

KEOKUK RAISED \$52,638 FOR BOOSTING

Campaign for Funds for Greater Keokuk Was a Phenomenal Success and a Record Breaker in Point of Time.

MORE MONEY IS POURING IN EVERY DAY

Enthusiastic Close of a Financial Campaign That Marks a New Epoch in the Industrial and Commercial Life of the City.

First day	\$27,387
Second day	13,949
Third day	11,302
Total	\$52,638

Keokuk came back. In three days time, less if you please, the committees appointed by the Keokuk Industrial Association secured a total fund of \$52,638 for boosting Keokuk. It was a whirlwind campaign for sure. It was a record breaking accumulation for Iowa cities. When President Joy announced the result today at the noon luncheon at the Elks Club the committees applauded most heartily. He stated that he confidently believed when all the subscriptions had been received the total would reach from \$56,000 to \$60,000. One citizen told him early in the campaign to start something. He believed that something was started but it was a marathon race and not a sprint. The marathon did not sprint all the way but jogged along in a steady and certain manner. Mr. Joy did not want the people of Keokuk to look for scare heads in the papers about results accomplished right away. With the splendid backing that the directors had now been assured they would put forth their best efforts to secure factories that would be permanent and beneficial and to that end would use conservatism and good business judgment. He was sure of safe progress. President Joy said the city owed a great deal to the men who took the time from their business to make such a result possible in assembling a fund of more than \$50,000 and the citizens who responded were entitled to the highest commendation for their public spiritedness. They responded nobly. He expressed his appreciation for the hospitality of the Elks Club and for the agreeable and comfortable entertainment. The canvassing was not complete and a few teams would be asked to continue the work so that many others who wished to contribute would have the opportunity. He was particularly pleased with the small subscriptions that had been received. It meant a sacrifice to many of them but it showed their loyalty and willingness.

List to Be Published Tomorrow.
A list will be furnished for publication and it will appear in The Gate City tomorrow. This list will show all who have subscribed up to the present time. If you have not subscribed you still have the opportunity to get your name on the roll by notifying any of the members of the committee. It is not the intention or desire to overlook any one.

Engineer Cooper a Guest.
Engineer Cooper was a guest of the committee at the noon luncheon and spoke briefly. He said that since the beginning of the water power enterprise nothing had pleased him more outside of the assembling of the money to build the dam than the campaign that Keokuk had successfully launched in securing fifty thousand dollars. He was particularly pleased with the speed in which the campaign was conducted. It speaks volumes for the future. The results from such an undertaking and accomplishments no one is competent to prophesy. It was a magnificent accomplishment in every way. Inasmuch as the water power people had nothing to do with the committee or the campaign they could appreciate it all the more and it was all the more appropriate for him to

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make the statement he did. He was so pleased with the work that he sent a telegram to the Boston people telling them that Keokuk boosters committee had raised \$52,000 in three half days and added that it was the way they did things out west.

Thanks for the Elks.
Asaph Buck moved that the thanks of the committee be extended to the Elks club for the royal entertainment and it was moved to reduce the vote to writing, have it properly signed by the president and secretary of the Keokuk Industrial Association and sent to the Elks Club.

Wills on the Hotel Situation.
Ira Wills spoke on the necessity for larger hotel accommodations. The present hotel was all right so far as its facilities went but they were too abbreviated for the present needs of the city and would continue to fall well below the requirements as the city advanced. He thought one of the first things the Industrial Association should do would be to get larger hotel accommodations and that promptly. Mr. Wills' remarks were endorsed by the gentlemen present. Mr. Cooper said the people of this city had no idea of the number of people that the dam would bring to Keokuk and nothing would do so much good as a first class hotel. He did not want an extravagant one, but one suitable to accommodate the patronage and send them away pleased. Nothing dampened enthusiasm so much as inefficient and inefficient hotel accommodations. His company appreciated this fact and would be willing to subscribe liberally for stock in a new hotel. This remark created enthusiasm. The hotel project is an important one and from the feeling manifest today it promises to be solved in a short time. Certainly there is no time to be lost in this important matter as the visitors are coming every day to see the big dam and the number will steadily increase. It is imperative that a modern hotel be erected to extend the proper entertainment.

Luncheons Once a Month.
L. A. Hamill believed that one of the things that had accomplished so much good was the noon day luncheons that had been given at the Elks club. He wanted them continued. It was decided to hold a business men's luncheon once a month and the directors will arrange for this meeting. Mr. Hamill said the luncheons had done a great deal to get the business men into closer touch with each other and a better spirit resulted.

