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CITY NEWS.

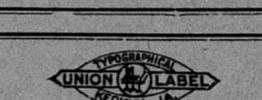
—Read The Daily Gate City. —In a report on life insurance paid in Iowa during the past year, the Insurance Press of New York places Keokuk in fifth place with \$105,126. The Iowa cities come in the following order: Cedar Rapids, Dubuque, Des Moines, Sioux City and Keokuk. —The monthly weather summary for May has just been issued by Observer Goswisch and shows no records broken. There were 17 clear days, 11 partly cloudy days, 2 cloudy days and 11 days when there was rain. The highest temperature was 89 on the 5th, while the lowest was 31 on the 3rd day. The total rainfall was but 3.03 which is much less than usual.

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CITY NEWS.

—P. Wolfe, horsehoing, 16 S. 10th. —A marriage license was issued yesterday afternoon to Peter J. Butgea and Jennie M. Spencer, both of Warsaw. —The supreme court of Iowa today reversed the district court decision in the case of Krehbiel vs. Henkle, a case which was tried at Fort Madison recently. —There were 24 marriage licenses issued in Keokuk during the month of May. For June of last year there were 29 and the present month is expected to beat that record. —For the consideration of \$20, the trustees of Mount Olive Baptist church of New Boston have deeded to Agnes Slater a part of lot 29 in New Boston, containing 6 square rods. —The Odd Fellows Memorial day will be Sunday, June 20. The committee has not as yet decided whether the exercises will be held in the lodge room or at the cemetery. —The steamer St. Paul did not arrive in port yesterday probably on account of repairs but is expected today. Captain Mills and Pilots Williams and Richtman are awaiting the boat here. —The Fort Madison high school commencement was held last evening. The graduation class this year was composed of the following: Eva Margaret Armstrong, Bertha Lena Moline, Alfred Luske Benbow, Buenna Bertie Newberry, Etta Mae Breen, Edward Harrington Pollard, Nan Erma Britton, Joseph Ernest Richmond, Agnes Lorraine Dinan, Helen Mae Robinson, Gale E. Elliott, Iowa Rebekah Saunders, Laura Adele Fry, Erla Gay Smith, Sabert Stuart Hamilton, Margaret Lena Stouvenel, Clarence Thomas Hull, Laura Mae Townler, Hazel S. Hunt, Leah Olive Walter, Helen Blanche Johnson, Opal Beverly Watkins, Laura Korklan, Bertha Wright, Tress Lillian Mitchell, Albert Ellis Young, D. W. Young. —A great treat was enjoyed last Friday night at the Fifteenth and Bank street Christian church by quite a number of earnest listeners who were well paid for their time and attention by the Rev. N. E. Corey on his lecture, "Incidents and Lessons of Twelve Voyages Across the Atlantic Ocean." His minute description of experience and events of a sea voyage was told so entertainingly, instructive and complete that glad praise was extended to him from all who heard him. Next Friday night, June 4, he will make another intellectual voyage, starting at the same place, Fifteenth and Bank street at 8 p. m., landing at Liverpool, going from there to Ireland with its scenic beauty and will stop at the Blarney stone and visit the Giant's Causeway and the caves, then passing through Wales will go to London, giving a description of the English railway system so much different from ours and other interesting things.

JOHN LEEZER DIED SUDDENLY

Well Known Resident of Keokuk Passed Away While at Work at 2:10 Yesterday Afternoon.

LONG IN CIGAR BUSINESS

Had Been Proprietor of a Cigar Store in Keokuk Between Fourth and Fifth For Thirty-Seven Years.

As the Gate City was being distributed to the carrier boys yesterday afternoon shortly after 2 o'clock the news of the sudden death of John Leezer was flashed forth, that estimable old gentleman passing away while sitting on a stool making cigars at his place of business, No. 16 North Twelfth street. Mr. Leezer had been up and around Saturday and Sunday and had been an early riser Monday morning. He went to work as usual. At 2:10 in the afternoon he quietly bowed his head and drew his last breath, his active life being brought to a termination to the sorrow of his beloved wife, relatives and hundreds of friends. John Leezer was well known in Keokuk and had scores of friends in his city. He was well liked both by his social and business friends and was never known to say an ill word of any one. Although not a member of any church he was a believer in Christ and before his death and during a recent illness stated that he had made peace with God and was ready to be called at any time.

