated with palms and flowers and the Spalding trio rendered the program, afternoon and evening, which appeared in the News Tribune. In addition to this program several duets with planola and victrola were rendered by D. F. Cordingly of the Aeolian company and Mr. Allen of the Smith & Allen company. This feature was a most enjoyable one to the throng of visitors who were present at the opening.

It is planned to make this store the center of a series of musical events which will be most interesting and instructive to the people of the city, and both Messrs Smith and Allen and Duluth are to be congratulated on outlook musically.

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