

ELECT COUNTY OFFICERS TODAY

Second Day of the Lee County Sunday School Convention Filled With Business Matters.

REV. SANDERS TALKS

Address of Baptist Minister Last Night—Delegates to State Convention Appointed Today.

That the church of the Sunday school are not the place for petting or coddling children, was one of the statements among a number of others of logical significance made by Rev. James F. Sanders, pastor of the First Baptist church before the Lee county Sunday school convention at the First Christian church last night.

The church in the Sunday school and the Sunday school in the church was the topic of a thirty minute address made by the Baptist minister. Parents and older persons as well as children should be in the Sunday schools. The lack of Bible study by the people in the church is deplorable. There should be Bible study in the church that an example may be set for the younger generations.

Sunday school scholars must get the idea that the Sunday school performs the entire work of both church and Sunday school.

They should attend church services. Antiquated excuses—that children cannot understand sermons is fictitious. The scholars in study of literature, philosophy and other works in the school room, have much harder things to learn than those taught in sermons. The Sunday school should be conducted along the same lines as the day schools. Parents are not to blame for the non-attendance of children in Sunday schools, the younger scholars complaining that they cannot spend an hour at Bible school on the Sabbath and yet are able physically to be in school five and six hours a day during the week.

A wife giving the excuse that she must stay home to get dinner for a husband or aged father, who requires mid-day meals promptly at 12 o'clock, has no plausible reason for remaining away from church. Don't live with a man who is not broad minded enough to allow attendance at church services one day in the week, and wait awhile for his dinner, the speaker said.

Asked That it be Printed.

The committee on resolutions of the Lee county Sunday school convention suggested to Rev. Sanders that his interesting address be printed and placed with the other literature of the organization.

Miss Edith Nickols of Mason City, who is the live wire in the convention here and one of the prominent Sunday school workers of the state, appeared in several talks and round table discussions as leader on yesterday's and today's programs.

Today's Sessions.

Rev. Harry B. Foster, pastor of the United Presbyterian church, conducted the devotional services this morning.

Reports of the county officers were made. Officers for the coming year were appointed by the nominating committee, the following to hold office for the coming year:

President—Lillis Wallingford, Donnellson.

Vice president—Asa Houston, Denmark.

Secretary-treasurer—Mrs. Grace Nelson, Keokuk.

Elementary grade secretary—Miss Anna Ritter, Keokuk.

Advanced grade secretary—Chas. Stein, Hillsboro.

Adult department secretary—J. O. Boyd, Keokuk.

Teacher training, secretary—Mrs. W. A. Arnold, Ft. Madison.

Temperance secretary—Mrs. Alice Dumenil, Argyle.

Mission secretary—Miss Margaret Hedrick, Keokuk.

Bible reader secretary—Miss Besie Bassett, Donnellson.

Home department secretary—Mrs. W. L. Liddle, Argyle.

Home visitation secretary—Miss Lilly Meinhardt, Donnellson, R. F. D.

The same executive committee was re-elected, the following holding office

ROSY AS A GIRL

Summit, N. C.—In a letter received from this place, Mr. J. W. Church, the notary public, says: "My wife had been ailing for nearly twelve years, from female ailments, and at times, was unable to leave the house. She suffered agony with her side and back. We tried physicians for years, without relief. After these treatments all failed, she took Cardui, and gained in weight at once. Now she is red and rosy as a school girl." Cardui, as a tonic for women, has brought remarkable results. It relieves pain and misery and is the ideal tonic for young and old. Try it. At druggists.

SPEECHLESS FOR THANKS

Mena, Ark.—"I find Cardui to be all you represent," writes Mrs. H. B. York, of this city. "I suffered from womanly ailments, for nearly two years, before I tried Cardui. I have been so relieved since taking it. I cannot say enough in its praise. It has done me a world of good, and I recommend Cardui to all women." Cardui is over 50 years old, and the demand is greater today than ever. Cardui is the standard, tonic medicine, for women of every age. Would you like to be well and strong? Then take Cardui. Its record shows that it will help you. Begin today Why wait?

In that department: A. H. Bank, Donnellson; F. H. Krebill, Donnellson and Jos. Fry, Wever.

This committee was given authority to fill all vacancies during the year.

The nominating committee is: Rev. E. G. Beyer, chairman, J. R. Beattie, Argyle; F. H. Krebill, Donnellson.

Committees Report.

A report of the past year's committees was made this afternoon at three o'clock. The convention adjourned at 3:30 o'clock with consecration service and installation of officers.

The next place of meeting of the Lee County Sunday Schools association was to be decided this afternoon.

Resolutions.

Your committee on resolutions wish to present the following:

First—We give thanks to God who has permitted us to assemble in this tenth annual Sunday school convention.

