

COUNCIL BLUFFS

PEDAGOGUES IN CONFERENCE

Southwestern Iowa Teachers' Convention Begins Thursday Evening.

ELABORATE PROGRAM HAS BEEN PREPARED

Addresses Will Be Delivered by Frank Roberson, Miss Jane Addams, Dr. Loran D. Osborn and Orville T. Bright.

The meeting of the Southwestern Iowa Teachers' association to be held in this city Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week is expected to attract an attendance of between 500 and 700 teachers from outside Council Bluffs.

The program arranged for the meeting is said to be one of the best ever provided for the southwest and its equal in many respects to those of the state meetings.

The opening session will be Thursday evening and the principal feature of it will be an illustrated lecture on "Russia" by Frank Roberson.

Dr. Loran D. Osborn, president of Des Moines college, will deliver an address and Miss Jane Addams of Chicago will give an informal address on "The Hull House Settlement."

The principal feature of the open meeting Friday afternoon will be an illustrated lecture on "Outdoor Art for School and Home" by Orville T. Bright of Chicago.

From 4 to 5 o'clock the visiting teachers will be tendered a reception by the local teachers and refreshments will be served.

Friday evening the meeting will be devoted to an address by Miss Jane Addams on "Democracy and Education."

At the meeting Saturday morning which will bring the convention to a close addresses will be made by State Superintendent John F. Riggs of Des Moines and Dr. A. E. Winship of Boston.

Round Table Meetings. The conference meetings or round tables will be held Friday morning from 9:30 to 11 o'clock and of these there will be three as follows:

Methods—President H. H. Seerley, State Normal school, leader. City Superintendents and College People—President Charles E. Shelton, Simpson college, leader.

County Superintendents and Rural Teachers—State Superintendent John F. Riggs, Des Moines, leader. Principals of Grammar Grade Buildings—Principal Orville T. Bright, Chicago, leader.

High School Methods—Inspector of High Schools Prof. F. C. Egan, State university, leader. High School English—Prof. Lewis W. Smith, Drake university, leader.

Natural Science—Prof. Bohumil Shimek, State university, leader. Business Methods—President W. H. McCauley, Capital City Commercial college, Des Moines, leader.

Geography—Prof. W. H. Bender, State Normal school, leader. Primary Methods—Miss Alice E. Hopper, Highland Park college, leader.

Kindergarten Teachers—Miss Hattie A. Phillips, supervisor of kindergartens, Des Moines, leader. Music—Miss M. Lucie Forterfield, Council Bluffs, leader.

Drawing—Miss Kate Wolkman, Council Bluffs, leader. Program of Open Meetings. The program for the open meetings to be held in the Auditorium are as follows:

THURSDAY, 8 P. M. Music, "My Love is Like the Red, Red Rose" (Brandegee), Miss Barr. Invocation, President George N. Ellis, Taylor college.

Music, "An Open Secret" (Huntington Woodman), Miss Fordham. President's address, Superintendent H. H. Savage, Waterloo.

Music, "The Mabel Sings" (Oley Speaks), Madrigal quartet. Illustrated lecture, "Russia," Frank Roberson, New York.

ANNOUNCEMENTS. FRIDAY MORNING. 9:30—Address, "The Reflections of an Amateur," Dr. Loran D. Osborn, president Des Moines college.

9:30 to 11:00—Conference meetings in the different recitation rooms. 11:00—Music, "My Love is Like the Red, Red Rose" (Brandegee), Miss Barr.

Informal address, "The Hull House Settlement," Miss Jane Addams, Chicago. FRIDAY AFTERNOON. 2:00—Music, Chorus from seventh and eighth grades.

Illustrated lecture, "Outdoor Art for School and Home," Principal Orville T. Bright, Chicago. 4:30 to 5:30—Reception to our visiting friends by Council Bluffs teachers.

FRIDAY EVENING. 8:00—Music, "Democracy and Education," Miss Jane Addams, Chicago. SATURDAY MORNING. 9:30—Address, "Waste in Education," State Superintendent John F. Riggs, Des Moines.

