

D. A. R. YEAR BOOK HAS BEEN ISSUED

Ancestral History is Topic for This Year's Meetings and Will be Treated Through Series of Papers.

OUR FOREFATHERS' DAY

Dr. Frank G. Beardsley Will Make Address at This Meeting Which is New One for Local Daughters.

The year book of the Keokuk Chapter D. A. R., has gone to press. The society always issues an attractive book from the printers' standpoint.

October 10, 1914—Hostesses Miss Strickler and Miss Gage. Papers by Mrs. J. F. Elder and Mrs. H. R. Collins.

November 14, 1914—Hostess, Mrs. Harry J. Reeves. Paper, Mrs. W. G. Blood. Report of state conference, Mrs. D. A. Collier.

December 12, 1914—Hostess, Mrs. N. T. Wilcox. Address "Forefathers' Day," Dr. Frank G. Beardsley. Paper, Mrs. Ezra B. Newcomb.

January 9, 1915—Hostess, Miss Anne B. Davis. Paper, Mrs. J. L. Canby.

February 13, 1915—Hostess, Mrs. W. C. Bonney. Papers, Mrs. J. B. Diver, Miss Lucia G. Pittman.

February 22, 1915—Annual luncheon. Arranged by the social committee.

March 13, 1915—Hostess, Mrs. J. O. Boyd. Paper, Mrs. H. Boyden Blood.

April 10, 1915—Hostess, Mrs. Henry S. Walker. Paper, Mrs. Robert Lapsley.

May 8, 1915—Hostess, Mrs. Henry W. Huiskamp. Annual business meeting and election of officers.

Memorial to Mrs. Sawyer.

The book contains a memorial page to Mrs. Marcia Louise Jenkins Sawyer who died April 10, 1914, and who held the following offices: Treasurer Keokuk Chapter D. A. R., 1900-1901. Vice regent, 1902-1904. Regent, 1904-1906, 1905-1906, 1913-1914. State vice regent, 1914.

Committees for the Year. The standing committees for the year are listed as follows: Program—Mrs. J. F. Elder, Mrs. Harry J. Reeves, Mrs. H. Boyden Blood, Miss Ora B. Cole, Miss Elizabeth W. Dunlap.

Library—Mrs. J. L. Canby, Mrs. J. B. Diver, Mrs. Clara P. Sheldon, Mrs. H. S. Walker.

Social—Mrs. W. G. Blood, Mrs. A. C. Decker, Mrs. R. M. Lapsley, Mrs. H. R. Collins and Mrs. Henry Huiskamp.

Park gate way—Mrs. D. A. Collier, Mrs. R. M. Lapsley, Mrs. W. G. Blood, Miss Anne B. Davis.

Printing—Miss Dunlap. On the chapter waiting list, that is a list of those who have made application for membership, are the following: Mrs. Nellie Hayden Wilcox, Miss Helen I. Ferris, Carthage; Miss Katherine Sage, Miss Winifred Jones, Miss Edna Jones, Mrs. Victorine Evans Cook, Salem; Mrs. Belle Capcock Bickler, Salem; Mrs. Ellen Sawyer Board, Miss Elizabeth Board.

CITY NEWS.

—Marriage licenses were issued Saturday to Dess Taylor, 30, and Bessie Snively, 26, of Canton and (id. on Dade, 30, and Minnie Colquitt, 28, of Canton.

—This is the season for equinoctial storms. Fall is scheduled to commence on September 23, and from the twentieth to the twenty-fifth, storms of the equinox period may be looked for. The weather man is forecasting rain for this section tonight.

—The Jewish New Year was observed in this city with special services at the tabernacle last night and today. The feast of Rosh Hoshanah began at sundown last night and lasts until evening today. Many of the orthodox Jews observe Tuesday, also, as the beginning of the new calendar year.

—A marriage license was issued this afternoon to George Burton, 23, of Brockton, Mass., and Vera Scotton, 23, of Mount Sterling, Iowa.

—The funeral of Clinton Rollins Brown, the aged colored man who died at 1928 Franklin street, Saturday was held at the place of his death, at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Rev. Helm of the colored Baptist church officiating, after which the remains were taken to Hamilton, Ill., where the burial took place.

—The excursion to Quincy yesterday on the steamer Mississippi was not well patronized, only about two hundred making the trip.

ASKS DISMISSAL OF ALIENS' CASE

Immigration Official Wants Applications of Isaac Bork, William Pierre Blondet and Ottomar Karl Siese Marked Off.

OUR FOREFATHERS' DAY GROUNDS ARE CITED

In Two Cases It is Claimed That Verifying Witnesses Had No Personal Knowledge of Residence.