Second—We appreciate the hospitality of the people of Keokuk and the different churches in the endeavor to make this convention a success.

Third—We feel grateful to our county officers for their untiring efforts in the county Sunday school work, during the past year, particularly the worthy president.

Fourth—We instruct our county executive committee to plan early to have our county in the banner rank and to aid in this we urge them to co-operate with the state association in every possible way.

Fifth—We request all our schools to pay their apportionment of .03c per member to the county treasurer at once, that funds may be in hand to push the Sunday school work of the county.

Sixth—We endorse the utterance given here that the church should be found in the Sunday school and the Sunday school in the church.

Seventh—We appreciate the presence and help of Miss Edith Nickols, our state worker, and hope we may have her with us again.

Eighth—We reaffirm our former utterances in favor of temperance and against Sabbath desecration.

DR. PHILIP SLACK, S. F. BISHOP, Committee.

DECEIVED BY ENGINE TOOTS

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Pa. Mrs. Phoebe Criner, of West street, a dashing young widow.

But that is not all. Miss McCracken says that through a relative one of the signals of the whistle code has become known to the townspeople. It was an extra long toot, meaning "Here's a long, lingering kiss." She says that now when the youths in the town pass her on the street they whistle in a long drawn-out manner and smile, greatly to her mortification.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co.

WITH HATCHET AND PITCHFORK

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father's home after interviewing him at the Wyoming street police station. A former servant girl of Eisenbath gave them information which enabled them to find \$71 in a sack hidden in a sewer pipe in the cellar, and three bank books showing deposits aggregating \$3,700 in the house. His total wealth is about \$5,000.

WILD STAMPEDE OF MAD STEER

(Continued from page 1.)

Louis Wade, who was pushing a baby buggy, was run into by the steer, and the mother and baby were seriously injured.

Running down Columbia street, the animal collided with Henry Deardorf, a farmer, and he was injured. He was taken to the hospital. Near the New York Central station the steer rushed at George Rush, a baggage man, and knocked him down. A dozen policemen were called out and the force at the stock yards came to the rescue.

PERSONALS.

Mrs. C. D. Streeter went to Keosauqua this morning for a short visit.

Miss Ella Rohker of Ft. Madison is visiting in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Westcott left this morning for Oskaloosa.

C. S. Pond returned this morning from a southern business trip.

GRAHAM HOSPITAL JANITOR MISSING

Alva M. Clark Left Wife Week Ago Saturday Night at Home and Has Not Shown up Since.

MIND MAY BE AFFECTED

Concierge at Sick Institution Had Severe Sun Stroke Last Summer—Police Are Searching—Wife Worried.

Committee Report.

Leaving behind him no note of explanation for his sudden disappearance, yet believed to be wandering about the city or somewhere nearby, Alva B. Clark, until a week ago, janitor at the Graham hospital, has not been seen by friends since a week ago Sunday morning.

On Saturday night the twentieth of the month, Clark was in company with his wife shopping on Main street. The couple returned to their home on North Seventh street and the husband left for the hospital where he was employed nights.

In parting Clark told his wife he would be home Sunday morning. He went to the hospital at midnight. Sunday morning after his duties, he set out from the hospital and has not yet been located. No word of trouble, not even the slightest shade of infelicity had ever passed between the Clarks, the wife stated.

Police Notified.

Anxious over the sudden as well as abrupt leaving taking of her husband, Mrs. Clark, who is a woman about thirty years of age, well dressed and apparently educated, told the police about the disappearance of her spouse, four days after he was missed.

Up to the present time, the officers who have been keeping a lookout for Clark, have not seen him. Chief Scheyvers has sent cards bearing description of the lost man to nearby towns and it is possible that he may be located in this manner if not through publication.

Is a Young Man.

A. B. Clark is a young man thirty years old. He has light brown hair, large, dark blue eyes, is 5 feet 9 and a quarter inches tall, weighs 143 pounds. He has one upper gold tooth on the left side.

When last seen, Clark wore a blue serge suit, patent leather shoes, a crush fedora plush hat, and light blue tie, with scarf pin having letter "A" engraved.

On one of the left hand fingers, Clark wore a gold signet ring with the letters "A. B. C." monogrammed.

Had Sun Stroke.

Some time last summer, along the latter part of August, Clark suffered a severe sunstroke. In telling the police officers of her husband's disappearance recently, Mrs. Clark was under the impression that Clark had become temporarily deranged on account of being overreared a year ago. The Clarks had not been married long, being wedded last fall in Missouri. The man had been working at Graham hospital for several months.



Visiting With the Carters.

Mrs. Sylvester, Carter, of Chicago who has been visiting in the city for the past several weeks with Mrs. Hepler, is spending a few days at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. R. Carter.

