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**Jonh Tumolly**

J. C. B. Myers, of Fort Madison, a candidate on the republican ticket for recorder, was in the city today.  
 Miss Alice Benison who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Collins, left this morning for St. Louis.

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**PERSONALS.**

Mrs. Elizabeth Florie was called yesterday to LaBelle, Mo., on account of the illness of her mother Mrs. Caroline Fagan.  
 Mrs. Henry Montgomery leaves this evening for Rochester, Minn., Supervisor Peter Scheffler, of Donnellson, was in the city today. He is a candidate for renomination for supervisor on the democratic ticket and his Keokuk friends are working diligently for his success.

**ROYAL NEIGHBORS ARE 26 YEARS OLD**

Mrs. Mary Kirkland Who is in the City, Organized Chapter in 1888 at Her Home.

**GUEST AT RECEPTION**

She Will be Honored by Function Planned for Thursday Evening in Woodmen Hall.

Plans are being perfected for the reception to be given Thursday evening by the Royal Neighbors at Woodman hall in honor of Mrs. Mary Kirkland of Council Bluffs to whom is given due credit for the existence of the order. She is a woman of very pleasing personality, kind and gracious and much beloved by the order of which she is the founder.

In December, 1888, she invited to her home in Council Bluffs, sixteen women, and organized a social club, the purpose of which was to aid socially Camp 171 of the Woodmen of America. They called themselves the Ladies Auxiliary of Camp 171. The idea was accepted in other cities and many auxiliaries were formed. In 1895, they formed the Royal Neighbors which is a beneficiary society and were chartered under the laws of the state of Illinois. That same year at the national convention in Omaha, the Woodmen gave official acknowledgment of the Royal Neighbors as an auxiliary to their organization.

The membership which twenty-five years ago was 16, was on January 1, 1914, 311,877. This history is of special interest to Iowa because so large an organization had its origin in this state. Not only the members of the Royal Neighbors, but Keokuk is honored by the visit of Mrs. Kirkland.

The following committees will have charge of the reception on Thursday evening:

Reception—Miss Bessie Dillon, Miss Tillie Dobbs, Miss Mary Joyce, Miss Maude Heinz.  
 Refreshments—Mrs. Kate Garrison, Mrs. Nellie Musser, Mrs. Nellie Joyce.  
 Table committee—Mrs. Mary Hickey, Miss Nellie Joyce, Miss Gertrude Garrison, Miss Hazel Keith, Miss Emma Klefker, Miss Mamie Heintz, Miss Norma Hagerman.

**AMUSEMENTS.**

"The Man From the Golden West." Program for four days, commencing Sunday, May 24, "The Man From the Golden West."

Jim Melvin..... Jack Lewis  
 James Morton..... Jefferson DeArmond  
 Lester Dawson..... F. S. Gordon  
 Amos Simpson..... Chas. Breckenridge  
 Robert Morton..... Clifford Mack  
 Dick Bowman..... R. A. Bermler  
 Amy Simpson..... Edna Grandin  
 Mrs. Simpson..... Mae Dudley  
 Dolly Morton..... Mae Hadley

Act I—Home of James Morton (N. Y. Time, evening.)  
 Act II—New York tenement home of Jim and Robert.  
 Act III—Office of James Morton & Co., brokers.  
 Act IV—Same as Act I. (Evening.)

The last performance of "The Man From the Golden West" will be given by the Lewis and Oliver players at the Hippodrome theatre this evening. Judging from the crowds that have been attending each performance, the play and the company is receiving a remarkably warm welcome in this city. It has been some time since an association of players equal to this company has played here. Mr. Jack Lewis is a man with a most pleasing personality that is reflected in his work on the stage. He is one of the most capable actors playing in stock and is supported by an excellent company. A new show will be offered tomorrow and will run during the coming week. All of the plays to be given by this company during its engagement here are royalty plays of the best class that can be secured. The summer prices for all of these shows are ten and twenty cents. One show is given each evening, starting at 8:15, while two matinees are given each week, on Saturdays and Wednesdays. The matinees begin at 2:30.—Advertisement.