Motions to dismiss have been filed in three immigration cases, by United States Commissioner Bevinston of St. Louis. These three applications will come up some time next week together with the other matters which will be brought up at the naturalization hearing. Thursday was the day for the hearing, but owing to the postponement of court for a week, the date of hearing has been put over.

The cases in which applications to dismiss have been filed are those of Isaac Bork, William Pierre Blondet and Ottomar Karl Siese.

In the case of Isaac Bork, the commissioner asks that his case be dismissed on the grounds that the verifying witnesses did not have personal knowledge of the fact that the petitioner resided in the United States for the required length of time, continuously.

Practically the same grounds for dismissal on the grounds that the verifying witness, Samuel Peterson, did not have personal knowledge.

In the case of Siese, the government is asking for dismissal on the grounds that his application has been pending since April 17, 1913, and that it had been continued several times, and that it is believed that reasonable time has been given in which to bring it up.

Two applications for citizenship will be heard before Judge Hamilton some time next week, when a day is appointed.

An Overburdened Wife.

If the work that women do and the pains they suffer could be measured in figures, what a terrible array they would present! Through girlhood, wifehood and motherhood women toil on, often suffering with backache, pains in side, headaches and nervousness which are tell-tale symptoms of organic derangements which Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound—made from roots and herbs—can undoubtedly correct. Women who suffer should not give up hope until they have given it a trial.

FALL CELEBRATION ENDS AT CARTHAGE

School Children's Parade is Feature of Closing Day of Big Pageant There.

CARTHAGE, Ill., Sept. 21.—Saturday, the third and last day of the annual fall celebration, was one of many delights to the visitors who thronged the streets and park. The incoming trains were all crowded. The Carthage band met all the trains and the Orchard City band came in from Burlington. The two bands gave alternate concerts. There was a great crowd in town.

The afternoon program was very full and interesting. It opened with a parade of the prize winning colts, horses and mules. This was followed by the parade of school children and college students. That was a most inspiring sight and was highly enjoyed. The school students all wore caps of the school colors, blue and white, and the college students wore caps of red and white, the college colors. After the parade the school students massed at the northwest corner of the square and gave their class yell.

The Burlington band gave several fine concerts during the day, which was greatly appreciated. The free entertainments were all good and the usual little tent shows that come with a carnival company were not missed. No arrangements were made with a carnival company this year. The whole week's program was clean and good.

CITY NEWS.

—In the district court a motion and affidavit for temporary alimony has been filed by the defendant in the case of J. H. Laycock vs. Adele Laycock.

—A number of local hunters were out in the fields around Keokuk yesterday. A number of the Gate City Gun club members enjoyed a shoot at the Linenburger farm.

—Feel languid, weak, run-down? Headache? Stomach "off"?—Just a plain case of lousy liver. Burdock Blood Bitters tones liver and stomach, promotes digestion, purifies the blood. —Advertisement

SOCIETY

Keokuk at Chicago Wedding. The following from the society page of the Chicago Tribune will be of interest locally:

The marriage of Miss Margaret White, elder daughter of Mrs. Henry Fisher White, 5517 East End avenue, to Albion Scotson Webbe, son of Mrs. William E. Webbe, was solemnized last night at the home of the bride's mother, the service being read by Dean Sumner. Miss Dorothy White, sister of the bride, was the maid of honor, and Raymond D. McGrath of Keokuk, Iowa, college room-mate of Mr. Webbe, was the best man. The Misses Helen and Ruth Johnson stretched the ribbons and Malcolm MacFarland of Keokuk, Iowa, and Noyes Bright of Minneapolis were the ushers. Miss Mildred Webster of North Attleboro, Mass., a college friend of the bride, played on the violin during the ceremony. The bride's gown was of white charmeuse draped with lace. The court train was embroidered in pearls and the full length veil was of tulle. The bride carried a muff of chiffon with coat of pink brocade satin. She carried a basket of pink roses. Mr. and Mrs. Webbe will travel through the east on their wedding trip and after Nov. 15 will be at home at 1157 East Fifty-fourth street.

Daughters of 1812 Meet.

Last week in Council Bluffs the U. S. Daughters of 1812 of the state of Iowa celebrated the one hundredth anniversary of the saving of Baltimore. The members of the various patriotic societies of Keokuk will be interested in seeing the following program since most of those having part are well known here:

Invocation—Rev. Frederic W. Evans.

Songs, "Star Spangled Banner"—Elks Quartette.

Presentation of the tablet to the public library, commemorating the visit of Abraham Lincoln to Council Bluffs, on behalf of the Frances Scott Key chapter, U. S. Daughters of 1812, by Mrs. Mary H. S. Johnston, state president, U. S. Daughters of 1812.

