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## Y.W.C.A. NOTES

### Open House.

There will be girls open house at the Young Women's Christian association this Sunday, afternoon from 3 to 6 o'clock and all girls will be welcome, especially visitors in the city, who will find the Y. W. C. A. rooms a pleasant and hospitable place to spend a leisure hour and a most restful place for the tired. Call in without hesitation, there is always a welcome for you within the spacious and inviting walls of the Y. W. C. A.

### First Year's Work.

The first year of our work in the new Y. W. C. A. building has closed. Few people realize to what great extent this building has been used by hundreds of people in the city and strangers who come to the city to trade. It is equal to any in the state and something every one can be proud of. Only a few know what it actually requires from a financial standpoint to keep up and operate successfully an institution of this kind. Last year we did not have quite enough income to meet all demands, our expenses being so much greater than in the old

association rooms, so the finance committee have been trying to contrive some plans whereby we could meet all our expenses and not be before the public all the time.

Now our plans are these: We want 396 people to assist us in our work this year.

First, we want twelve big hearted, generous men to represent the months of the year, one for each month. Second, we want forty-eight \$5.00 membership women to represent the weeks, one for each week. Third, we want 236 one dollar members to represent the days.

The duty of the year 1914 will be represented by the chairman of the finance committee; her duty will be to oversee the whole plan of the year; the duty of each month will be to give us a good, liberal donation; the duty of each week will be to collect from their days their \$1.00 membership dues, and the duty of the days will be to each get new members, and if the merchants who have so kindly assisted us in the past, will continue to do so, we can finance the Y. W. C. A. successfully and be a power for good in the city. This plan means only a little work for 396 members instead of having the members of the finance and membership committees do it all.

Will you help us in this and see if God's blessings will not be given you, as well as the association. We have figured out this plan, and if carried out successfully, we can meet all expenses. Will you help us to do it? At the end of each month the weeks and days together with the new members will enjoy some social session, either a supper, kensington or musicale.

With Miss Dinsdale as our new secretary, and Miss Nutting as the new physical director, we are expecting great results for the work of the year. A few statistics to show you the work we are doing: The membership for the year, September, 1913, to September, 1914, is 936. The number in the "gym" classes is 180; in the domestic science, 30; sewing class, 12; French class, 14; German, 10; commercial class, 12; also other classes for the seniors; 106 camp fire girls; 25 Bible class.

This will give you an idea how much the building is used. During the month of August, 1913, 10,990 people used this building. The number of meals served in the cafeteria for the year is 46,347. It is a great work we are trying to do and we need your support.

### Nothing New.

A reporter was interviewing Thomas A. Edison.

"And you, sir," he said to the inventor, "made the first talking machine?"

"No," Mr. Edison replied; "the first one was made long before my time—out of a rib."

—Read The Daily Gate City, 10 cents per week.

## GETS DAMAGES ON SLANDER CHARGES

E. R. Strohmaier is Awarded \$99 by Jury After Hearing His Case Against Mrs. Nancy Keppel.

### CANARY BIRD IS CAUSE

Plaintiff Claims Mrs. Keppel Accused Him of Taking and Selling Songster Belonging to Her.

It is an expensive proposition to charge a man with stealing a canary. At least a jury in Justice Leland's court decided yesterday that E. R. Strohmaier was entitled to damages of \$99 from Mrs. Nancy Keppel. Strohmaier accused Mrs. Keppel of slandering and claimed that she accused him publicly of stealing a canary bird belonging to her.

The jury after hearing the evidence returned a verdict for the amount sued on, \$99. The six men who heard the case were George E. Radasch, foreman, A. D. Richards, I. C. Williams, H. H. Foster, Neal Sharp and J. H. Brice.

The canary bird which caused all the trouble escaped from Mrs. Keppel this summer. Strohmaier has canary birds, also and claims that Mrs. Keppel accused him of taking her's. Strohmaier brought suit on September 3, in which he alleged that Mrs. Keppel accused him of stealing the bird, and asserted publicly, according to Strohmaier's petition that he stole the canary, and sold it.

Witnesses were produced by Strohmaier who upheld his allegations in the matter, and the jury returned a verdict for him.

It is probable, however, that the case has not ended, as there was a counter claim filed by Mrs. Keppel. She too, alleges slander and wants \$46 for this alleged reflection on her character. She alleges the specific act of slander to have been Strohmaier's applying an alleged vile epithet to her.

Furthermore, in this counter claim, Mrs. Keppel asserts that Strohmaier owes her rent to the amount of \$52.50. She asks total damages of \$99.50.

The attorneys agreed to try the case yesterday on the original petition.

## Y. M. C. A. ITEMS

### The Gymnasium.

The painting in the gymnasium at the Young Men's Christian association has been completed and everything is being placed in excellent condition for the indoor season.

### At Home.

General Secretary Durgée has secured a residence at 205 Blondeau street where the family will locate tomorrow, the property vacated Saturday by the family of Mr. J. Lee Daugherty who moves to Centerville.