Contributions From Out of Town.
President Joy reported that about 170 letters had been sent out late Saturday afternoon to parties out of the city who were interested in Keokuk. Very few of them had reached their destination in time for a response but so far \$447 had been pledged and this amount will be largely increased when others are heard from. Replies have not been received from a number of corporations interested in Keokuk and their pledges are expected.

Total Contributions.
The result of the soliciting committees is follows:

No. 1	\$19,838
No. 2	4,320
No. 3	2,680
No. 4	2,700
No. 5	2,074
No. 6	2,431
No. 7	5,378
No. 8	2,008
No. 9	1,436
No. 10	396
No. 11	1,028
No. 12	1,188
No. 13	1,764
No. 14	1,818
No. 15	2,132
By mail	447
Total	\$52,638

Group 1, No. 15, collected the most money, amounting \$3,132.
Group 2, No. 6, second largest, \$2,431.
Group 3, No. 14, second largest, \$1,818.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dill of Lincoln, Neb., are the parents of a ten pound baby boy, born March 1.

—Read The Daily Gate City.

THE DOCTORS' QUESTION

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SALOON KEEPERS ARE VICTORIOUS

Decision in Fort Madison Cases, Eleven in Number, Was Made There by Judge Bank Today.

DISMISSES ALL OF THEM

Burlington, Keokuk and Other Places Where Cases Are Pending See Victory For Saloon Men.

[Special to The Gate City.]
FORT MADISON, Iowa, March 6.—Judge Henry Bank in the district court here today dismissed injunction suits against eleven Fort Madison saloon owners, the victory being hailed as an important one for saloon men not only in Fort Madison, but in Burlington, Keokuk and other cities in which parallel cases are now pending.

The defendant pleaded in abatement the Ann Foster cases of 1908, which were given wide publicity at the time.

The Ft. Madison cases were brought in behalf of the Anti-Saloon League of Iowa and the prosecution was conducted by Attorney M. S. Odie. They were begun in the fall.

FORT MADISON, Iowa, March 6.—Judge Henry Bank did not rule on the application for a temporary injunction made by Keokuk in the matter of the Lee county bridge fund tax. He announced that he would render a decision Tuesday.

Chapel Fund Met Today.
The Chapel Fund Society at the Westminster Presbyterian church was entertained this afternoon at the residence of Mrs. G. S. Carver, 812 Franklin street. Miss Carver was assisted by Misses Gertrude Ellsworth, Bessie Collier and Anna Sheppard.

Keokuk Lodge of Odd Fellows Annual Reunion Week From Tonight.
Monday evening, March thirteenth, the Keokuk lodge of Odd Fellows, No. 13, will have their annual reunion in Odd Fellows' hall. A program will be rendered following which supper will be served in the dining room to the members of the order and their families who attend.
The enjoyments of the evening will commence at eight o'clock. A committee of ten have been appointed to look after the pleasures of the guests, and those who will serve are: Frank Wahlgren, chairman; Messrs. George Banks, D. E. Linquist, Geo. W. Wright, John Eads, C. A. Nelson, Wm. H. Van Ausdall, Herman Spaan, Jas. Whitfield and Henry Vanderheyden. Keokuk lodge is about sixty-three years old and was organized under special charter here in 1848.

Meet With Mrs. Ivins.
The Reading club will meet with Mrs. W. S. Ivins Wednesday afternoon.

—Let Ewers-McCarthy Co. assist you in the selection of your spring suit.

WROTE LETTER; THEN KILLED WIFE

At Inquest Held Today This Letter Was Introduced, Showing the Act a Premeditated One.

MRS. COOK'S TESTIMONY

Most Important Witness Relates What Transpired During the Evening on Which the Killing Occurred.

At a late hour this afternoon the coroner's jury rendered the following verdict in the Samuels case: "That Mrs. Essie Samuels came to her death by being struck with bullets discharged from a revolver held in the hands of Joseph Samuels and that same act was willful and felonious."

Exhibit A, which was the letter found upon Joe Samuels after he had shot and killed his wife and then attempted suicide, and the testimony of Mrs. John J. Cook, featured the coroner's inquest into the death of Mrs. Essie Samuels, which occurred late Friday night on the Seventh street bridge. The inquest consumed the entire morning and part of the afternoon.