Unveiling of the tablet—Miss Eleanor Evans.

Acceptance of the Tablet—Hon. John R. Galvin, president of library board.

Song, "Iowa, Beautiful Land"—Elks Quartette.

Address, Lincoln—Judge Walter I. Smith.

Reminiscences—Gen. Grenville M. Dodge.

Song, "America"—Elks Quartette. Benediction—Rev. Frederic W. Evans.

W. R. C. to Entertain.

The Woman's Relief Corps of the Torrence Post will entertain the W. R. C. of Warsaw at their hall, Eighth and Main, on Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Travel Class at Mrs. Cole's.

The special meeting of the Travel Class which was called at the home of Mrs. Ira W. Willis for Tuesday afternoon at half past four o'clock will meet with Mrs. John H. Cole on the same date and hour.

Church Officers' Supper.

The officers of the First Westminster Presbyterian church will have supper together in the chapel on Tuesday evening at half past six o'clock. Following the supper a conference will be held. Capt. A. H. Evans, W. C. Howell, Prof. Wm. Aldrich will speak. The supper will be served by the members of the Chapel Fund society.

To Entertain in Chapel.

Meedames E. C. Peterson, H. E. Schmidt, R. Osborn, W. W. Jones, J. Moore, M. A. Wilson, T. Davis and Miss Clara Wright will entertain the members of the Sewing society and their friends at a social meeting in the chapel of the First Westminster Presbyterian church.

Civic League Meeting.

The Civic League will hold its first regular meeting of the club year on next Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Y. W. C. A. building. Reports of committees which are making preparations for the district convention, will be made, the proposed program for the year's work and other important business transacted. A very large attendance is hoped for.

Miss Miller is Home.

Miss Florence Miller returned Sunday from a two week's visit in Minneapolis. During her visit she was the honor guest at a number of dinners, luncheons and other social affairs.

Annual Y. W. C. A. Reception.

On Thursday evening the annual reception will be given for the members and friends of the Young Women's Christian association in the auditorium. The reception this year is especially in honor of Miss Densdale and Miss Nutting, the new secretaries. A program will be followed by light refreshments.

Judge Felix Hughes will leave this evening to attend the sessions of the supreme court at Des Moines.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Harsch have returned home after a few days visit with relatives and friends in Missouri.

AMUSEMENTS.

B. R. Parker Shows. The B. R. Parker shows arrived in Keokuk late Sunday afternoon and immediately started on the unloading of their private train of 22-double length cars loaded to capacity with the equipment necessary to construct this tented city of wonders. And busy hours they were, hours in which one by one the great trucks and heavy wagons, were unloaded from the flat cars, and drivers rocked upon their seats atop of these heavy vehicles, swaying along as they handled the reins of many horses as they hurried away to their location on Main street, starting at the corner of Tenth and northward.

The B. R. Parker shows come to Keokuk with the hearty approval of those who have visited the various shows in the different cities visited by this organization this season. The attractions have given universal satisfaction and have been pronounced moral in every respect. Woman and children have according to statements been heavy patrons to these attractions. All the wagon fronts are hand carved and laid with gold and silver trimmings, the midway is exceptionally well lighted at all times of the evening and the general tone prevailing is that of clean, wholesome fun. The Parker standard is at all times maintained.

An exceptionally well organized concert band will give open air concerts twice daily during their engagement in this city. B. R. Parker, owner and general manager said that everything would be up and ready directly after the six o'clock band concert.—Advertisement

At the Orpheum.

This is our feature bargain day and at each and every performance, we will give \$2 worth of entertainment for the small amount of one thin dime.

Remember this is the day we present "The Wrath of the Gods," which has been fully advertised in this paper and is a play that none of you should miss. I wish to announce further, that being a baseball enthusiast, I have arranged with the Keokuk Baseball association whereby they will receive 50 per cent of the proceeds of this theatre for the next sixty days. If you want to see Keokuk have a baseball team that will carry away the pennant in 1915, attend this theatre often, thereby helping to swell their funds that they will be in a position to secure the best baseball talent in the Central association.

Price of admission always the same. Wm. Underwood, sole owner.—Advertisement

DRUG PRICES TO SOAR SAYS LOCAL DRUGGIST

Shortage in Peroxide and Other Chemicals Predicted—Imported Perfumes Advance.

Despite statements to the contrary by the state board, local druggists say the price of drugs is now advancing sharply and will in all probability continue to advance. This is especially true of all drugs and chemicals of foreign manufacture.