**TO WED JUNE 3.**  
 Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F. Brady announce the coming marriage of their daughter, Sara Barney, to Joseph L. Brady. The ceremony will take place the evening of June third, at 2125 S street, Washington, D. C.

**Mrs. Kirk Honor Guest.**  
 Mrs. Sherman Kirk of Des Moines, who is the guest of Mrs. Walter Hennings, has been the honor guest at a number of small dinners and luncheons. Among the hostesses beside Mrs. Hennings who entertained at a buffet supper, are Mrs. B. Betts, Mrs. Hugh Dumannil and Mrs. Ed Lofton.

**Hostess to O. H. Club.**  
 Mrs. Charles J. Bode, 711 Morgan street, was hostess to the members of the O. H. club today.

**Entertains Thimble Club.**  
 Miss Lelia McGaw entertained the Thimble club this afternoon at a very pleasant meeting.

**Mrs. Scott is Guest.**  
 Mrs. Allie Scott of Montrose, who is state president of the Rebecca lodge, was the guest of honor at the meeting of the Rebecca lodge last night. A number of new members were initiated, after which refreshments were served and a social enjoyed. There was an unusually large attendance.

**Choir to Give Concert.**  
 The choir of the First Westminster Presbyterian church, under the direction of Mr. James Young, will give a concert of secular music in the chapel

**CARD OF THANKS.**

We wish to thank friends and neighbors for their kindness, also for floral offerings in the loss of our son and brother Earl W. Moore. MR. AND MRS. J. W. MOORE AND FAMILY.

**FUNERAL NOTICE.**

WHITNEY—Harwood Otis Whitney passed away this morning at 3:20, after a long illness of five years. The services will be held from the Unitarian church, Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Friends are invited to attend the services. Please omit flowers.

**SOCIETY**

**Evening Musicals.**

Last night at Miss Clara Gertrude Fry's studio, 819 Franklin street, her intermediate pupils gave the first in a series of piano recitals to be given by her class. A large company of friends of the pupils were present and were enthusiastic in their praise of the work done by the young pianists. Every number was well given and reflected much credit on the teacher. The young people had confidence and some played with skill quite beyond their years.

The program was as follows:  
 Hammock Song—Mrs. Crosby Adams Patricia Pease.  
 Duet—Annie Louise..... Gaynor Katherine Milley, Miss Fry.  
 Singing and Swings..... Mrs. Crosby Adams Woodson Hulskamp.  
 Pixies in the Giant Swing..... Brown Mildred French.  
 Barcarolle..... Jensen Margaret Dorsey.  
 Duet—Mazurka Brillante..... Heins Miss Fry, Helen Jurgens.  
 Melodie..... Stoutenburgh Louise Sterne.  
 Phymills..... Frederick Knight Logan Florence Little.  
 Butterfly..... Merkel Katherine Elder.  
 Etude, Op. 47, No. 19..... Heller Souvenir of Thome..... Spaulding Alice Beckman.

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**Want Column**

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 Etc., etc, etc.

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great. Wall street saw fit to explain the market's strength by the dispatches reporting Huerta's flight from Mexico. This may no doubt, have helped, but the incident was pretty much of a foregone conclusion. The realization of interest both political and financial will arise when Huerta, having actually gone, it will be seen what attitude the Niagara conferees on the one hand and the insurgent Mexicans on the other will take regarding a provisional government.

**PERSONALS.**

Miss Virginia Gorme of Kansas City, Mo., arrived this afternoon for a visit with her aunt, Mrs. Francis Ganke, and other friends.

**Requisition Honored.**  
 JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., May 27.—Acting Governor Painter today honored the requisition of Nebraska for Frank Pickard under bond at Kansas City, wanted in Omaha to answer a charge of attempted bribery.