### Tennis Tournament.

The tennis tournament for the Keokuk championship is still attracting interest though it has been greatly interfered with by the local rains of the past week.

### Wages Meant to be Earned.

Marshalltown Times-Republican: Perhaps the suggestion of time clocks for congressmen, but it doesn't seem more so than the system of paying a man \$7,500 a year who drops in to work between times when personal interests, chautauqua contracts and pleasure seeking are not pressing. Some old fashioned persons imagine that wages are to be earned whether their recipient is a day laborer or a congressman.

### Home Complexion Peeler Works Wonders

To keep the face, neck, arms and hands truly beautiful and youthful in appearance, the treatment which seems most sensible is one which will actually remove the skin itself immediately it begins to age, fade, coarsen or discolor. The only known treatment which will do this, aside from a painful, expensive surgical operation, is the application of ordinary mercerized wax, which is as harmless as it is effective.

The wax is put on at night, just as you apply cold cream, and washed off in the morning. It absorbs the dead and half-dead surface skin in almost invisible flaky particles, a little each day, no discomfort being experienced. With the disappearance of the old cuticle, the newer, healthier skin underneath gradually appears, richly beautiful with the flush of youth. This mercerized wax, which you can get at any drug store in original package, is indeed a veritable wonder-worker.

## The Warsaw Gate City

Warsaw, Ill., Sept. 13, 1914.

Cal Jones, wife and two children of Berryville, Ark., are visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Ed Jones.

Misses Ethel Brinkman and Katherine Dodge returned Friday from Colorado, where they have been spending the summer at different points of interest.

The store fronts of Ferris and Raich, and A. J. Buckert are being painted cherry red, trimmed in light gray, a delightful change from dark green.

Miss Eaton and Mrs. Ralston have moved into their new home on corner of Ninth and Clark streets.

Rev. J. M. Thompson, pastor of the Presbyterian church, attended the fall meeting of Rushville Presbytery at Carthage and delivered the charge to the people at the installation of the new pastor at the Presbyterian church.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Clark and son of Chicago have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brinkman the past week. Mr. Clark has returned home, but Mrs. Clark and son will remain longer.

The high school orchestra held its first rehearsal Monday evening at St. Paul's Episcopal rectory under the direction of Rev. Geo. Long who has kindly consented to give the young men the benefit of his services. The following is the personnel of the orchestra: Mr. T. Hunt, Jr., piano; Paul Dory, cornet; Roscoe Myers, cornet; Phillip Luedde, violin; Victor Mills, clarinet; Claude Kiser, trombone.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schad and daughter Miss Adella of Wichita, Kan., and Miss Amella Schach of Washington, D. C., are visiting relatives here.

Not many autos in Saturday because of the muddy roads.

The Illinois M. E. conference met at Shelbyville Thursday. It is probable the Rev. A. E. Cole, the M. E. pastor here will be returned to this charge, a consummation devoutly to be wished for, not only by his congregation but by the public generally.

Miss Rosa Becker, formerly of Warsaw, was on Aug. 5th united in marriage to John Rite in Los Angeles, Cal. Her Warsaw friends extend congratulations.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Eymann have been spending the past week in Chicago, Mr. Eymann making his purchase of fall goods.

Corn is turning out better than it first appeared that it would, but is far short of last year. 70c per bushel is paid for it here. Wheat is over \$1.00 and some farmer predict that it will be \$1.25 before Thanksgiving.

Henry C. Wemhauer died at his home in Warsaw, Wednesday evening, Sept. 9, after an illness of several months due to asthma. He was born in Germany sixty-seven years ago, April 7th, and came to America when seven years of age. In 1873 (Aug. 10), he was married to Miss Elizabeth S. Hildman. To this union five sons were born, Frank, who preceded him in death five years ago; Geo. A., of Warsaw; Theo. H., of near Lima; Henry of Rock Run and Oscar C., of Hibbing, Minn. The four sons with his wife survive him. He lived in Walker township until after his marriage, then moved to Wilcox township where he resided on the old homestead until nine years ago, when he moved to Warsaw. Funeral services were held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at his late residence, Rev. J. M. Thompson, pastor of the Presbyterian church, officiating.

The remains of Mrs. Henry J. Fasthoff were buried in Warsaw cemetery, Saturday afternoon, funeral services occurring at her late residence 1612 Franklin street, Keokuk, at 1 p. m. Mr. and Mrs. Fasthoff were residents of Warsaw for some time and removed to Keokuk several years ago.

Mrs. Edith Jones Want, has been ordered to the training station at Newport, R. I., where he and his wife will be located for six months.

The R. N. of A. camp is talking of appearing in the parade at the centennial celebration Sept. 29-30 and Oct. 1st.

