

IOWA MOTHERS ORGANIZE

State Congress at Des Moines Elects Its Officers.

DIMMITT PAIR ON TRIAL FOR ASSAULT

State Intercollegiate Athletic Association at Business Meeting Shows Out Two Colleges from Field.

DES MOINES, May 26.—(Special Telegram.)—The Iowa State Congress of Mothers was organized here this morning with the following officers: President, Mrs. I. L. Hillis, Des Moines; vice-president, Mrs. Julia Clark Hallam, Sioux City; recording secretary, Mrs. Rose Jerrill, Oklaheola; corresponding secretary, Mrs. E. S. Burgin, Des Moines; treasurer, Mrs. J. B. Rockefeller, Atlantic; auditor, Mrs. R. A. Romana, Des Moines.

There were delegates from all over the state. The final meeting of the executive board of the National Congress was held at the Savory house this morning. The time was spent in rearranging committees and discussing the question of ways and means. Several additions have been made to the old committees. Since the meeting of the resolutions committee yesterday morning it has come to light that the suffrage resolution which it was attempted to railroad through the congress this year was brought before the committee yesterday morning and tabled. The matter was a mere formality, as the same question has been before the resolutions committee at each annual meeting since the congress was organized.

Secretary Kennedy of the state board of health received notice today that one case of smallpox has been discovered at Webster City.

The Central Telephone and Telegraph company of Cedar Rapids filed articles of incorporation today. The capital is \$500,000. A. T. Averill is president.

Dimmitts in Court. Eliza and James Dimmitt were brought into the criminal court this morning to answer to the charge of assault with intent to commit murder. They were examined, but it is thought a plea of guilty will be entered Monday. Both were heavily fined and chained to each other so that escape was impossible. The Dimmitts were brought from Chicago, wanted here for the assault upon Jeter Maxwell, in which the latter was nearly beaten to death, and for several other crimes. After serving a long term here they will be taken back to Cook county to answer to the charge of assaulting a Chicago night watchman with the intention of murdering him. They are a noted pair.

The Inter-collegiate Athletic association in business meeting today shut out Penn of Oklaheola, and the Upper Iowa University, from participating in the field meet next year. Upper Iowa was clearly disqualified because of the constitutional provision requiring a college to make two points in two field meets or else be dropped, but Penn college claims that the association has discriminated against it. Simpson college was made a member of the association and will compete next year with the state University, Grinnell, Ames, Cornell, State Normal and Drake.

QUESTION OF YOUNG WOMAN'S AGE. Mary McAllister and Her Father Dispute That Point.

SIoux CITY, May 26.—(Special Telegram.)—The only real question at issue now is the habeas corpus proceedings at Pender, Neb., for the possession of Mary McAllister is as to the real age of the girl. Her father has sworn in an answer that she is 17 years old and she swears she is over 18 years old. The court will take testimony on this issue June 7 at Dakota City.

The father will also try to prove that the girl wants to marry W. C. McNamara of Sioux City and that he is unfit to be the husband of any woman in the meantime the girl is living in the home of Sheriff Daily at Pender. She has been dragged around the country so much lately because she wants to marry a man her father objects to that she is getting rather used to it.

Scarlet Fever at Atlantic. ATLANTIC, Ia., May 26.—(Special.)—For more than a month scarlet fever has been prevalent in this city, with daily resulting, though the majority of cases have been of a mild type. The death of a 9-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Goff yesterday afternoon shows the disease to have reached a malignant stage. The little girl was in school Thursday afternoon and Thursday evening was playing with other children. In the night she was taken sick and died yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock. It is probable that at least one of the school rooms will be temporarily dismissed. The funeral was held this morning. The board of health has taken extra precaution in the matter of quarantine regulations.

Contest of Colleges. LEMARS, Ia., May 26.—(Special.)—The fifth annual contest of the Northwestern Iowa Oratorical association was held at the opera house in this city this evening. Competitors from Buena Vista college, Storm Lake, Denison normal college, Lemars Normal college took part. The gold medal was won by Howard L. Smith of Storm Lake. Second honors were carried off by Dow of Talcott of Denison. A tremendous crowd attended the contest. In the afternoon the Lemars Normal college base ball nine defeated the Denison team in a ragged and close game by a score of 19 to 15. Batteries: Lemars, Deffording and Garner; Denison, Kirkpatrick and Ruld.