Wild Cat Picnic Sunday.

A crowd of twenty young people of this city will spend Sunday picnicking at Wild Cat Springs.

Never hesitate about giving Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to children. It contains no opium or other narcotics and can be given with implicit confidence. As a quick cure for coughs and colds to which children are susceptible, it is unsurpassed. Sold by all dealers.

Conners Before Grand Jury.

LOS ANGELES, May 24.—Bert Conners, arrested on a charge of attempting to dynamite the hall of records, was before the grand jury again today.

Window Washing

Awful job—Glass all streaked when you're through? Had just that experience, haven't you? There's a new way—don't use smears soaps.

Try Whiz-sponge-water-rub-rinse-and-off-comes-the-dirt. Each can of Whiz contains a coupon which will enable you to secure Rogers Genuine Silverware of a beautiful design. For sale by all grocers and druggists.

DIVORCE MILL WAS A BUSY ONE

Six of Them Was Granted Yesterday Afternoon and Today by Judge W. S. Hamilton in District Court.

WIVES TELL THEIR TALE

Vera Colvin Was First—Today Adolph Strohmaier Testified That His Wife Threatened to Kill Him.

Judge W. S. Hamilton lent his ear to long tales of domestic infelicity in the district court yesterday afternoon. It was default day and late in the afternoon a quartet of young women whose husbands had failed to fulfill their marriage vows appeared in company with their attorneys to prove up.

Vera Colvin was the first to tell her story. She threw a few sidelights on the manner in which the vaudeville singer had mistreated her and of his subsequent filing of a suit for divorce. She was granted a divorce and the restoration of her maiden name.

Judge Hamilton then heard the heart-interest story of Hester Delo, wife of the dangerous Philippino, who has had a meteoric career in Keokuk during the past two years. Delo is the foreigner who engaged in a pitched battle with Ex-Marshal Kesseling in the lumber yards when numerous shots were exchanged. Mrs. Delo told of how her husband threatened to kill her. She was likewise granted a divorce.

The third was Etta M. Lewis, who was given a divorce from Reuel Lewis, and the fourth was granted to Susan R. Sanders from John C. Sanders after the plaintiff had told a story of wife desertion.

Other Defaults.

The title to lot 12 and part of lot 11, block 169, as been quieted in the names of Alfred C. Schmidt, Charles O. Schmidt and Henry E. Schmidt against H. W. Perry, Kate Perry and Sadie Perry.

In the matter of the guardianship of Catharine Elizabeth Montana, minor heir of Kate M. Dean, deceased, an order was made setting June 5 as the time for hearing application for the sale of real estate.

Case of Sarah E. Wilson vs. Robert Napoleon Carter and others; ordered that default be entered. The defendants were the unknown claimants to lots 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11, block 52, Town of Montrose.

Today's Session.

This morning was given over to the argument of motions and demurrers. A demurrer to the plaintiff's answer to a claim filed in the estate of Charles M. Myer was argued by Attorneys John E. Craig and W. C. Howell, Attorney Crig filed a claim on behalf of John H. McGee against the estate. In answering Attorney Howell set out that the claim could not be allowed because there had been no copy of it with the notice. The demurrer was taken under advisement.

A motion for more specific statements in the case of Leiser vs. Sundeen was argued by Major W. B. Collins for the defendant and Attorney John E. Craig for the plaintiff. The motion, which asked that a more complete description of the land be set out, was sustained.

HIT HIM WITH BEER GLASS.

In the district court today Adolph Strohmaier told Judge Hamilton that he could put up with ordinary violence of his wife, but when she commenced to heave beer glasses, that was more than he could stand. He asked for a divorce from Effie Strohmaier and was corroborated in his story by a brother, Albert.

A divorce was also granted to Clara Brewer from Emory Brewer and the wife given the custody of a minor child, Morris H.

CITY NEWS.

The eight year old son of Mr. and Mrs. David Skinner of Montrose, died last night, word being received here today of his death.

J. Roy Hodge returned yesterday from Sioux City where he attended the Episcopal Diocesan convention. He was elected vice president of the Junior Brotherhood of the state of Iowa.

H. L. Connable has conveyed to Katie M. Williams the rear 2 1/2 of lots 10, 11 and 12, block 129. The property is on Eighth and Des Moines.

DR. SCHELL MAKES COMMENCEMENT SPEECH

President of Iowa Wesleyan University Will Deliver Address to Graduates, June 8.

Dr. Schell, president of Iowa Wesleyan University, well known here as one of the ablest speakers in the state, will deliver the address at commencement before the graduating class of the Keokuk high school, Thursday evening June 8, at the Grand opera house.

Bad Colds Some colds are worse than others, but they are all bad. Do not neglect them. Treat promptly, vigorously. First of all, ask your doctor about taking Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. Then do as he says.

