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Ought to all go this week. Sprigs and Mattresses way down. Don't forget side-board bargains.



CITY NEWS.

P. Wolfe, horseshoer, 16 S. 10th. Use The Gate City when you want to rent a house or see one. Send the children down to Dodge's theatre tomorrow afternoon to see "Awakening of the Toys."

CITY NEWS.

Hear Rev. Tralle's lecture Friday night at Baptist church. The semi annual meeting of the Trinity Young Men's club will be held tomorrow evening at the home of Rev. J. W. Potter. Officers will be elected.

Lawrence Deo, a native Philippine, was arrested last evening by Officer Holliday for assault and battery. He struck Mrs. Kid Carter in the mouth with a bottle at her home.

The missionary, Father Pregoner, C. S. R. R., will lecture tonight at St. Mary's church. He will also answer all the questions that have been dropped into the Question Box since the last Lenten lecture by the Rev. Dr. G. Gliginger.

The river light will be lighted on April 15, according to the following notice from the inspector of the 15th district: "Notice is hereby given that the government post lights on the Mississippi river from Nauvoo to Burlington will be lighted for the first time this season on the night of April 15."

A petition was filed this morning with the city clerk by W. B. Collins stating that the law provides that all accounts of the city be kept separate and distinct and requests that all city officials receiving money, separate it and so deposit it. His petition warns the council that it shall not appropriate any money in excess of the legally authorized revenue.

Many stories are always circulated after a very close election, such as Keokuk had Monday. A resident of the Second ward claims the honor of electing Charles Off mayor of the city. It happened this way: About a minute before 7 o'clock, the hour which the polls close, this Second ward voter and his two sons arrived at the Second ward poll to cast their votes for the democratic ticket.

CITY NEWS.

Smoke Moeller's Silver Ash cigar. See the new bill at Dodge's theatre. Robert A. Kayser, of the post office, is ill at his home, 729 Ridge street. The Federation of Laymen will have a meeting Friday evening, it being the regular quarterly meeting of the organization.

Little improvement was announced today in the condition of Mrs. Kendrick, wife of Rev. A. V. Kendrick, and she is still very low. Send the children down to Dodge's Theatre to the special matinee tomorrow. Two school children admitted on one ticket, five cents for the ticket.

Traveling passenger agents for a number of western lines are in the city soliciting business for the Elks convention to be held in Los Angeles and to the Seattle exposition. A marriage license was issued this morning to James McCarty and Annie Violette Scovern, both twenty years of age and both of Vincennes.

The following from a Cedar Rapids paper will be of interest to the many friends here of Rev. Pratt who was a former pastor of the Unitarian church: Rev. W. A. Pratt, who recently relinquished the work of the Liberal Christian church in this city will fill the pulpit of the Unitarian church in Omaha until the summer vacation, as Rev. Newton Mann, the pastor, is going away on an extended leave of absence.

Des Moines News: "I am enjoying life." Stranded in Des Moines without enough money to get even one of his eight children or his wife through to Fonda, their destination, John Hill contentedly lounged on a couch at the Volunteer mission this morning, ruminatively gazed at the ceiling and declared he wasn't worried a mite. Tiring of their home in Golden, Ill., with the most optimistic faith in the world, the Hill family broke up housekeeping and started for Fonda. They went broke at Burlington and were sent as far as Des Moines by that city. In rags and tatters, the mother carrying a six months old baby, the youngest of eight, all under twelve years of age, the happy family landed in Des Moines yesterday and are being cared for by the Volunteers. They want to be sent on to Fonda. Maybe they can get there. Maybe they can't. But it doesn't worry John Hill a mite.

Notice to Contractors.

The Presbyterian church at Elvaston, Illinois, is to be raised up and a basement story of 9 ft. in the clear is to be constructed under the entire building. There will also be a new hot air heating plant and an acetylene light plant with other improvements, for all of which plans and specifications are now ready and may be seen at Presbyterian parsonage in Elvaston or at the office of George W. Payne, architect in Carthage, Ill. Bids will be received for the above improvements until May 1, 1909. The heating and lighting plants will be let separate, all other improvements to be let in one contract.

GEORGE A. MARSHALL, Secretary.

CITY NEWS.

Ewer's Grand Leader, best 5c cigar. Dr. Colby, Dentist, over Younker's. Congregational sale and market at the chapel Saturday.

An extra chair car was put on No. 12 this morning and taken south to Hannibal. C. M. Hart who has been ill for the past few days with lagrippe, will return to his railroad duties tomorrow.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Thomas Peevler was held yesterday afternoon at Sandusky. Rev. Eli Rhodes conducting the services. Two school children admitted on one ticket at the special matinee at Dodge's theatre tomorrow. Special program for children.