In Business a Long Time.

John Leezer had been in business in Keokuk for forty years, being a cigar maker and proprietor all of that time. For thirty-seven years he was in the cigar business between Fourth and Fifth on Main streets and during the last three years had conducted a place of business at No. 16 North Twelfth street.

He was born in Fairview, Ohio, December 30, 1836. His first marriage was to Armenta Goodridge, which occurred December 24, 1872. His second marriage was to Henrietta Etta Pflug and took place September 16, 1890. Mr. Leezer's last marriage was to Jennie Cramblit December 21, 1899, who still survives.

Besides his beloved wife he is survived by a son, J. W., of Helstead, Penn., sister Mrs. Lizzie Harris, of Chesterhill, Ohio, sister-in-law, Mrs. S. E. Leezer, nephew, N. W., of Datin, Ohio, niece, Mrs. Maude Banks of Chicago, and three grandchildren.

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—O. G. Sargent has quitclaimed to N. C. Nelson, the north half of the south half of section 6, township 66 north, of range 6 west. —The steamer Columbia arrived in port yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from Klettsburg with a large excursion. The boat remained until four o'clock and after coaling up here left for the return trip. —There was a heavy storm west of Keokuk last evening. At 9:30 o'clock dark clouds could be seen in the west and there was considerable lightning in the sky, but the storm did not reach here. The people up the state a few miles got a good soaking. —A marriage license was issued this morning to Jesse R. LaCroix of Nauvoo and Miss Edrie Thorber, of Ferris, a young couple who came to the city accompanied by Dr. George Fegers of Nauvoo. They were married by Rev. George C. Williams, pastor of the Congregational church, at his residence. —The Keokuk daily newspapers had an agreement yesterday that each would go to press with their early afternoon editions which are printed shortly after 2 o'clock. The Gate City lived up to its promise and was issued an hour earlier than customary on account of Memorial day, but it was the only paper which kept its word. —In the Des Moines Register and Leader of last Sunday, appeared a page article with illustrations, about Edward M. Roberts of Fort Madison, who is claimed to be the youngest soldier of the Civil war. He was born December 21, 1863 in camp and was enrolled as a soldier, having in his possession all of the necessary papers to prove his claim.

A TRIBUTE TO FATHER VAUGHAN

The Late Catholic Priest Who Had a Great Many Friends in Keokuk Where He Was Beloved.

WAS ONCE AN ACTOR

He Was Ordained a Priest Twelve Years Ago and Died at the Age of Forty-Five Years.

The late Father Vaughan of Dubuque, whose death was noted in these columns several days ago, was well known in Keokuk where he had a great many friends who will be interested in the following notice of his death, taken from a recent issue of the Catholic Messenger:

Rev. Laurence J. Vaughan, pastor of Cuba City, died at Mercy Hospital, Dubuque, Iowa, at an early hour on Monday morning, the result of an operation about two weeks ago. He was born in Fon du Lac, Wis., forty-five years ago and early in his youth, being drawn by the force of his own peculiar gifts into the dramatic field, entered upon a career of the stage. His success was meteoric and he essayed the heavier roles, taking up the Shakespearean plays during the course of his brief but brilliant career, behind the footlights, distinguishing himself with a temperament, that had he chosen to remain in the dramatic field, would have distinguished him as a man of the highest rank in the profession.

But the call to the higher life came to the man who had stirred thousands by the fire of his dramatic art and listening to the call, he heeded. Twelve years ago, after pursuing a course in St. John's University, he was ordained to the priesthood, returning to his native state shortly afterwards and becoming an assistant pastor at Eau Claire, afterwards having charge of a parish at Erick, Wis., and later at Altoona, Wis., where he founded a school for boys and which he conducted for a number of years.

Interested in Youth.

