

ROCK ISLAND OFFICIALS HERE

Twenty of the Brass Collars of that Road Were in the City this Afternoon on Tour of Inspection.

WATER POWER WORKS

Visiting Railroad Officials Taken to the Illinois Shore of the River to View the Dam Site.

Twenty Rock Island officials, heads of the various departments of that road, arrived in the city this afternoon from Des Moines, in five special cars, on a tour of inspection. The big party of officials were received in this city by the Commercial club and conveyed to the Illinois side of the river, where the visitors could see the water power works, as far as it is completed.

Those who conveyed the party to the Illinois shore in their autos were: Messrs. F. A. Wedler, George Hartel, C. R. Joy, Frank Swan, Ralph Winger, Charles Warwick, John Wooster and Paul King.

The officials will leave this evening at 7:20 o'clock for Burlington, their cars to be attached to train No. 13 of the Q. From there they will make a detour over the lines of the Rock Island in the state before returning to headquarters.

CITY NEWS.

—Chicken pie Y. W. C. A. Thursday. —Ben Kepler has quit claimed to Hughes and McCoid lot 4, block 12, town of Croton.

—A marriage license was issued this afternoon to James O. Dean and Miss Susie M. McGin, both of Carthage.

—A number of Keokuk people will attend the Elk's play "Careless Cupid" to be presented in Fort Madison tomorrow night.

—Wm. Henry has transferred to Magdalena Francis Druke lot 10, block 202. The property is between Thirteenth and Fourteenth on Exchange.

—The patrolmen of the Keokuk police force received their handsome new uniforms today and will don the same tomorrow. The police force garbed in their new clothes will cut a fine appearance in the city from the looks of several of the officers who tried on their new suits this morning.

—The police department has received orders to make arrests of any young couples found after dark on the streets, or standing or sitting in Main street doorways.

—Pitchers Blue Jacket and Burch accompanied Manager Frank Belt home last night from Kewanee. Edlek will pitch this afternoon against the Boilermakers.

—Emil Welch has transferred to Adolph R. Renard forty-five feet across lots 1 and 2 and 2 in block 42, Kilbourne addition. The consideration was \$800. A deed to the same property was made by Adolph R. Renard to Lena Renard. In turn Lena Renard and George Renard, her husband, transferred the property to Flora McManis.

—A meeting of the board of directors of the Y. W. C. A. was held this afternoon at three o'clock in the reading rooms of the association. The meeting was the regular monthly business session of the officers and directors of the association.

—Grace Crowley and Gert Stanley, two well known denizens of "Rag Alley" and quite prominent in police circles, signed papers this morning whereby they agreed to leave the city for a period of three years, not to return. Grace Crowley who has been in the county jail, serving sentence for the past ten days was released on the condition that she leave the city.

—Barker Davis, Junior Hawkes, Charles King, Ralph Teabeau, Helms Pease and Roy Strickler leave Friday noon for Iowa City to take part in the second university invitation meet. Coach Belknap will leave Saturday morning to look after the men on the field. He expects his men to win several points, as the meet is considered slower than the Tri-State, held here last Saturday, at which the Keokuk men made a very creditable showing.

—President M. E. Justice of the Central Association, stated this afternoon that he accepted an invitation to attend the opening game at Monmouth tomorrow, and hence will be unable to be at Hubinger park for the opener. The executive felt called upon to accept the invitation tendered, as Monmouth is new to the league. Ottumwa plays there. He also stated that the umpire for tomorrow's game here will be Lippert, who has been working in Kewanee.

"ON THE LINKS"

(ROMANCE)

Dedicated to Miss Georda Layton

By CLIFFORD DUNNING

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GOOD WAGES IN WYOMING BASIN

Skilled Labor and Farm Laborers Receiving Extra Good Pay for Their Services in that Country.

WRITE TO MAYORS

Basin, Forland, Greybull and Powell Will Furnish Information to Those Who Want Western Location.

Keokuk wants to retain all of her laboring and skilled men but those who are seeking a farther western location will be interested in knowing of the big wages paid in the Big Horn Basin of Wyoming. In a letter under date of April 30, J. Francis, general passenger agent of the C. B. & Q. railway of Chicago, has written to the local agent of the road here, telling him to advertise widely the fact that big wages are being paid in the basin of Wyoming.

Carpenters and mechanics are receiving from \$4 to \$6 per day for their work in that country and laborers on farms make from \$30 to \$50 per month. There is a scarcity of men in the far western country at present and builders and settlers there are anxious to get men at good money, which will be paid for any service.

Men with teams find a good proposition in the west where they are well paid for their service. There are many men who would wish to locate in the west, not knowing just where to locate to secure positions. Letters to the mayors of any of the following towns: Powell, Greybull, Basin or Worland, Wyo., will receive an early reply with all information desired.

—Read The Daily Gate City

ITCH RELIEVED AT ONCE

That terrible itch disappears with the FIRST DROPS of a simple compound of oil of wintergreen, thymol and glycerine mixed in D. D. D. Prescription. This soothing, healing lotion, used externally kills the eczema germ instantly.

Heretofore the D. D. D. remedy has been sold only in \$1.00 bottles; but as a special offer, any sufferer in this town who has never tried D. D. D. can now try this remedy in a special bottle at 25c. It cures the itch instantly. We KNOW this. McMurrah Bros., corner Fifth and Main.

BOY POISONED; DOCTOR'S THEORY

Young Semones Lad Has Been Hovering Between Life and Death and Physician Says it Was Wood Alcohol.

MAKES A CONFESSION

Says He Drank Partial Contents of Bottle, But Does Not Say Where He Obtained it—Will Live.