Charles D. Smith of Quincy, aged 60 years, and Rosa Scheffy of Warsaw, aged 47 years, were married this morning by Justice James S. Burrows in the office of the county clerk.

J. H. Harper, traveling freight and passenger agent for the San Pedro railroad, the new line from Salt Lake to Los Angeles, was in the city today in the interest of his road.

Gate City readers are asked to watch for the new Easter song, "Hosanna," which is to appear in this paper this week. It is a beautiful selection and music lovers will appreciate it. It is by Jules Granier.

The local telegraph companies were having trouble today getting wires to handle their business. Manager Tracey of the Western Union said that the trouble appeared to be east of Galesburg.

For the consideration of \$500 L. L. Hine has deeded to Willian. Weirather the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section 22, township 65, north range 5 west, in Jackson township.

A marriage license was issued this morning to Robert O. Huff, aged 33 years, and Edith C. Hickman, aged 27, both of Sciota, Ill. The couple were accompanied to Keokuk by Preston H. Hickman and were to be married by a minister during the day.

Dr. George F. Jenkins made the principal address Monday evening at Des Moines at the banquet given the graduates of the Drake university. Two hundred and fifty doctors and students were present at the banquet which was held at the Savery Hotel.

Keokuk friends have received word from Judge Logan from Havana, Cuba, that he expected to leave that city Monday for Miami, Florida, where he will remain for a few days. His health was fairly good, although he had not been able to entirely free himself from his rheumatism.

A hole as big as a barrel made its appearance this morning between Main and Lucas Avenue. Being near where the telephone conduit was placed it was likely caused by improper filling. It would have been a dangerous hole had it made its appearance at night and the fire department ran into it.

HAMILTON, ILL.

The township election passed off quietly and with satisfaction—to those elected. No one but the candidates seemed much interested and good men were on the regular tickets of both parties. The city election two weeks later is what will stir things. F. Maire left early in the week for southern Missouri where he has secured a considerable tract of land, trading his interests in Hamilton.

Rev. Nelson Hall is keeping bachelor's hall for a couple of weeks as Mrs. Hall and babe are with the lady's parents in Kewanee.

Miss Hazel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Russell, underwent an operation for appendicitis in one of the Keokuk hospitals last Sunday morning. At latest advice, she was making rapid progress toward recovery.

Mrs. John Buss and little daughter left Wednesday morning for a visit at Golden, Illinois.

Clark Baldon of Peoria, visited the family of his uncle, K. H. Louis, a few days ago, the first time he has been in Hamilton for about seventeen years.

Another Failure for Zeppelin. BERLIN, April 7.—The Zeppelin airship again failed to accomplish the 24 hour endurance of flight, landing today after having been in the air 14 hours. Zeppelin was not aboard, the airship being manned by a military crew.

If you have backache and urinary troubles you should take Foley's Kidney Remedy to strengthen and build up the kidneys so they will act properly, as a serious kidney trouble may develop. Wilkinson & Co.

ATTENTION REBEKAHS.

Members of Colfax Rebekah lodge are requested to meet at I. O. O. F. hall Thursday afternoon at 1 o'clock, sharp, to attend the funeral of our deceased sister, Mrs. Catherine Dimond. By order of Noble Grand.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

Anything in the painting or papering line will be promptly tended to by calling on 929 R. 599 R. 3330. We also recommend the following firms: A. S. Hill, 4th and Main, phone, Hublinger 365, Harris & Nelson, John J. Moore, Duncan-Schell Co.

Easter Ball.

The dancing school conducted by Mrs. M. Corse will give a dance at Hawkeye hall, Monday, April 12 and continue every Wednesday night.

The Latest in SPRING SUITS

We would advise those contemplating the purchase of a Spring Suit to see the beautiful assortment we now have in all sizes, and in the most desirable materials in the new shades of violet, wistaria, catawba, cedar, smoke, reseda, navy and black, only one suit of a kind and about 200 to select from.

As the season advances the stock will of course become broken, so now is the very best time to select your Easter Suit. Prices range from

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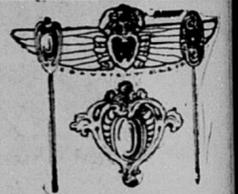
CITY NEWS

Will Dimond has been called to Keokuk by the death of his aged grandmother, Mrs. Catherine Dimond, whose funeral is to be held tomorrow afternoon.

The county board of supervisors have entered into a contract with C. S. Guthrie of Muscatine to collect the unpaid personal tax remaining delinquent on the 31st day of December, 1908, as shown by the tax books of Lee county, and is authorized to take such steps for collecting same as is authorized by the laws of Iowa. He is to receive for his services the legal fees and percentage allowed by the state code.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

JACOBS—The funeral service for the late Mrs. J. H. Jacobs will be held from the residence, 1202 Exchange st., Thursday afternoon at 2:30. Friends invited. Burial private.



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