Arrange for Rifle Shoot. FORT DODGE, Ia., May 26.—(Special.)—Colonel Thomas F. Cook is arranging with Company G of this city to send two members to the state rifle shoot at Cedar Rapids on June 1. Two men will be sent from each company of the four state regiments to receive instructions from the colonel, who is inspector general of the small arms practice. They will spend four or five days in range practice and receive instructions. After that they will return to their companies, and the target practice upon which the company's record is made will be done at home.

Fight Ends Seriously. ATLANTIC, Ia., May 26.—(Special.)—An encounter which came near resulting in a fatality occurred yesterday evening in a gambling joint. It is thought to still be a dazed condition as a result of the fight with another party. He was badly cut about the face, so it is evident that knuckles or a club were used upon him. The first that was known of the affair was when Schwartz presented himself at the police station and asked for medical aid. He was so weak he could hardly get there. As there were no witnesses to the affair there will probably be no arrests.

Kloping Couple Arrested. SIoux CITY, May 26.—(Special Telegram.)—An eloping couple from Sloan were arrested last night by Sheriff Jackson and Deputy Sheriff G. S. Thompson. The right name of the man is Charles Eno and that of the woman Mrs. Charles Renne. She is the wife of a man living at Sloan, who sent up word of her disappearance with Eno.

Child's Remarkable Escape. GRINNELL, Ia., May 26.—(Special.)—One of the most remarkable escapes on record occurred today near Grinnell, on the Iowa trail, where a baby was knocked about 100 feet by a locomotive and was apparently unhurt. A little 2-year-old child waddled a

baby cab down the track and got the wheels entangled in a cattle guard. Tired out with his efforts to disengage it, he clambered into the cab and went peacefully to sleep. A short time afterward a train came along and knocked the baby and cab 100 feet or more. The train was stopped and the baby picked up unhurt. The parents of the child are Mr. and Mrs. Casper.

Preachers End Session. GRINNELL, Ia., May 26.—(Special.)—The Eastern Iowa Preachers' association, which has been in session in Oklaheola for the last three days, was closed this afternoon. The attendance was fairly representative from that part of the state and some interesting resolutions were adopted. The newly chosen officers of the association for the ensuing year are: President, G. W. Bur-Bur; Vice-President, W. W. Collier; Secretary, C. C. Davis; Deacons, H. K. Kellogg, secretary, C. C. Davis, Daventport.

Boy Drowned in Swimming. AVOCOA, Ia., May 26.—(Special Telegram.)—Hollis Clements, the 10-year-old son of David Clements, was drowned in the West Botna this afternoon, where he, in company with several boys about his age, were swimming.

NEW ROAD WINS ONE ROUND

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of other saloons but have not yet been served.

Long says that in following in the footsteps of Attorney J. J. Shea he is actuated simply by the desire to have all saloons closed on Sunday. He denies that he is in the game for a money consideration and claims to have the "moral support" of the reform committee which caused the gambling rooms to be closed. The saloon men are considering the advisability of organizing for their mutual protection. They all laugh at the idea of Long posing as a moral reformer.

IN MEMORY OF BRAVE DEAD.

Living Soldiers Will Pay Tribute Today to Those Who Have Passed.

The Lincoln post, Grand Army of the Republic and Encampment No. 8, Union Veteran Legion, will hold their annual memorial services this evening. Those of the former organization will be at Broadway Methodist church, while the latter will hold theirs at St. Francis Xavier's Catholic church.

The following is the program to be given at the memorial services of the Union Veteran Legion encampment to be held at 8 o'clock in St. Francis Xavier's church. The music will be furnished by the regular church choir under the direction of Miss Margaret Judge, organist.

"Star Spangled Banner"..... James Mulqueen and Choir
Opening exercises.....
Prayer by Chaplain.....
"The Vacant Chair"..... Eugene A. Ingoldby and Choir
Reading roll of honor by adjutant.....
"Tenting on the Old Camp Ground".....
Poem—"The Bivouac of the Dead".....
Solo—"Just for Today"..... Major W. H. Spera
Address by Post Commander, Rev. Snyder.....
Address—"In Memory of the Women of the War"..... Colonel W. S. Paulson
"Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean"..... Choir
Oration..... Rev. Patrick Smyth
"America"..... Choir
Benediction.....
Taps.....

For the Grand Army of the Republic service at the Broadway Methodist church this evening no program has been arranged. There will be music appropriate to the occasion and the address will be delivered by the pastor, Rev. Myron C. Waddell.

