

CURRENT NEWS OF IOWA COUNCIL BLUFFS.

MUSIC DRAWS A BIG CROWD

Several Thousand People Visit Fairmount Park During the Afternoon.

CONCERTS TO BE GIVEN EVERY SUNDAY

Park Commissioners Will Endeavor to Popularize the Place as Far as Funds at Command Will Permit.

The band concert at Fairmount park Sunday afternoon was listened to and appreciated by at least 2,000 persons. The park never looked prettier and the additional attraction of Albin Hunter's band made it doubly a drawing card yesterday.

The young people were out in full force and the swings and other amusements provided for them were fully enjoyed. The "Zoo" proved of much interest not only to the children, but to the elder folk as well.

During the band concert the hillside adjacent to the handsome bandstand were crowded with people, the whole presenting a decidedly picturesque and animated scene.

Yesterday's was the first grand concert given by the Board of Commissioners since the grandstand was erected at considerable cost nearly three years ago.

Comptroller of the Board of Commissioners, Graham is in favor of having these Sunday afternoon concerts, as they have always been well patronized by the public, and he stated yesterday that so long as the funds would permit they would be continued this summer.

This was the program given by Prof. Albin Hunter's band yesterday afternoon: Coronation March from the opera "The Prophet" Meyerbeer, Overture—Crown Diamonds, Strauss Selection from the opera "The Merry Widow" Ben Kendrick, Strauss Selection from the opera "The Merry Widow" Ben Kendrick, Strauss Selection from the opera "The Merry Widow" Ben Kendrick.

The ruling of the supreme court in the tax ferret case of August Bereshelm, guardian of J. B. Keeline, against County Treasurer Arnd is a decision in favor of the county. County Treasurer Arnd assessed Bereshelm as guardian of J. B. Keeline on \$50,000 for the years 1896, 1897, 1898 and 1899 and on \$75,000 for 1900, acting on a report of Tax Ferret Cunningham that he had been granted property to this amount which had been withheld from assessment.

Bereshelm appeal to the district court and the case was tried before Judge Wheeler, who held that Bereshelm was only liable for the assessment for the years 1896, 1897 and 1900, with interest from the first of January next to 1898, but that an interest in January next to 1898 was that the tax ferret law was not retroactive beyond 1898. While the supreme court upholds the tax ferret law it modifies Judge Wheeler's ruling by holding that taxes can be assessed back to 1898, but that an interest in January next to 1898 was that the tax ferret law was not retroactive beyond 1898.

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The store is in the middle of the block, just west of the postoffice and next door to a restaurant which is kept open the greater part of the night. Herr left a light burning in his shop as usual when he locked the place up Saturday night. The light makes the entire interior plainly visible from the street.

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READY FOR THE VETERANS

Largest Crowd that Has Attended Encampment for Years is Expected.

NO EXTRA SESSION OF LEGISLATURE

Governor of Opinion Calling One to Appropriate for Schools for Dead Would Open Up Too Many Other Matters.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) DES MOINES, May 19.—(Special.)—Preparations are being made for the Grand Army encampment in Des Moines this week and it is anticipated that a larger crowd will be present at the encampment than at any similar meeting in Iowa for many years.

Under a special order a bill for the restriction of irrigation will be taken up and it is expected will cause quite a lively debate. There is also a prospect of taking up the Hill bill, relating to subsidiary coaling measure will be strongly antagonized by the minority and may precipitate a discussion of the currency question.

Early in the week the committee on rules will hold a meeting to decide whether or not time shall be given for the consideration of the bill for a Pacific cable. Under a special order a bill for the restriction of irrigation will be taken up and it is expected will cause quite a lively debate.

There is no probability of an extra session of the Iowa legislature unless something new turns up. This was made plain at the meeting of the executive council when the despatch was received that the legislature would be adjourned on May 20th.

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The court and the diplomatic representatives here today took the oath to uphold the constitution as filled to its utmost capacity. The brilliant uniforms of the princes, diplomatic and military and naval officers, together with the toilettes of the women, contrasted strongly with the evening dress of the senators and deputies present.

A touching incident occurred as the members of the royal party were leaving the hall. All of them had left the chamber, with the exception of the king and the queen mother, when his majesty instinctively stepped aside to permit his mother to pass first. But the queen mother moved back and motioned her son that it was his place to go before her, now that her regency had ended and he reigned as king.

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INCIDENTS OF CORONATION

Queen Mother Sheds Tears of Joy at Ovation to Her Royal Son.