Impending shortage in peroxide is causing druggists here to buy all they can at present prices. Barium, which comes only from England and Germany, is used in the manufacture of peroxide. On account of the fact that it will ignite, if it becomes damp or if water reaches it, only a very few vessels will carry it and then it is loaded on the decks where it can be quickly thrown overboard.

It is pointed out that if the war ends soon and shipping is resumed, congestion in freight houses will be relieved by the shipping of all other goods in preference to this chemical. It would be practically impossible to have it transported to this country before winter, which means that no shipments can be made before next spring, on account of the fact that it is destroyed by freezing.

Imported perfumes, citric acid, and many other drugs and chemicals are also rapidly advancing in price. Barium has advanced 500 per cent during the last month while citric acid has increased 200 per cent in that length of time.

DR. R. M. TOWNSEND RETURNS TO KEOKUK

After Several Months Absence on Business and to Recuperate His Physical Condition.

Dr. Richard M. Townsend has returned to the city after a few months absence on a twin mission in Texas a portion of the time, down in the coast company, for recuperation and to look after his landed interests in that region. He left here in the latter half of last summer, and has gained much in vitality, coming back as lively as the youngest of the young men. He has many old friends down in the land he visited and enjoyed a royal time among them. His Keokuk friends are glad to welcome him back and are much pleased with the appearance of improvement that he brings back with him.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

BARKER—The funeral of Mrs. Clara Bell Barker will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from Crimmins and Chase undertaking parlors. Rev. Newcomb officiating. Friends invited.

INSPECTION MADE OF RIVER DRIVE

Two Supervisors and Committee of Local Citizens Go Over the Road This Afternoon.

CITY OFFICIALS GO

Mayor Moorhead and Commissioner Schmidt in Party—Lunch at Elks Club on Return.

An inspection of the Lake View drive between this city and Montrose was made this afternoon by Supervisors Hostler and Sheffer and a committee of citizens from this city for the purpose of learning the condition of the road at the present time and determining what should be done in placing it in condition.

With the committee was Mayor S. W. Moorhead, Commissioner F. T. F. Schmidt, and City Attorney Theo. Craig. Supervisor Young was unable to make the trip on account of sickness.

The party left the Elks club at 3 o'clock this afternoon and expected to spend the remainder of the day in making the inspection. They will return early this evening and taking dinner at the Elks club, methods of repairing the road and of keeping it in condition will be further discussed.

Funds for repairing this road and for keeping it in condition are being raised from three sources. The county supervisors have promised a certain sum as has the city council of this city. The remainder of the money needed is being raised among automobile men of this city. The committee that has been soliciting the money here has met with a generous response from automobile men and from business houses where the value of the road to the city is realized.

It is hoped that enough money can be secured that continuous care can be given the road. One man could be constantly employed looking after the drive. By repairing the worst places as soon as they develop, the upkeep expense can be greatly reduced and the drive maintained constantly in good shape.

TURKISH QUESTION AT TENT MEETING

Between Five and Six Hundred People Attended the Service Last Evening.

[Contributed.] The interest in the Turkish question as given in the Bible, was so great that when the song service began last evening, almost every seat in the large tent was taken, and by the time the lecture began every available seat and chair was occupied, while large numbers remained standing outside the tent. Although the attendance was large, being conservatively estimated at between five and six hundred, the order was perfect and all gave marked attention to the remarkable prophecy from the ninth chapter of Revelation, concerning the rise of the Ottoman empire. This is one of the very few prophecies in the Bible that foretell an event to the exact day of the month, and this prophecy was made almost eighteen hundred years before it came to pass. Two years before the Turks lost their independence on the 11th day of August, 1840, the Lord unfolded this prophecy to a faithful Methodist minister, who made it known to the world. The great majority of people just scoffed at the idea, but their scoffing did not in the least hinder the fulfillment of the prophecy; and the thousands who did believe it were not disappointed when on the exact day foretold in prophecy, August 11, 1840, the affairs of the Turkish empire passed into the hands of receivers, so to speak, the great powers of Europe, and it is just at the surferance of these powers that Turkey has existed since that time.

In the study tonight of this great question from Daniel, it will be found that this condition of affairs is not long. A preliminary step in this direction, which has been taken by Turkey within the last two weeks, was spoken of last night. The Bible states just what the end of the "sick man of the east" will be, and what disposition will be made of him. Also it plainly tells of an event of tremendous moment to every resident of Keokuk and vicinity, which will take place just at that time.

MRS. JAMES S. BARKER DIED SUNDAY MORNING

Was Born and Reared in Keokuk and Married Here—Leaves Husband and Two Sons.

