

# \$100,000 TO BE SPENT ON HOSPITAL WING

### A New Wing Costing \$100,000 Will be Added to the Present Graham Hospital and Others Will Follow Shortly.

## WILL PROVE HANDSOME ADDITIONS

### Meeting of the Building Committee Was Held Last Evening and Contracts for Building New Wing Was Let.

Keokuk's chief pride is in her many and beautiful institutions, both public and private and with additional fine works of architecture and the steady increase, especially in public institutions, the heart of the public minded citizen is caused to beat faster and with much pride.

With a meeting of the building committee of the Graham hospital last evening, comes the announcement today of the building of a ten thousand dollar wing to the present building located at Fifteenth and Fulton streets. And the good work will not stop there but within the next several years, not less than \$100,000 will be spent in other additional wings, which will adjoin the present frame and brick structure.

The meeting of the committee composed of Miss Mary C. Jackson, chairman, Henry Hulskamp, M. E. Justice, Mrs. Dr. Kate Machin, Mrs. T. R. Beard, Mrs. William Blood and Dr. F. B. Dorsey, was held at eight o'clock last evening and the contract let to the lowest bidder, F. N. Swan. Work will commence immediately and by next spring, not later than the first of June, and possibly by April, the handsome new wing which is to adjoin the present Graham hospital will be completed and ready for the reception of patients.

**The New Structure.**

The new wing structure will extend from the south wall of the present structure to the alley and will front on Fifteenth street, forty-one and one-half feet and in length seventy-two feet. It will be built of red hard burned brick and will be two stories high with a large basement under the entire, the whole to be built of the most modern and best of materials and when completed will present a most handsome appearance. The blue prints and plans of the architect give in minute detail, the work of building the new wing and from plans drawn up, a comfortable and modern home for patients of the institution will be ready within a few months' time now.

**The Rooms.**

There will be fourteen rooms for patients, ten of these to be supplied

with private baths. Aside from these on each floor will be a diet kitchen, and etherizing, sterilizing and operating rooms. A large kitchen and ample new dining room are also provided in the plans of the architect. These will be on the basement floor.

The private rooms for patients will be 14x12 feet and will be prettily finished. The wood work finishings will be in hard yellow-stained, pine and the floors of hard wood.

There will be entering from the large corridor, an office for the superintendent.

An elevator and equipment will also be installed.

**The Operating Rooms.**

One of the finest operating rooms in the city will be established with the completion of the new wing structure at Graham hospital. The room for this purpose will be fitted out in most modern equipment and will be finished finely. The floor will be of tile.

Almost an entire new heating plant will be installed, the most modern obtainable. The contract for plumbing and heating the building have not been let. The wiring has been let to the King Plumbing Co. Both gas and electricity will be used for lighting purposes.

On both the first and second floors will be a sun room at the end of the corridors.

**Back of the Building.**

In the building of the new wing and of the proposed one hundred thousand dollar addition to the present Graham hospital, all of the protestant churches of the city are represented. Those who have the work of building directly in hand is the Home Missionary society of the Methodist Episcopal church which is under deaconess management, Miss Mary C. Jackson being superintendent and Miss Wilhelmnia A. Wirtz, assistant superintendent. The members of the different churches of the city and the Iowa conference of the Methodist Episcopal church are behind the building project and without doubt the building of the proposed new wings will be eminently successful.

In the work of raising money for

## KEPT PRISONER BY AWFUL HUMOR

### Whole Body Covered and Head So Bad She Could Not Comb Hair—Sight Affected—Neighbor Begged Her to Use Cuticura—It Cooled the Itching Flesh and

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"Words cannot express the awful skin disease I suffered with. My whole body was covered with it. My head broke out so that I could not comb my hair. For a month or more I suffered with a terrible sore throat. When I should lie down at night my eyes would stick together and I would have to bathe them before opening them each morning. I scarcely could see for my eyes had failed me from the effect of the skin disease. I tried three doctors, but they gave me no relief and then I tried all kinds of things that I thought would do me good but I could find nothing. I was a perfect prisoner with the awful humor.

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The institution the Ladies Guild of Graham hospital has been instrumental and has helped in many ways in raising money for the upbuilding and maintenance of the institution. During the past years there has been a great amount of charitable work, work that cannot be praised too highly, done by this one of the city's strongest institutions and every one is glad today with the announcement of the building of additional wings to the present institution.

**Graham Opened.**

The present Graham hospital was opened September 23, 1901, and since that time has done a commendable and noble work in the caring of patients and those who have taken medical treatment within its doors.

When the proposed new wings have been completed within the course of a few year's time, the hospital will cover a large area and will be capable of caring for one hundred or more patients. The present hospital

## Free Sample Aids Old Men

The sudden change from years of activity of both body and mind to the quiet of later years causes the human system to undergo many changes, chief of which is in the digestive organs.

It becomes harder and harder to get the bowels to move promptly and regularly and in consequence many elderly men suffer not only from the basic trouble, constipation, but from indigestion, headache, bloating, sour stomach, nervousness after eating and similar annoyances. It is first of all necessary to keep the bowels open and then to tone the digestive muscles so as to get them to again do their work naturally. A violent cathartic or purgative is not only unnecessary but harmful, and something mild will do the work just as well.

After you have got through experimenting with salts and pills and waters of various kinds, and have become convinced that they do only temporary good at best, then try Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, a mild, gentle, pleasant-tasting laxative tonic that is especially adapted to the requirements of old people, women and children, and yet is effective enough for anybody. Your druggist, who has handled it successfully for a quarter of a century, will sell you a bottle for fifty cents or one dollar, but if you want to make a test of it before spending any money send your name and address to Dr. Caldwell and he will gladly send you a sample bottle free of charge.