MADRID, May 19.—During the ceremonies yesterday attendant on the attaining of his majority by King Alfonso the queen mother was seen several times to wipe the tears from her eyes when the king received the ovations of the people. A pretty incident occurred while the royal procession was passing through the streets of the city.

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Old Man Run Down and Killed. FORT DODGE, Ia., May 19.—(Special Telegram.)—John Kinney, aged 75, was killed by a bus at a late hour Saturday night, being run over on a dark street while attempting to cross. Kinney was dead and did not hear the bus coming. Deceased has no relatives that can be located.

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Mother Gray's Sweet Powder

For Children. Mother Gray, for years a nurse in the Children's Home in New York, treated children successfully with a remedy called Mother Gray's Sweet Powder for Children. This is her formula as given to the drug stores.

Method and Principle of Hunter Whiskey

There are two stages in the perfection of this whiskey. The first is the distillation of the grain, and the second is the maturation of the spirit.

NO USE FOR CREED RELIGION

Dr. Van Dyke, Moderator of General Assembly, Pleads for Actual Christianity.

BEATS DOWN BARRIERS OF SECTARIANISM

Holds Up Christ as Only Example and Urges All Followers to Unite in Him for More Charitable Service.

NEW YORK, May 19.—The pulpits of the Presbyterian churches in Greater New York were, for the most part, filled Sunday with preachers from other places, all of the speakers being in attendance on the sessions of the general assembly.

Christ the Door. "I am the door." In one part of it he said: "Christ is the door of our faith. There is no advance in religious knowledge, except through the door of Christ. He leads us into the kingdom of God, and without Him there may be change, but the only possible improvement is to tune the music of our faith more closely to the keynote of His name. Every forward movement must be through Christ. His word is our chart. His spirit is our guide, His person our star. Our motto is: 'Not a new gospel, but more gospel!'"

Supreme Court Syllabi

1902. Yarnal against Hupp. Error from Red Willow. Affirmed. Hastings, C. Division No. 1. Unreported. 1. Signature and seal as a notary public sufficient to establish, at least prima facie, the character of notary in another state.

1903. Ashby against First National Bank of Burlington. Error from Clay. Affirmed. DuBois, C. Division No. 2. Unreported. 1. The fact that appraisers did not examine the interior of a house prior to the sale of the same does not constitute error.

1904. Buchanan against Edmisten. Appeal from Dawson. Former opinion affirmed. Hastings, C. Division No. 3. Unreported. 1. A party to a contract is bound by its terms, unless the contract is void, voidable, or unenforceable.

1905. Van Aulen against Mizner. Appeal from Saline. Reversed and remanded. Affirmed. Hastings, C. Division No. 4. Unreported. 1. The statute of limitations does not begin to run against an action to cancel a deed until the deed is recorded.

ADmits GIVING REBATES

Frisco Freight Agent Says His Road Made Illegal Concessions to Shippers.

DAVIS SELLS GRASS

Gravel roofing, A. H. Reed, 541 Broadway.

THIEVES LOOT TAILOR SHOP

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MOVEMENTS OF OCEAN VESSELS MAY 18.

At New York—Arrived: Algona, from Lehigh and Naples; Cyprus, from Liverpool and Queenstown; Statendam, from Rotterdam and Boulogne; Rome, from Marseilles and Naples.

At Auckland—Sailed: Sierra, from Sydney and Napier; Cyprus, from Liverpool and Queenstown; Statendam, from Rotterdam and Boulogne; Rome, from Marseilles and Naples.

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"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM—Your Vegetable Compound cured me of ulceration of the womb, and getting such a complete cure I felt that the medicine had genuine merit and was well worth recommending to other sick women.

"For fifteen years I have been your friend, I have never written you before, but I have advised hundreds of women to take your medicine, in fact it is the only real reliable remedy I know of for a sick woman.

"I have not yet found a case of ovarian or womb trouble which has not been relieved or cured by the faithful use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"You have brought health to hundreds of women in Minneapolis as you have no doubt to others over the country."—Mrs. ELLEN RIPLEY.

When women are troubled with irregular or painful menstruation, weakness, leucorrhoea, displacement or ulceration of the womb, that bearing-down feeling, inflammation of the ovaries, backache, flatulence, general debility, indigestion, and nervous prostration, they should remember there is one tried and true remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound at once removes such troubles.

No other medicine in the world has received such widespread and unqualified endorsement. No other medicine has such a record of cures of female troubles. Refuse to buy any other medicine.

System "House Cleaning" MULL'S GRAPE TONIC. You clean your house thoroughly every spring. If the plumbing is clogged you go to any expense to reopen it. Yet you overlook your own physical condition.

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