Mrs. James Barker, of Tenth and Main streets, died at a local hospital at 9:45 o'clock Sunday morning. She was taken to the hospital several days ago where she underwent an operation, apparently successful, and a few days afterwards a change came and she passed away at the hour named above.

She was born in Keokuk, June 12, 1869, her maiden name being Clara Isabel Bunyan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Bunyan. She was reared in the Methodist church, but later in life showed a preference for the Westminster Presbyterian church, where her children attended Sabbath school.

On June 15, 1890, she was married to Mr. James S. Barker, and the result of that union, two sons, survive, with her husband, Bennie and James Barker, who are sadly grieving the loss of a good wife and a kind and loving mother. She is also survived by two sisters, Mrs. Samuel Daugh-

ters, of El Campo, Texas, and Mrs. William Mallory of Chicago; also by one brother, Milo Bunyan, of Danville, Ill.

Mrs. Barker had been a resident here so long that she was well known in a large circle of friends and neighbors who regret to hear of her death and extend heartfelt sympathy and tender condolence to the bereaved family in their hour of sorrow.

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COUNCIL APPOINTS CITY REGISTRARS

Registrars of Election Appointed by the City Council at Their Meeting This Morning.

PAY ROLL APPROVED AND OTHER ROUTINE BUSINESS TAKEN UP BY THE COUNCIL AT MEETING.

The city council today appointed the board of registrars for the coming two years who will register voters for all city elections. Proper notice will be sent the registrars appointed when they should appear at the city offices. The registrars by precincts follow:

First precinct—D. H. Annable and J. W. Watson.

Second precinct—Henry Miller and Con. Sheahan.

Third precinct—John F. Carpenter and Thos. F. Talbot.

Fourth precinct—W. J. Miller and J. E. Mitchell.

Fifth precinct—J. L. Canby and W. H. Stuckert.

Sixth precinct—C. W. Ewers and J. A. Wheatstone.

Seventh precinct—W. B. Patterson and Ross Kiser.

The council approved the weekly pay roll and took up some routine business at the meeting held this morning.

LAND OPPORTUNITIES.

NO BETTER opportunity anywhere in the country than is offered in the great Denver district, the natural home of alfalfa. You can raise just as good alfalfa on this \$20 to \$25 land as you can on the \$100 to \$300 land of Illinois or Iowa, and you are closer to a great market. Wheat is making 25 to 50 bushels an acre. Round trip \$20.79 from Creston, Iowa. Write to S. N. Wilkins, Creston, Iowa, for further particulars. Next excursion on Saturday, Sept. 26.

MISCELLANEOUS.

RAILROAD firemen, brakemen, \$120. Experience unnecessary. Send age, postage. Railway, care Gate City.

ORIGINAL NOTICE.

State of Iowa, Lee County—ss. In the district court of said county, at Keokuk.

Beulah Ricker, plaintiff, versus Cunrad T. Ricker, defendant—original notice.

To the above named defendant: You are hereby notified that a petition will be on file in the clerk's office of the district court aforesaid at Keokuk, on or before October 26, 1914, in behalf of the above named plaintiff, against you and claiming a divorce on the grounds of desertion and cruel and inhuman treatment such as to endanger her life.

And unless you appear thereto and defend before noon of the second day of the next regular November term of said court, to be begun and holden at Keokuk on the 9th day of November A. D., 1914, default will be entered against you and judgment rendered thereon as prayed for in said petition.

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Want Column

WANTED.—Boy 16 years of age, not in school, to deliver and to do other work. Address Store, this office.

WANTED.—Experienced lady for domestic work. See the matron at the County home.

WANTED.—At once, two unfurnished rooms for housekeeping, with bath. Modern, north side. Mrs. Benjamin Moore, care E. F. Renaud. Red 697.

FOR RENT.—House, good furnace, cement floor in cellar, modern plumbing, hard wood floors, stationary laundry tubs, gas and electric lights; furnished or unfurnished. Also an apartment. Call at 727 North Ninth street.

FOR RENT.—No. 19 North Eleventh street, five rooms, toilet, city water. Price \$16.00 per month. See E. L. Aldrich.

FOR RENT.—Seven room house and barn. Inquire 929 Franklin.

FOR RENT.—Three furnished rooms for light housekeeping; also one large unfurnished room. Mrs. Scherer, 23 Blondeau. Phone Red 282.

FOR SALE.—A few choice White Leghorn cockerels. Enquire 510 North Eighth street.

FOR SALE.—Second hand organs, \$5. Square pianos, \$10. Guest Piano Co., 502 Malu.

LOST.—Bunch of keys Thursday night. Return to H. F. Loewenstein, care Keokuk Electric Co.

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