Comrades of Encampment No. 8, Union Veteran Legion, will meet at the armory of Company L, Fifty-first Iowa National guard, at 101 South Main street this evening at 7 o'clock to attend memorial services at St. Francis Xavier's church, by order of W. H. Spera, lieutenant commanding, and W. S. Rice, adjutant. All old soldiers, soldiers of the Spanish and Philippine wars and citizens generally are invited to attend.

Attention! All members of Abe Lincoln post No. 25, Grand Army of the Republic, are hereby notified to report at post headquarters this evening at 7 o'clock sharp to attend divine services at the Broadway Methodist church. All old soldiers and sailors of the civil and Spanish wars, the Woman's Relief corps, High School cadets and all other patriotic organizations are cordially invited to participate in these services. Samuel Johnson, post commander; Edward J. Abbott, adjutant.

Envelopes! Envelopes! Envelopes! Good envelopes 2c a package in our stationery department. These are our regular goods, all sizes, square and oblong, 2c a package this week only. DeLong, the printer, 307 Broadway.

You can get a good extension table at Keller & Band's, 407 Broadway, by paying \$1 a week until paid for.

Sewing machines and bicycles repaired at Williamson's, 106 Main street.

Ladies' sailors, Knox style, at Metcalf's.

Church Notes. St. Paul's Episcopal church, Rev. George Edward Walk, rector. The Sunday after Ascension. Holy communion at 7:30 a. m., morning prayer and sermon at 10:30 o'clock, evening prayer and sermon at 8 o'clock.

Grace Episcopal church, Rev. R. L. Knox, rector. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Holy communion and sermon at 11 a. m., evening prayer and sermon at 8 o'clock.

At the First Christian church appropriate memorial services will be held both morning and evening. The pastor, Rev. S. J. Perkins, will preach in the morning on "The Christian Soldier," while his subject in the evening will be "Fighting the Good Fight." Sunday school will be held at noon, meeting of Junior Christian Endeavor society at 2:30 p. m., and meeting of Senior Christian Endeavor society at 7 p. m.

"The Young Man Whom Jesus Loved" will be the subject of Rev. J. W. Wilson's sermon this morning at the Congregational church. In the evening he will deliver a short address on "Blessings Laid Up for Those Who Love God." Sunday school will be held at noon and meeting of Christian Endeavor society at 7 p. m.

The pastor, Rev. Myron C. Waddell, will preach this morning at the Broadway Methodist church on "Faith in God." In the evening the Grand Army of the Republic will hold its memorial services. All other services will be at the usual hours.

Rev. R. Christopherson, who leaves for Oakland, Cal., in a few days, will preach his farewell sermon this evening at the Scandinavian Baptist church.

At St. John's English Lutheran church this morning the pastor, Rev. G. W. Snyder, will take as the theme for his sermon "What Man May Be." There will be no services in the evening, as Rev. M. Snyder will deliver an address at the memorial services of the Veteran legion at St. Francis Xavier's Catholic church. Sunday school will be held at noon.

Rev. R. Venting, pastor of the First Baptist church, will preach this morning on "The Young Man." In the evening St. John's subject will be "The Old Man." Sunday school will be held at noon and the meeting of the Young People's union at 7 p. m. in the chapel. Miss May Caldwell will sing a solo at the evening service. Sunday school will be held at Bethany chapel at 2 p. m., and Sunday school and preaching at the usual hours at the Twenty-ninth street mission.

At the Second Presbyterian church the pastor, Rev. Alexander Litherland, will preach this morning on "Prayer Part of Providence." In the evening his subject will be "Teachings That Last."

Rev. W. H. Cable, the pastor, will preach at 10:30 a. m. and 8 p. m. today at Trinity Methodist church. Class meeting at 9:45

a. m. Sunday school at noon. Junior league meeting at 3:30 p. m. and Epworth league meeting at 7 p. m.

The First Church of Christ, Scientist, will hold services this morning at 10:45 o'clock in the Sapp block. The subject will be "God the Only Cause and Creator." Experience meeting will be held Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

"This Life as Related to the Future" will be the topic of Rev. W. S. Barne's sermon this morning at the First Presbyterian church. In the evening he will preach on "The Salt of the Earth." All services will be at the usual hours.

Elder J. W. Wright of Lamoni, Ia., will preach this evening at 7:30 o'clock at the Latter Day Saints' church. Sunday school will be held at 9 a. m. Fellowship meeting at 10:30 a. m.

Davis sells paints.

Commonwealth 10-cent cigar.