THE WORLD'S MARKETS Furnished by E. W. Wagner & Co., 99 Board of Trade Chicago—Members Chicago Board of Trade—Chicago Stock Exchange.

Table with columns for Daily Grain Letter, OATS, PORK, LARD, and SHORT RIBS, listing prices for various commodities.

Estimated Car Lots. Estimated cars: 201 wheat; 411 corn; 290 oats.

Chicago Live Stock. CHICAGO, May 24.—Hogs—Receipts 32,000; left over 3,100; market opened 5c lower.

Local Grain Market. KEOKUK, May 24.—No. 2 Wheat, red \$ .79 No. 3 Wheat, red .74 No. 2 Wheat, red .79 No. 2 Wheat, hard .78

Local Live Stock. KEOKUK, May 24.—The following live stock market furnished today by Jorcup Haubert:

Daily Range of Prices. CHICAGO, Ill. May 24.—WHEAT—May .98 1/2 99 1/2 98 99 July .88 1/2 88 1/2 87 1/2 87 1/2 Sep. .87 1/2 87 1/2 86 1/2 86 1/2

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He praised Woodrow Wilson and Champ Clark and when asked if he might be a candidate, said that he could not say as to that.

ANNUAL FIELD DAY, JUNE 3

Burlington High School to Run Excursion Here Week From Saturday—Athletic Events.

Programs for the athletic events to be held on the annual school field day, left the hands of the printer today.

The Burlington high school baseball team will play the Keokuk high school team on field day, and a steamboat excursion will be run here from that place.

The athletic field preliminaries will be run at 1:30 and the ball game will be at 2:30. The finals will be run at 4:00.

LATE AFTERNOON BULLETIN

WASHINGTON, May 24.—Senator Cummins of Iowa asked the president to visit Iowa on his western trip in September.

WASHINGTON, May 24.—A caucus of the house democrats to consider the proposed revision of the wool schedule of the tariff was called today for noon of June 1.

WASHINGTON, May 24.—The house

Puritan, Sanitary Paper Drinking Cups 25 for 10c City Drug Store The Prescription Druggists. 7th & Main Keokuk

G. W. O'Blenness THE GROCER. Makes a specialty of Fine Teas, Coffees, and Staple Groceries. Our prices are low. Bell Phone 587. 12th and Johnson.

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FOR SALE The Stern Home, No. 706 High street, this fine, thoroughly modern property is offered at a bargain.

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Want Column

WANTED—2 dining room girls at Hotel Keokuk.

WANTED—Dining room girl at Racey's Restaurant, No. 28 South Fifth street.

WANTED—Girl for general house work. Address "A" this office.

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Good wages. Address "X," this office.

WANTED—Woman for ironing on Tuesday. Bell Phone 146.

WANTED—Girls wanted at the American Rice and Cereal Co. Steady work and good pay.

FOR SALE.—727 Exchange street. Bath, gas and furnace. Apply on premises.

FOR SALE—Durock pigs six weeks old. Inquire Jas. Aiken, West Keokuk. Home phone 1474.

FOR SALE cheap, if taken at once, six room house, good location. Call King's Cigar Store, Hamilton, Ill.

FOR RENT.—905 High street, furnished or unfurnished, 9 rooms. Apply between 6 and 7 p. m.

FOR RENT—4 room house No. 420 N. 9th St. \$10 per month. A. M. Wylie No. 909 Morgan street.

FOR RENT—9 room house, furnished or unfurnished. Enquire at 822 Franklin.

LOST, STRAYED OR STOLEN—Young white Spitz dog. Party knowing of whereabouts please phone Dr. Cochrane.

MISCELLANEOUS. MINNESOTA state school land sale—300,000 acres of school lands will be offered for sale by the state of Minnesota during the months of May, June and July, 1911, 15 per cent cash at date of sale, 40 years time on the balance at 4 per cent interest.

MINNESOTA MEADOWLANDS and Floodwood Settlements, St. Louis county near Duluth. Farmers gardeners, dairymen wanted. Ideal climate, rich soil, abundant rainfall, great crops. Home of the Red Clover. On our own line, frequent train service. Best markets in America. Prices low, terms easy. Homeseekers assisted. Illustrated literature free. Write Land Commissioner, D. & I. R. R. 182, Wolvin Bldg., Duluth, Minn.

ATTENTION—I call at your house clean your gasoline stoves, sharpen your lawnmowers, shears and knives. Charges reasonable. Bell telephone 1295 Black. E. H. Luke.

Wanted to do your plastering, kalsomining and white washing. To clean and repair your cisterns, to make your cement walks and cellar floors. D. W. Anderson Hub. Phone 3294.