The letter had a Keokuk date line, but was not addressed to anyone. In it Samuels told of the domestic relations that had existed between the two and said that he was going to kill his wife and himself. He asked that they be buried side by side, and that he be buried in his fireman's clothes. He left instructions as to his insurance and the care of his two children.

The testimony of Mrs. Cook was clear cut and told of the numerous threats Samuels had made a few hours before the alleged killing of his wife. She advanced the opinion that Samuels was drunk when he left her house but a short time before the tragedy occurred.

The Letter.
Keokuk, Iowa, March 3, 1911.
This, which I am about to write, is to explain the frame of mind a man is in when he has once had a home and supported it, and to his family to the best of his ability, and to have his family turn him down for the sake of a little amusement, his wife thinking more of running around to skating rinks and the streets, and neglecting her children and home.
I have tried to do right and have done right as near as a man could do that is working for a living. I have made up my mind that there is nothing for me to live for any more, and have everything settled in my mind to do which I am about to do. Just now as I finish these last few lines I am on my way to get the weapon that is to finish her life and mine as far as this world is concerned.
I have \$2,000 life insurance in the Illinois Bankers. Please take the expense of burying us both out of that and give the balance to my two poor children. May God bless them both and hope they will live and enjoy a better life than I or their mother have.

If I had not loved my dear wife I would not have ever finished everything this way; but when a man thinks everything of a woman and she turns you down, that's the way things end. I want to thank Mr. Anderson, the chief of the fire department, for the kind way he has treated me, and will say the city of Keokuk ought to feel proud of him for the way he has served the city of Keokuk as an employe of the city.

I ask as a last request to be laid to rest in my fireman's clothes and that I and my wife be buried side by side. May God have mercy on my soul and guide and protect my little children.
JOS. I. SAMUELS.

The Testimony.
Officer John Tighe testified to receiving the call at the police station, the subsequent trip in the patrol, finding of Samuels and his dead wife and the arrest of Samuels. He related

Something New for Dinner.

The most irksome part of house-keeping is the finding of the daily answer to the daily question, "What shall we have for dinner?" Do you like Spaghettil? Only once in a while? Then you have never eaten Faust Spaghettil. Don't like Spaghettil at all? Try one dish of Faust Brand Spaghettil. If you like Spaghettil once in a while Faust Brand will soon find you liking it often and plentifully. It will open your eyes to a new kind of goodness.
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3 PER CENT INTEREST ON SAVINGS DEPOSITS

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COLONIAL THEATRE
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ated much of the preceding testimony. Samuels seemed agitated and kept crying, "Poor Essie." The woman was dead and Samuels, himself, was shot. He refused to answer any questions. The witness testified to going back to the scene after the arrest, and in searching in the ravine under the bridge, found the gun containing six empty shells.
Chief Henry Schevers testified only as to the report of the officers in connection with the tragedy.
Thomas J. Dunn, who accompanied Officer Baldwin to the Seventh street bridge, testified to practically the same circumstance as did the officer, and also Officer Barney Conn, who took the stand after him, and Officer Baldwin.

Four Bullet Wounds.
Dr. C. A. Dimond said: "On Saturday morning I called at Crimmins and Chase undertaking rooms to see the body of Essie M. Samuels. I found four bullet holes in her body, and on post mortem examination found one bullet had entered the skin between the third and fourth rib on right side, and passed through between the fourth and fifth rib into the chest, through the lung, superior vena cava, crossed to the opposite side, and found the bullet at about the ninth rib and about two inches from one vertebrae. This bullet caused the death, by puncturing the superior vena cava, a very short time after the bullet was fired. On the back, over shoulder blade, right side, I found two bullet holes where a bullet had entered from above downward and passed out again about three inches from where it entered. The exit of this bullet did not pass through her union suit and was found on the cooling board where it probably dropped when her clothing was removed.
"On right side immediately below buttock a bullet entered the skin, struck the femur, passed downward and was found about three inches from the knee on the inside beneath the skin.
"Bullets, exhibit C, were taken from the body and bullet, exhibit D, was found on cooling board at undertakers. The fatal bullet entered the body from the front, the other two from behind."