Ten-year-old Guerdon Semones, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mat Semones of 810 South Fifth street, has been hovering between life and death this afternoon from a dose of poison, supposed by the physician to be wood alcohol. At a late hour it is learned that no fatality will result, and he is slightly improved.

While in a semi-conscious state the lad made a partial confession to Dr. W. P. Sherlock, the physician hustled to the Semones home about 1 o'clock this afternoon in an automobile to save the life of the near-dead boy. He muttered that he had drank from a bottle, which the doctor believes was wood alcohol, but where the boy obtained it could not be learned. It is believed that he got it while going to Taber's lumber yard shortly before 12 o'clock, with his father's dinner.

He became sick on the way home and during the dinner meal left the table in a faint. Going into the parlor, his limp form fell to the floor. He was unconscious during a greater part of the afternoon. The doctor was forced to apply the stomach pump, and the boy is now out of danger. The case has caused great alarm among members of the family.

Miss Grace McManus left for Lewis institute, Chicago, to resume her studies. She was home to be present at the wedding of J. Craig McManus to Miss Hazel Langley.

Walter J. Wiesemann left this afternoon on a business trip to Quincy during which he will attend the Soebbing-Russell wedding, the groom being a college mate of his.

Dan Barghold of Donnellson is a business visitor in the city.

SOCIETY

Officers Monday Music Club. At a meeting of the Monday Music club held last evening the following were elected officers: President—Miss Elizabeth Ivins. Vice-President—Mr. George Hassall. Secretary—Miss Jane E. Carey. Treasurer—Miss Mattie Baldwin.

Married in Kansas City. Married in Kansas City, Mo., Sunday morning, May 8, at 10 o'clock, Linnie Leota Knapp of Centerville, Iowa, and Merle D. Inskeep of the Hotel Keokuk barber shop. After a short trip they will return to Keokuk.

Wednesday Reading Club. The Wednesday Reading club will meet tomorrow with Mrs. J. A. Scroggs at her residence. This will be the final meeting of the season and will be marked by the election of officers for the ensuing club year.

PERSONALS.

Mrs. E. E. Hawkes and Mrs. J. L. Daugherty left this morning for Albia where they will attend a meeting of the P. E. O. society in that city today. Both ladies are delegates from the local order.

Miss Ethel Curtis returned this afternoon to her home at Montrose. C. A. Moore, traveling passenger agent for the A. T. & S. Co., was in Keokuk today on business pertaining to his lines.

C. E. Brown, superintendent of the Wabash lines with headquarters at Springfield, Ill., was in the city today.

J. P. Theodore, Burlington labor agent, arrived from St. Louis this morning on business.

A. D. Dunlap left for Ft. Madison this noon.

Glenn Maxwell is in Montrose today on business.

Real Estate Bargains

I have two substantially built houses of five rooms each. Good full lots and in good neighborhoods, that can be bought for less than cost of buildings. Small payments down, balance in monthly or yearly payments to suit purchaser at 6 per cent interest. Two of the best bargains in the city.

E. E. MITCHELL Room 8 Estes Bldg.



Let Us Launch a New Home for you

One that will be all your own—one that you can walk up and down in with pleasure and look at with pride. It won't cost much. Terms easy. Come and talk with us.

- 7 room, frame, water, N. S. ... \$3,000
7 room, brick, water, gas, N. S. 3,000
5 room, frame, cottage, N. S. ... 1,500
8 room, water, gas, full lot ... 2,100
7 room, good, on car line ... 2,000
8 room, frame, river view ... 1,500
5 room, frame, river view ... 1,250
9 room, frame, fine lot ... 2,900
8 room, frame, 2 story, full lot 2,200

M. S. ACKLES "The Real Estate Man" Room 1, Estes Building.

T. L. Montgomery of Kahoka spent last night in Keokuk.

WANTED.

WANTED—Second hand gasoline engine 8 to 10 horse power must be in first class condition. Address 1 Gate City. 4-6t.

WANTED—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Address "C. C." Gate City.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Suite of offices. Hubinger building. In fine condition. Inquire W. C. Howell. 22-10t.

FOR RENT—office, No. 173 N. 4th. Enquire Mrs. M. B. Ingersoll, 710 N. 7th st.

FOR RENT—One half of my house. 825 High, Dr. Elizabeth K. McDonald. Apply 722 Franklin.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—The old Smith Hamill home No. 610 Morgan street. Substantial brick house, steam heating plant, modern improvements, 1 1/2 lots, price reasonable, immediate possession. Inquire D. B. Hamill. 3-7t.

FOR SALE—My driving outfit, spider phaeton and black mare, perfectly sound and gentle, woman can drive anywhere. Large enough for surry. H. A. Heaslip.

FOR SALE—Harness collars, sweat pads and whips at cost. 1109 Main street.

FOR SALE—Two story dwelling, full lot, perfect order, 1524 High. H. A. Heaslip.

FOR SALE—Good gas range. Iowa phone 721-R.

ROSE COMB Black Minorca eggs for hatching. Now \$1.50 for 15. High scoring. Northrup strain. John H. Holdefer, Donnellson, Iowa.

WHILE the coal shortage is on 'phone Harrison & Dietz for sawed wood.

MONEY TO LOAN.

MONEY to loan on long time Trust funds. \$1,500, \$2,000, \$2,500, \$3,000. H. A. Heaslip.

OLD HATS

Do not throw them away. Have your old hats made new. Hatter, Osburn's barber shop, 505 Main street.

Mrs. G. H. Whitney of Superior, Wis., is visiting her brother, J. D. Benbow.

AYER'S HAIR VIGOR Does not Color the Hair Does not Color the Hair Does not Color the Hair