His efforts in behalf of the education of the youth and especially of dependent boys was far-reaching. But it was necessary to support this worthy institution and Father Vaughan accepted numerous calls to appear on the lecture platform, donating the proceeds of his work to the support of his great and worthy institution. The work grew and the number of boys increased. The heart of the priest could not but heed the cry of distress, and he found it impossible to turn a deaf ear when the plaintive cry of some homeless waif came to him. And so his work grew to mammoth proportions and his lecture work increased. Few of the thousands who have been thrilled by the wonder of his eloquence, who have been charmed by the show of temperament of the man knew that back of his power and magnetism lay the great cause, his passion for humanity, in rescuing boys from the streets, the power that made his words burn in the hearts of those listened and sent them away better men and women.

In the passing of Father Vaughan, not only his parish at Cuba City, but the entire west suffers a great loss. His life had been lived so largely, so broadly, and his death had found him at the zenith of his splendid career. For Father Vaughan had been a priest indeed. Without thought of self, he had gone forth in his mission work, suffering oftentimes privations that he might be of the greater service. A man gifted with a temperament artistic in the extreme, and given also the great passion for souls it was but natural that his life should be one different from that of others that his years, brief as they were, for death claimed him early, should be fraught with blessings which will long leave their impress upon the world.

Father Vaughan is survived by three sisters and one brother, one sister, Mrs. Trew, being a resident of Janesville, where the body of the beloved priest will be taken for burial.

The entire countryside about Cuba City is in grief over the passing of the brilliant young priest whose fatherly care during his time in the community had meant so much to the people. In large delegations they vis-

ORANGES RIPENING

(Special Correspondent) Climatic conditions are most favorable for the ripening of the new crop of California navel oranges, and their flavor promises to be more distinctly delicious than ever. Up to the present time the weather has been perfect, and the growers are anticipating a harvest which for quality bids fair to excel that of any former season. The rare succulence of these "navels," oranges is largely due to the extreme care taken in their cultivation and the perfect weather conditions under which they are ripening. Orange culture has been brought to a high state of perfection in California during the past few years, and the forthcoming crop will bear evidence of this fact in the unusually inviting appearance of the fruit as well as in its rarely delicious flavor and juicy richness.

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ed the church not once but many times during the day paying their silent tributes of tears and flowers, mingled with deep and sincere love and grief to the memory of a man who came amongst them to share with them their joys and their sorrows to be a priest and a friend and to give into their lives lessons of the deepest and truest christianity.

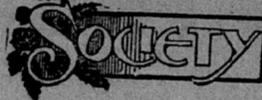
The Difference.

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The Woman's Alliance of the Unitarian church met this afternoon with Mrs. Burrows, at her home, No. 1506 Franklin street.

Quite a large number of young people enjoyed the dance given last evening in Hawkes hall by P. L. Kennedy. Music was furnished for dancing by the Agne orchestra.

The S. T. S. G. club enjoyed a party last evening in honor of the club's president, Miss Meta Hummer, who graduates from the Keokuk high school with the class of '09. Miss Kummer received handsome souvenir spoons from the members present.

This morning at the parsonage of Rev. George C. Williams, pastor of the Congregational church, occurred the marriage of Miss Edrie Thorber, of Powellton, to Mr. Jesse LaCroix, of Nauvoo. The couple are two of the best known young people of Hancock county and have a host of friends in that part of Illinois. They have the best wishes of hundreds of friends in their happy union.

A wedding in which many Keokuk people are interested will occur Wednesday morning at Nauvoo which will unite two young people of that place in the happy bonds of matrimony. It will be the marriage of Miss Nelly E. Nelson, a charming young lady of that place, to Mr. Wesley H. Schneider, and will occur at the parsonage of Father Reimbold in the morning at 10 o'clock, in the presence of relatives and a few friends. Mr. Schneider, the groom, is very well known in Keokuk and has a score of friends among the young people. Only several years ago he was a pharmacist for the drug store of McGrath Bros. here and was extremely well liked by those with whom he came in contact in both a business and social way. Both young people have the congratulations of friends in Keokuk and Nauvoo on the event of this happy day.

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