Family Troubles.
Mrs. Martha Bunyan, mother of the dead girl, testified to the domestic relations which had existed during the past two years. They quarreled constantly, she said, and he often threatened her and had struck her.
Mrs. Mary Frank, 1109 Reid, living next door to the home occupied by Joe Samuels and his wife, testified to Samuels calling her house by telephone about 7:30 o'clock, requesting that his wife be summoned to the phone.
Mrs. Annie Cook, 918 Des Moines, in her testimony said: "On the morning of March 3, I met Mrs. Samuels and she told me of having secured employment at the Hotel Grand. We made arrangements to meet and go down town that evening. That evening about 6 o'clock Mrs. Samuels came to my mother's house on South Tenth, and at about 7:00 o'clock we started for the show. On the corner of Fourth and Main we saw Joe Samuels. We went on into the show and later Joe came in and sat across from us. I spoke to him and he spoke back. When the show was out Essie and I left and we met Joe outside. He asked if he could go home with us, and Essie said he could. They seemed very friendly at the time. We went down Fifth street and stood in front of Ayer's garage on Johnson. Joe and his wife stood there hugging and kissing each other. Frequently Joe said that if he did not love her he would have killed her long ago. We stood there a half hour. Joe went around to a saloon on Fifth street. He accused us of having a date that night. When he returned from the saloon, we started out to my home. On the way they would hug and kiss every few yards. Joe told his wife of having met her old sweetheart that day. He said if he had opened his head that day he would have killed him. Before reaching the house, Essie told Joe that she had a

Job at the Grand Hotel, and he told her he bet she wouldn't go there to work tomorrow. In the house they acted very affectionate toward one another, and he again brought up her old sweetheart. She said she never saw him any more and did not know he was in town. He told her that he had the phone taken out of their house for a purpose. She was telling him about the bad condition of her shoes, and he told her she wouldn't need any shoes. They talked a little while, and then he asked me if they could use my bedroom. They were in the bedroom for some time and when I again saw Essie her hair was down. As Joe was putting on his coat I saw a revolver like the one marked exhibit A, and a bottle of whiskey in his coat pocket. I saw him place the revolver in his hip pocket. While he was at my house he drank about half the whiskey. Joe said that if Essie's mother did not let him in when they went home he would kill her. He cursed her and accused her of being the cause of their separation. Joe told me that I would never see her again. She told me in his presence that her mother bought the clothes and also the coal for the house. While I was in the house I tried to get the gun, but he prevented me. While Mrs. Samuels and I were standing in the door he grabbed for the gun, but I stopped him. Before leaving he told me that I had better kiss them good night for that would be the last time I would ever see them. He told me to say nothing to anyone. She told me she would see me tomorrow and they left."

"You'll Have to Prove That."
Officer Tom Freeman, of the night force, was the first witness. He testified to receiving the report at headquarters that boys were shooting on the Seventh street bridge. When officers arrived at the bridge Samuels was found sitting down with his wife in his arm.
Freeman said to Samuels: "You killed your wife, didn't you?"
"You'll have to prove that," was his answer.
The witness testified that the woman was dead.

Officers Fuqua and Baldwin arrived with the patrol and later the coroner arrived. The revolver was found by Officer Tighe under the bridge. The gun contained six empty cartridges.
Night Captain L. C. Fuqua said that a message was received at headquarters at 11:40. Officer Freeman was dispatched to the scene; later word was received that a woman was dead on the bridge and that Joe Samuels was with her.
Guy Watson, manager of the Mississippi Valley Telephone company, heard shots fired while on C and William streets. Later while crossing the bridge he learned of the tragedy. The witness testified that Samuels was grieving, and was kissing her. In answer to a question as to why he did it, Samuels answered that his wife tried to kill him.

Afternoon's Testimony.
The inquest was resumed at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon. The jury is composed of F. M. Daman, John Kilroy, Wm. Lennon. The witnesses were F. C. Johnson, Wm. Blaisdell, Mrs. Mary Frank, Roy Huxley, Wm. Johnson.

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For Mrs. Streeter.
Last Saturday afternoon a very pleasant surprise party was given for Mrs. Chas. D. Streeter, president of the Young Woman's Christian Association, at the residence of Mrs. G. M. Covell, 1017 High street. Those present at the affair which took the nature of a thimble kensington, were the members of the board of directors and the chairman of the committees of the association.
The afternoon's event was planned and happily executed in honor of the return of Mrs. Streeter and in view of the highly appreciative services which she has rendered the association as its president.
Miss Harriet Solomon after a few well chosen remarks presented the guest of honor with a beautiful violet bouquet. Refreshments were served.
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