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ALL READY FOR GRADUATION

President MacLean of State University Delivers Baccalaureate Sermon.

TUESDAY EVENING SENIOR CLASS DAY

Friday the Graduation Exercises Proper Will Be Held in the Auditorium of the High School—Class a Record Breaker.

Commencement week for the senior class of the high school will begin today when this afternoon at 5 o'clock President George E. MacLean of the Iowa State university will deliver the baccalaureate address.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Rohling returned yesterday from a two weeks' vacation in the northern part of the state. The engagement of Mr. S. P. Wilson and Miss Winifred E. Robinson in this city is announced, the wedding to take place June 15.

A marriage license was issued yesterday to Charles Steepy, aged 45, of Council Bluffs, and Margaret E. Leign, aged 35, of St. Joseph, Mo.

Get the habit of going to Leffert for your jewelry and repair work, and it will stick to you. Leffert has a complete stock of many people. They did a complete stock and satisfactory service. Herman M. Leffert.

Rev. J. W. Stratton, pastor of Broadway Methodist church, will conduct the funeral services over Marie Johnson this afternoon at 3 o'clock at Cutler's undertaking rooms.

Chris Drechsler, brought from Underwood Friday, had not sobered up sufficiently yesterday to be taken before Judge Wheeler for his hearing on the application to have him committed to the state hospital for dipomanics at Mount Pleasant.

Otto Roderick, who served thirty days in the county jail for the killing of Railway Mail Clerk Moyer, was arrested by the police last night, charged with being drunk and disturbing the peace.

Plumbing and heating. Bixby & Son. GENERAL DODGE IS TO PRESIDE

Program of Unveiling of Union Veteran Legion Monument. General Grenville M. Dodge has consented to act as master of ceremonies at the unveiling of the Union Veteran Legion monument at Walnut Hill cemetery.

The parade will consist of prayer by Rev. G. W. Snyder, chaplain of the encampment; an address by Charles M. Hart, acceptance of the monument on behalf of the encampment by Colonel C. W. Foster and the benediction by Rev. Father Smyth.

Ab Lincoln Post, Grand Army of the Republic, the Women's Relief Corps and Encampment No. 5, Union Veteran Legion, will attend the services this morning at 11 o'clock in the First Christian church.

First Congregational church, Rev. James Thomson, pastor. Morning worship, 10:30. Bible school at noon; Christian Endeavor school, 7 p. m.; second service, 8 p. m.

The First Church of Christ (Scientist) will hold services this morning at 11 o'clock in the Sapp building, when the subject of the lesson will be "God, the Only Cause and Creator." Sunday school will be at the close of the services.

The regular midweek testimonial meeting will be held Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. The Second Church of Christ (Scientist) will hold services in the Merriam block this morning at 10:45 o'clock, when the subject will be "God, the Only Cause and Creator."

The annual memorial services of Encampment No. 5, Union Veterans' legion, will be held this evening in Broadway Methodist church.

COURTS FULL INVESTIGATION President MacLean Will Not Discuss Controversy.

President George E. MacLean of the Iowa State university, who will deliver the baccalaureate address this afternoon to the graduating class of the high school, arrived in the city yesterday afternoon and is a guest at the Grand hotel, where he was visited by Dr. V. L. Trever, member of the Board of Regents of the university, and many of the alumni.

President MacLean will not discuss the controversy which has been agitated by the matter being fully reviewed by the Board of Regents, in whom he had the fullest confidence. "The deeper the investigation the better for all concerned. I have full confidence in the righteous issue of the

controversy, if so it might be termed," he said. Further, Dr. MacLean said that it was evident that the newspapers had fuller information on the matter than he had, but that it had taken him by surprise he admitted and he believed it was evident that it had taken the state by surprise equally. Dr. MacLean said he intended returning to Iowa City this evening.