Dr. Geo. F. Jenkins of Keokuk, recently deceased, was well known to the writer and highly esteemed, the acquaintance beginning when the doctor was the only surgeon on the big canal during its construction, attending all of the injuries, which were many. He had an office for some time at Sandusky and it was here that the writer was frequently associated with him. His death is much regretted, and his place will be hard to fill.

The bronze bas relief tablets for the four sides of the Ft. Edwards monument are being affixed and greatly ad to its beauty.

The public school enrollment thus far is 305; this high school enrollment is 64 which is fifteen more than last year on opening day.

That baseball game at Hamilton last Sunday turned out to be a "skin" game, so we are informed. Score 6 to 4. Shake!

Miss Elizabeth Hammond, oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Salem Hammond who lived on a farm near Warsaw about thirty years ago and were well known in Warsaw, died at a hospital in Chicago last Sunday night after an illness of several months. The deceased was born near Warsaw and her early girlhood was spent here. When twenty years of age she went to Nebraska with her parents.

In Lincoln, Neb., she entered a hospital and learned to be a trained nurse, following that profession the balance of her life. Remaining in Lincoln until a few months ago, she then went to Seattle, Wash., to stay with her sister Miss Lydia Hammond and later went to Chicago. She is survived by two sisters Mrs. Julia Mensel of Chicago and Miss Lydia Hammond of Seattle, Wash.; also by two brothers John Hammond of New York and Ray Hammond of Newark, N. J. She was a niece of Seabury Chandler and cousin of M. S. Hammond, both of this vicinity. On Wednesday last the remains were brought to Warsaw and after funeral services at the Wythe Congregational church Wednesday at 11 o'clock, she was buried in the Wythe Congregational cemetery.

Miss Kate Johnson and brothers James and Wilber will leave Monday to enter Knox college, Galesburg, Ill. They are children of Clarence Johnson of this city.

Carl Ortman leaves this week for Chicago, where he will take a course in decorating, fine lettering and paper hanging.

We Stand for Peace While Others War.

The world's turned back a thousand years.

Since War! is now the cry;

The smile of Progress turns to tears.

The helpless wonder why?

There's nothing worth the toll of life,

Before or since the foot—

Is so-called "Honor" worth the price,

When rivers flow with blood?

### CHORUS

We stand for peace, while others war,

Tho' war we know is sin;

But Uncle Sam's a neutral power,

And we must stand by him.

We can't take sides, for all the world

Will suffer for this wrong;

And we'll pray that every nation,

Right their wrongs by arbitration.

And that "Home Sweet Home"

Will be their National Song.

Who said the world was civilized,

We'd found the dawn of day,

That education's star of hope,

With love would find the way?

This war's effect on us, depends

On what we do or say,

Our greatest help, is self-control,

Till peace shall hold full sway.

Miss Laura Fry will leave Monday for Galesburg where she will enter Knox college.

Miss May Bliss, formerly of Warsaw, now Mrs. Frank Follett, resides in Fairmont, Minn., and will next week have as guests Mr. and Mrs. David Baker, the newlyweds of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Sherwood of Minneapolis, formerly of Warsaw, are rejoicing in the advent of an 8 pound boy, born Sept. 8th.

The Warsaw Social club will give its first annual dance at Eagles hall next Thursday evening, Sept. 17.

"The Under Dog" is the dramatic attraction booked for Sept. 22, by Manager Hamburger.

Mrs. Ed. Dedman of Alexandria, Mo., well known in Warsaw, her girlhood home, died in Graham hospital, Keokuk, at 11:30 Thursday night. For nearly a year she had been troubled with an affliction of the feet which developed into gangrene and caused her death; for years she has also suffered with diabetes. Henrietta Braun was her maiden name, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Braun, and was born in Warsaw, Nov. 28, 1859. When a young girl she went to Alexandria and was married in that city Aug. 5, 1877, to Mr. Ed. Dedman. There she has lived ever since. Well known there, she has many friends in Warsaw as well who mourn her death. She was a most excellent woman, devoted to her family and well beloved by all who knew her. She is survived by her husband, one son Willis, and one daughter Mrs. Alma Roberts, both of Alexandria; also two half brothers Chas. Zeisler of Warsaw and Albert Zeisler of Alexandria. Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the residence and remains were brought to Warsaw and interred in the German cemetery.

Richard Simpson has returned to Des Moines after a short visit with his grandmother Mrs. M. Nagel.

Warsaw baseball club goes to Ft. Madison Sunday to play a crack team there.

Our people are assured of a great treat by the Swiss Bell Ringers Thursday, Sept. 18.

Stage of water here is 8 feet and rising.

Henry H. Heilmann has returned to his home in St. Louis after a pleasant visit here with friends.

Merle Eymann is home after two months visit with relatives in Colorado.

Rev. Geo. Long recently held a very successful eight days mission at Meyer.

Miss Augusta Cress has gone to her school in Oklahoma City, Okla. Chas. Albers has returned from a business trip to Chicago.

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## DRESSES

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