Real Estate Transfers. The following transfers were filed yesterday in the abstract, title and loan office of J. W. Squire, 101 Pearl street:

Hairs of James Crow, deceased, to C. H. Strub, lot 2, block 8, Mendon, 100
Kate Marjorie Fleming to M. W. Fleming, the NW 1/4 of lot 10 of a p. 1/4 and lot 2, NW 1/4, sec. 42, T. 22 N., R. 10 W., 1
Martin Wakehouse and wife to Joseph Wakehouse, lot 12, block 1, Bayles & Palmer's addition, W. 4th, 250
County Treasurer to First National Bank, C. B. lots to 2, block 5, Oak by Walnut Grove, tax d., 4
Same to same, lots 3 and 4, block 5, 10000 sub., and 1 and 2 in B. Turley's add., tax d., 52
Same to same, lot 2, block 10, Benson's first add., tax d., 2
Same to same, 5 acres in NW 1/4 NW 1/4, T. 22 N., R. 10 W., 1
Same to C. R. Ham Tuester, lot 12, block 2, 2 and 3 in 7, 2 and 4 in 8 and 11 in 5, Turley's add., tax d., 14
Same to same, lots 3 to 10 in 2 and 7, 8 and 11 in 5, Turley's add., tax d., 29
Sheriff to Mrs. A. J. Way, lot 1 and 2, block 13, Town of Person, s. h. d., 101
C. D. Dillon and wife to S. H. Peterson, lot 14, block 15, Howard's add., s. h. d., 69
Total, 11 transfers, \$1,452

Ladies' sailors, Knox style, at Metcalf's.

"Mr. Riley" 8-cent cigar.

SOUTH OMAHA NEWS.

In order to comply, if possible, with the demand for more efficient service here Postmaster Eter has recommended to the department at Washington the appointment of a mounted carrier, a mounted collector of mails, one additional foot carrier and an assistant distributing clerk.

At present the mails are handled by nine carriers. Four deliveries are made each day in the business portion of the city and two deliveries in some sections of the residence districts. No mail is delivered east of Thirteenth street, and people living east of this dividing line file frequent complaints at the postoffice. There is another section of the city in the northeastern portion where no delivery is made. There is so much territory to cover that the nine carriers find it impossible to give better service in the eight hours which they are permitted to work each day.

Complaints are also being made by the packers. No attempt is made by the postoffice department here to collect or deliver mails to either the Swift or Hammond packing houses, as the force is not large enough to handle the heavy mail received by these two plants. Both Hammond and Swift send their mail to the postoffice by special carriers, who take back the incoming mail. Manager Howe of Armour's has filed a protest against the service given in the afternoon. Mr. Howe desires very much to have a collection later than 3 p. m., and he is also anxious for a 4 o'clock delivery. Neither of these requests can be granted by Postmaster Eter unless the department sees fit to increase the carrier force.

In speaking about the needs of the office yesterday Captain Eter said that he was doing the very best he could with the force at his disposal. If the department will give him a mounted collector a late afternoon collection can be made at all of the packing houses and thus put a stop to some of the complaints. With a mounted carrier the portions of the city where there is no free delivery can be covered.

If one more foot carrier is appointed Postmaster Eter said that he could arrange to give two deliveries daily to the residence portions where only one is made now. Another clerk in the mailing department is also badly needed, as the mails are so heavy that the present force cannot properly dispose of the mails without working overtime every day. The office force is made up of three mailing clerks, two distributing clerks, one general delivery clerk and one stamp clerk. Deputy Postmaster Moseley attends to the money order department and this keeps him busy during the hours the office is open.

As an illustration of how rapidly the business of this office is increasing it is stated by the postmaster that the receipts of the office for 1899 exceeded those of 1898 by \$13,000. So far this year the business of the office has been very heavy, and if the present rate is continued an enormous increase will be shown at the end of the year.

New Postal Regulations. Postmaster Eter has been notified by First Assistant Postmaster General Heath that a money order station has been established at the exposition grounds in Paris. By this arrangement all postmasters at money order offices in the United States may draw domestic money orders payable at the United States postoffice in Paris. The Paris office may also issue money orders payable at any office in this country. If money orders are to be cashed at any office other than the United States postoffice at the exposition grounds the usual international order form must be used. The issuing of domestic orders for Paris means quite a saving to those desiring to send or receive money from Paris. The advice of all such domestic money orders are to be mailed direct to the postmaster at New York and by him transmitted to the station at Paris.

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We will dress the little fellows in knee pants cheaper than you will hope to find.