N. Y. Plumbing Co. Tel. 26; night, F-67. Award Hearing Contract. A special meeting of the Board of Education was held yesterday afternoon in the office of Secretary Ross and the contract for the installation of the heating plant in the Avenue B school awarded to the New York Plumbing company on its bid of \$291. The other bids were Gilbert & Son, \$230; Bixby & Son, \$298; Stephan Bros., \$300.

Desk Room for Rent. Thirteen by six feet, ground floor, fronting Pearl street, large show window and good location, 10 Pearl street, Council Bluffs.

Graduation Gifts. Pictures, statuary, burnt wood and art novelties. Alexander's, 333 Broadway.

PAST WEEK IN BLUFFS SOCIETY Large Number of Interesting Events Grace the Week.

Miss Elva Howard is visiting in Naukagan, Ill. Mrs. Charles Test Stewart is visiting in Naukagan, Ill.

Mrs. L. I. Edson entertained at a 7 o'clock dinner Saturday. Miss Dodge entertained the Evening Whist club Tuesday.

Miss Opal Goodman is the guest of friends in Sioux City. Mrs. Edward Schoentgen is visiting with her parents in Des Moines.

Mrs. R. B. Hills of Dunlap, Ia., is visiting her niece, Mrs. E. C. Brown. Mrs. W. F. Sapp has returned from a visit to her parents at the Colorado point.

Mrs. E. E. Munson of Creston, Ia., is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Rudolph Toller. Mrs. Hynshaw leaves in the first of the week for Chicago for a two months' visit.

Mrs. Horace Gleason was hostess at a 7 o'clock dinner given at her home Saturday evening. Miss Scott of Eighth street entertained a number of friends at a 7 o'clock dinner Wednesday evening.

Miss Maud Tichenor of Wampum, Wis., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. William Leventon of Bluff street. Miss Leutzinger of Los Angeles, Cal., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Thomas Theodore of Avenue D.

Miss Caroline Schentgen left Thursday for Sycamore, Ill., where she will be the guest of Mrs. Harrison Johnson. Mrs. Joel Stewart left Friday for Chicago, where she will attend the wedding of Miss Ruth Burley of Avenue D.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Garner have for their guests Mrs. F. W. Myers and Mrs. John Sullivan of New York, Ia. Miss Elizabeth Stewart is expected today from Indianapolis, Ind., where she has been visiting for several days.

Mrs. Ned Shepard of Kansas City is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Johnson, of Council Bluffs. Mrs. A. N. Wolf of Akron, Pa., and Mr. Amos Hess of Cedar Point, Kan., are guests at the home of J. P. Hess and family.

Mrs. R. E. Francis was hostess at a very charming dinner given at her home Wednesday evening in honor of her guests, Mrs. George Damon of Wayne, Neb., who has been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Zuermuehlen, on Bluff street, left for her home in Wayne, Neb.

Mr. and Mrs. William Egan of California, Ia., who have been visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hess, left Thursday evening for Dodge City, Mo.

At a meeting of the C. M. L. club held at the home of Mrs. V. M. Johnson on Tuesday night, Mrs. Henry Scheldie was appointed president for the ensuing year.

Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Johnson were the principal guests at a 7 o'clock dinner given at their home Thursday evening in honor of their friends at a 7 o'clock dinner given at their home Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Williams entertained at dinner Tuesday evening. The decorations were bringing flowers. Covers were laid for fifteen.

Miss Frances Walker, who teaches at the Alabama School for the Deaf, at Talladega, Ala., is home to spend the summer with her father, A. B. Walker.

Mrs. Robert Reynolds of San Francisco is in the city and will be the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. E. Hunter of Pierce street, for the summer.

The wedding of Mr. E. E. Fletcher and Miss Mable Gertrude Robinson will take place at the home of the bride on Bluff avenue Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Wilcox will entertain the graduating class of the First Baptist church Thursday evening at a reception and dance to be given at their home on Pierce street next Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Brooks of Vine street will celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding on Tuesday evening, June 1, and will be at home to their friends from 8 to 10 o'clock.