9:30—Address, "Democracy and Education," Dr. A. E. Winship, Boston. Business. Adjournment.

AT THE PLAY HOUSES

Vaudeville at the Orpheum. Surprises live the bill at the vaudeville house this week.

Ed Howard and Frank North have a sketch that is lighted all the way through with originality and is cleverly acted.

"The Little Minister," at the Burwood. Barrie's beautiful love story, "The Little Minister," is being offered by the Woodward Stock company at the Burwood for the present week.

"Happy Hooligan," at the Krug. The full name of the play as given by the billboards is "Happy Hooligan's Trip Around the World."

"A Corner in Coffee," at the Boyd. Tim Murphy opened a return engagement at the Boyd last night, presenting "A Corner in Coffee," the Cyrus Townsend Brady comedy he is exploiting this season.

Announcements of the Theaters. At the Boyd theater this afternoon Dr. Crismon, the Paris beauty scientist, will deliver a free lecture to women only on his method for securing and retaining personal beauty.

Golden Wedding Celebrated. ONA Y. A. is Oct. 25—(Special)—Mr. and Mrs. James McWilliams of Ashton township recently celebrated their golden wedding.

Boy Accidentally Shot. Roy Hansen, a 15-year-old lad, who resides with his brother, W. D. Hansen, 21 North Eighth street, had a narrow escape yesterday from serious if not fatal injuries.

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The Race is On. "Jerusalem! I turned Lee loose, and I tell you when I do nobody gets ahead of me. My four dogs move in by signs of game. They're out ahead like mad and stand up on their hind legs to look. Then they'll jump into the air and whine softly. I'd forbidden them to bay. The wolf was carrying the hind quarters of a calf and did not sight me until I was within a thousand yards. When she did she dropped the meal she had intended for her whelps and flew for her life. She gained nearly half a mile in the first burst of her speed, but I knew the wolves. I saw her swerve. Away to the other side of the valley she saw a blue gulch. There you go, you devil!" said I, and pulled across the angle. Then the "Kentucky" in Lee began to come out. Mats of buffalo grass ran together like a smooth carpet under my feet, and the sparse July blossoms swept by like stars. Dry arroyos did not check him. He jumped over prairie dog holes, careful and clean, and he gained, gained. We were almost near enough for the dogs to sight her when the wolf dropped behind a little ridge and ran almost neck and neck to the mouth of the gulch. She beat us 500 yards, and the dogs had not seen her.

"I did not look for the end so soon, but just around the first bend I saw one last awkward puppy flying to come. Down into the mouth of a hidden den he plunged, and I knew the mother was there with her frightened young. I dismounted, and three of my dogs lay down in the shade of the rocks, but I took Fanny, my bravest stag-hound, and approached the den. There lay the bones of twenty calves gnawed and devoured. Hundreds more lay along the bed of the gulch. That den had been a stronghold for 100 years, safe between the toes of the Rockies.

"Fanny gave one look into my eyes and plunged into the dark hole. I heard one unearthly yell of rage and out she came, and close behind her the wolf, bristles up, desperate, nervous unto death. But her courage failed when she saw me and before the hound could turn she bolted for the open. I gave one yell. My three dogs in the shade sprang up and at last their eyes were fastened on the prey. The rocky canine snarled, and I mounted and rode after them. There was a battle royal on the prairie when I shot out of the gulch. The stag-hounds were almost upon her. Lord, how my blood boiled! I couldn't let them fight it out. I had to have a hand in the game.

"I never use a gun. I jerked my heavy wolf club from the pommel of the saddle and sprang in among my dogs. The wolf was a monster, larger than any dog I had. Fangs and claws and eyes were glittering all around me. Then is the time when my fifty-six year weigh on me like a feather. I'm like a savage in those few moments—like those first men who sprang out of their caves to battle with the prehistoric beast.

"Ah, I can scarcely remember it afterward. I had her foreleg in my left hand, my right foot on her neck, and 'plug' my club came down. That was all. I carried my prize to the ranch and there met Ashbrook, just in from Marland with fourteen dogs. We caught the male wolf next morning and within a few days the great den, and others in Dry Spotted-Tail, were no more."

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