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Presbyterian Concert. A concert will be given at the First Presbyterian church on Friday evening, June 1, under the management of Miss Lillian Fitch, the well known reader. In this entertainment Miss Fitch will be assisted by the following well known musicians: Miss Jean Boyd Mullin, Oscar Garesse, Charles Higgins, Miss Daisy Higgins, Francis Porter, Siemund Landberg and Karl Smith. Homer Deyton will recite the arena scene from "Quo Vadis," which won the state oratorical contest recently.

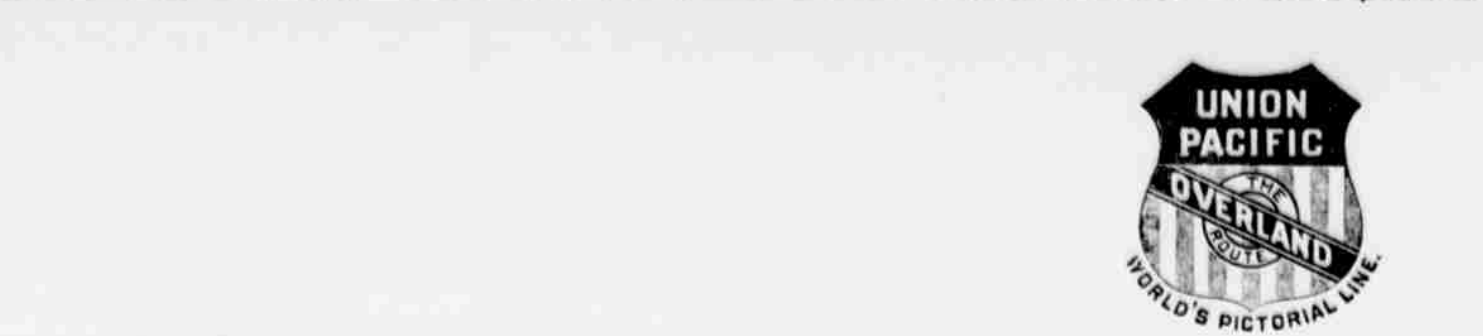
Magic City Goswip. See Ed Minshaw & Co. for lumber. Tel. 253. Edward Davis is now in charge of the Reed hotel.

A daughter has been born to Dr. and Mrs. J. J. McCreary.

The banks and city offices will be closed on Decoration day.

The bank clearings still continue to show a healthy increase.

The King's Daughters and Sons of the Presbyterian church will give a lawn social



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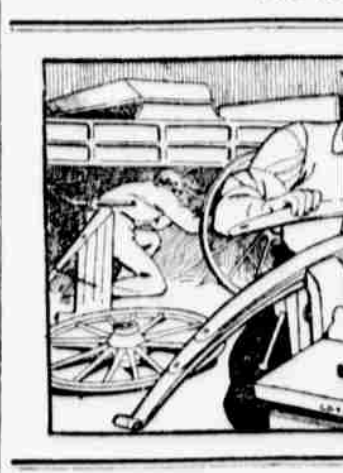
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at Dr. Wheeler's on Thursday evening, May 27.
Miss Jean Tuttle is spending Sunday with relatives at Lamoni.
J. W. Ferguson intends removing his family to Fort Niobrara.
Miss Hazel Rich is the leader of the Christian Endeavor society.
Iona McAndrew has returned to South Omaha after a long absence.
A case of diphtheria is reported at 708 North Twenty-fourth street.
Frank Supplee of Chicago is here, the delicious soda is served by an expert at Melcher's drug store. Don't fail to try it.
Quite a number of elegant residences are being erected in the northern part of the city.
Mrs. B. E. Wilcox has returned from Wilber, where she visited friends for a few days.
The Entre Nous Dancing club gave a very enjoyable party at Odd Fellows hall Friday night.
The Epworth league will hold consecration services on the first Sunday evening of each month.
The appearance of the Presbyterian church has been greatly improved by the erection of new steps and the grading of the lot which adjoins the church on the north.

Bargain Week

We had a splendid trade so far, and it leaves us with a lot of remnants on hand. If we wait till the busy season is over, we will have too many short ends, therefore, if you have any small rooms, come now.

All wool Ingrain Remnants, 5 to 15 yards, only 45c a yard.
One half wool Ingrain, 5 to 15 yards, 34c.
Moquettes, axminsters, velvets and brussels, all worth as high as \$1.35 yd, at 75c.
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A 6x8 Axminster Rug, fringed, \$7.00
A 6x8 Velvet Rug, at \$10.00

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