Mrs. P. J. Montgomery, Mrs. E. C. Smith, Mrs. W. L. Smith and Mrs. F. W. Miller have returned from St. Louis, where they attended the annual convention of the General Federation of Women's Clubs.

Mrs. Bessie Bradshaw was hostess at this week's meeting of the club. High five was the game of the evening. Mrs. Valdemar Johnson winning the first prize and Miss Dora Roberts the consolation.

Mrs. Warner L. Welch pleasantly entertained the members of the Presbyterian choir at an informal musicale given at her home Friday evening. Dainty refreshments were served. The principal features of the decorations.

Mrs. W. A. Southard, assisted by Mrs. Fred Johnson, entertained members of the Ideal club very pleasantly at the home of the former on Tuesday evening. The annual meeting for the election of officers will be held Tuesday afternoon.

Frank Brees, card club president, met with Mrs. Forgy, Mrs. E. B. Edger-ton winning the prize. Miss Edith Shepard will be hostess at the first bridge club, which is to be held at the home of Mrs. G. W. Roberts.

STRIKE BETWEEN COLLEGES

Both University and State College Want Office of State Geologist.

BOARD CALLED TO DISCUSS QUESTION

Governor Cummins Decides to Send to Ireland for Prisoner in Spite of Efforts to Settle the Case.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) DES MOINES, May 28.—(Special.)—The resignation of Prof. Samuel Calvin as state geologist will be considered at a special meeting of the state geological board called by Governor Cummins to meet next Saturday at his office.

The members of the board are the governor, state auditor, presidents of the state university and State college and president of the Academy of Sciences. It is not at all certain that Dr. Calvin will be allowed to drop the work of directing the state geological survey which he has handled the past twelve years in a manner to reflect great credit on the state of Iowa.

Some of the members of the board insist that his resignation shall not be accepted. He has been asked to meet with the board and to talk matters over. The only reason assigned for his resignation is that he has some private interests and desires to look after them in vacation time instead of having his entire time taken up with the field work of the survey during the summer months.

He has not only directed the geological survey, but has each year actually done some of the field work himself. It is regarded as probable that he will be asked to continue at the head of the work with such relief as he may find necessary, and he given assurance that he will not be expected to do anything more than to direct the work in a broad way and to make up the reports and summaries.

But if this cannot be arranged there will be immediately precipitated a contest for the succession, and more or less of a contest between the two big colleges of the state engaged in scientific instruction. The opposing candidates for the place will be Prof. Frank A. Wilder, assistant professor of geology at the university, Iowa City, and Prof. S. W. Beyer, of the chair of geology and mining engineering at the State college, Ames.

Both are very able men and both have had to do with the field work of the geological survey. But the contest, if it comes to that, will be chiefly for the prestige of the college or the university. In view of the fact that the university has had leadership in this work a long time, the friends of the college feel that the state geologist might well be picked from Ames.

This will be related and the geological board will have a sharp and interesting contest on its hands.

Condition of Iowa Lakes.

Adjutant General Byers, who is authority on fishing at the lakes of northern Iowa, has been at Spirit lake and Okoboji. He tried still fishing in Spirit and was quite successful and had good luck trolling in Okoboji. He states that the cottages around Spirit lake are this year almost all filled for the first time in a number of years, and there is indication of a return to the popularity of that lake. The water in Spirit lake is about two feet higher than usual and in Okoboji about two feet lower.

The water is running over the portage from Spirit lake to Okoboji, something which has not happened before for several years.

Not in Collection Business. Governor Cummins this afternoon decided that he would not permit his office and brought to the foreign offices at Washington and London to be used as a Sioux City collection agency. He had issued last Tuesday requisition to be forwarded to London.

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The Old Fellows of this city gave a very pleasant social at the Independent Order of Odd Fellows' hall Thursday evening. A large number responded to the invitation. A very interesting program, consisting of vocal and instrumental music and recitation, was given, after which a dainty lunch was served.

A honor of the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding, Dr. and Mrs. E. L. Woodbury entertained at a family reunion and reception to a number of their friends.

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