This remedy is rapidly displacing all other forms of medication for the cure of stomach, liver and bowel trouble, and families like Mr. O. F. Wisler's of Sycamore, Ill., and Mrs. Carrie Culler's of 235 N. West Street, South Bend, Ind., are now never without it in the house. They have tested it and know its grand value to every member of the family.

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## WARSAW SENDS POULTRY PENS

That Place is Well Represented at the Keokuk Chicken Show This Week by a Number of Exhibitors.

## OTHER WARSAW ITEMS

The Opera House is Being Improved Right Along and the Amusement Loving People are Very Appreciative.

WARSAW, Ill., Nov. 23.—Warsaw poultry breeders are well represented at the Keokuk poultry show. Yesterday the following entries were made: Harry Blesner, 1 Coop Buff Plymouth Rock; Chas. Parr, 1 Coop Buff Wyandottes; George Spitzle, 2 Coops Barred Rocks; Grebe and Erdmann, 2 Coops Silver Wyandottes. There will be a big Warsaw delegation at the Keokuk show next Thursday.

Mrs. J. B. Worthen and daughter Miss Ella are visiting in Chicago.

Prof. W. L. Cannon, the blind pianist is drawing large audiences at the rooms of the Olney Music Co. every day and evening.

Rev. C. E. Hills the evangelist preached in the M. E. church Sunday morning and opened his revival services in the evening at the Presbyterian church, both congregations uniting in the latter service. The church was crowded to the doors, every available inch of space being filled. Mrs. Emily Collins sang in her usual charming manner, assisted by a chorus choir. The meetings will be held every night for at least two weeks. Rev. Hills comes highly recommended from places he has been, and has a very forcible and convincing delivery reminding one somewhat of the great Billy Sunday, with none of the latter's coarseness of expression and illustration.

Mrs. Wm. Stevens went to Chicago with her son Fred on Friday last, where he returned to his clerical duties after his vacation here.

Everyone is on the quiver of expectancy in anticipation of the treat in store for them on Wednesday evening, when Lowery and Morgan's twenty-five piece colored minstrels with band and orchestra appear before a Warsaw audience for the first time. The fact of their being billed in Keokuk at the Grand for matinee and evening on Thanksgiving is a sufficient guarantee of their merit.

Manager Rattermann of the opera house, is continually adding some improvement for the betterment of this popular place of amusement. He has lately improved the lighting of the stage, and has added a large set of Japanese lanterns to be used in certain scenes with artistic effect. The

is planning to secure an up-to-date moving picture machine with the latest and most popular films, two exhibitions to be given each week during the winter. Nothing is too good for Warsaw, for she is a booster of the boosters.

W. Ross Kirkbride, acceptably filling the position of T. P. & W. agent here, for several years past and operator at this station for many years previous, has resigned on account of ill health and will take a needed rest. Ed Moore, operator is for the present, acting agent.

Ten more button machines have been been added at the button factory, making the full complement 90.

On Saturday night the Main street sidewalks were crowded with pedestrians, the bank as usual was open for an hour for the convenience of wage earners, and all was hurry and bustle in the stores. Truly Keokuk even could not boast of a busier scene; this is a great contrast to five years ago, but a common occurrence nowadays.

Mr. John Heise one of our oldest German citizens is lying very ill with no hope of recovery.

The Presbyterian ladies bazaar and supper on Thursday and Friday evenings last netted quite a sum for their treasury, besides providing a pleasing social diversion.

The work of laying water pipe is progressing more rapidly, but it is

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feared winter will stop the work before completion.

At the request of Mayor Brinkmann, who always has the comfort and convenience of the public at heart, Supt. A. D. Ayers of the trolley line has changed the hour of departure of three of the cars so that close connection will be made with trains at Keokuk and Hamilton, the 1:05 p. m. car now leave at 12:45, the 4:45 p. m. car at 4:30 and the 6:55 p. m. cars at 6:45 p. m. This change which went into effect Nov. 21 will be greatly appreciated by the traveling public and by none more than by traveling salesmen. Warsaw extends her warmest thanks to Supt. Ayers for the happy realization of her hopes and assures him that his efforts cannot be too heartily appreciated. Thanks are also extended to Mayor Brinkmann for his kindly offers.

Harry Choate, the actor, may come to Warsaw this fall and train a company of amateurs to present a popular play for the benefit of a worthy cause.

Geo. B. Worthen has gone to Charleston, S. C., to spend the winter. His son, Jesse the civil engineer resides there with his family, and has a responsible position.

Mrs. Mattie Brown of Chicago is here visiting relatives. She was called for the death of her aunt, Mrs. Eudocia B. Marsh.

Warsaw's factories pay out \$3,150.00 per week in wages. How is that for a little town?

An Epworth League has been organized in the M. E. church with twenty members. The officers are: President, Miss Leola Redeforth; First Vice-President, Miss Lydia Jotter; Third Vice-President Miss Jessie Bell; Fourth Vice-President, Mrs. H. H. Grant, Secretary, Miss Ione Ishom; Treasurer, H. H. Grant.

Freight receipts on the T. P. & W. last month at this station was \$5,000. Shipments about \$10,000.

Fred Rattermann is home and will be here all the week.

Chas. Parr is the happy father of a bouncing baby girl that arrived Tuesday, and Oscar Schilling welcomed his first born—a son—on the same day.

The button factory pay roll has reached \$1,000 per week.

Mayor Brinkmann has had a cement sidewalk laid in front of his residence.

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