

NOTED GUESTS AT CLUB'S OPENING

Rupert Hughes and Mrs. Ella May Smith of Columbus, Speak Before Monday Music Club and Guests.

LARGEST CROWD THERE

Not Since Organization Was Started Has There Been Such Crowd as Turned Out Last Evening.

The largest audience that ever gathered at the year's opening of the Monday Music Club in its fifteen years of existence, was present last night at the Y. W. C. A. auditorium. Mrs. Ella May Smith of Columbus, Ohio, was the guest of honor, while Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Hughes of New York shared honors with her. Miss Martha Baldwin, president of the Monday Music Club, presided and gave a few words of greeting to the guests, to the members of the Music Club, both new and old members. The opening number, "Das Kraut Vergessenheit," by Hildach, was given by Mrs. Florence Wright Schouten with piano accompaniment by Miss Clara Gertrude Fry. Mrs. Schouten always pleases and last night was no exception.

In introducing Mr. Rupert Hughes, who was greeted with prolonged applause, Miss Baldwin said: "We know him better than the great world of which he is a citizen. I only ask you to help me welcome him to 'The Home Nest'."

Mr. Hughes' short speech had a clever turn in every sentence. He said in part: "This is a harder speech to make than was the first one I ever made because I feel as if I were talking to what George Ade calls the 'I knew you when' club. I can see the greatest change and growth in Keokuk each time I come home. When I was here four years ago you had a fine new Young Men's Christian association building and when I came back this time I find a Young Women's Christian association building. Now I was brought up in Keokuk without any christian association, and I am hoping that when I come again

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you who have provided so well for the young will have a building to bring the old folks around. When I came into Keokuk I looked up Blondeau street, saw this building and I said, 'There's the new hotel where I want to stop.' They said, 'Oh no, that isn't for you, you are not young, you aren't a woman, and I fear you haven't the other qualifications.' They referred me to the Elks building farther up the street.

Keokuk Always Artistic. "Keokuk has always been artistic, I recall that from my earliest days, that the Greek and Italian art were well known here, but today I was served Italian spaghetti in a Greek restaurant and I felt that I was getting confused or mixed on the two arts. My earliest recollection of music in Keokuk was, a composition taught me by Theodore English, (some of you old ones like myself knew him), thinking sort of a thing something about the music of the rapids and I came here and found the rapids no more; they are calmed into a great lake by your wonderful dam.

"My friends, music requires two things—someone to play and someone to hear. There is no difference between good and bad music, only the good music wears and the bad music doesn't. The tango music is good, the most popular music a few years ago was Sousa's, today it is Irving Berlin's rag time. But it is not that popular music for a day which wears. The hope of music lies in such quiet

appreciative audiences as gather here and elsewhere in this and other countries to study the music which has stood the test of time and of music which will wear.

Tommy Graham of His Time. "Johann Sebastian Bach played the organ in his home village of Weimar for years and was loved and appreciated there—he was the Tommy Graham of his time—and finally his work was appreciated everywhere. You have musicians here in you will but give them your ears, good long ears for good long pieces. We have had such a good time here, we have been treated so royally we shall have to go home to the quiet domain of New York to rest up."

The next number was a piano solo by Mrs. Arvilla Erdman Cooper, Mehlsto Waltz by Liszt. Mrs. Cooper gave a splendid interpretation of the very difficult number and played with great brilliancy. She is a musician of which any city might be proud and Keokuk is very proud of her.

In introducing Mrs. Ella May Smith, Miss Baldwin congratulated the club in having as its guest the one who has done more for musical organization in this country than any other. Mrs. Smith said: "As I sat there looking at Mr. Hughes I thought what a fine thing to have been born in Keokuk and to be welcomed back in this splendid fashion. I feel really sorry for myself because I am only related to Keokuk by marriage."

Music Club's Province. Mrs. Smith's subject was "The Province of the Music Club." She told what the Woman's Music Club of Columbus has done, it has reached the high water mark in America, and from that spoke of the things which other clubs may do, following its example. She said Keokuk is one of the ten cities in America to have a music club of 500 members.

She told what their club of 4,200 members has done artistically, educationally, municipally, philanthropically and nationally. They bring to Columbus the best musical artists of the world afford. They give to the public extension lectures by the principal composers of this country. They encourage the public school music and are working to have credits given and by the public school teachers to pupils who take music from private teachers. They give free to the city of Columbus ten organ recitals every year with a famous soprano or violinist to vary the program. They gave \$2,000 to start a musical section in the public library. They give concerts in every state institution, prison, work house, hospital and in the Crittenden home. These concerts are given free and are finished programs. They provide free lessons in music in all the social settlements in Columbus and to poor children who otherwise would not have the training.

For American Music. The club stands for American music. They always sing in English and are trying to encourage Americans everywhere to sing in their native tongue. The club's slogan is, "More music in your life and more life in your music." In summing up the province of the music club she said it is "to refine, to cultivate, to enable, to uplift our immediate and tributary neighborhood." The audience was one in its appreciation of the address and of the wonderful accomplishment of the woman through whose influence all of these things have been worked out. She has created a model for music clubs and inspired them with an ideal, which if it is worked out will do very much for American music and for America's appreciation of music.

Following the program a reception was held in the upper corridor. Mr. H. T. Graham announced the guests to the receiving line which included Miss Baldwin, Mrs. Ella May Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Hughes, Miss Clara Gertrude Fry, Miss Eleanor Brown, Mrs. Arvilla Erdman Cooper and J. O. Boyd. Ices and cake were served by a committee of the music club, assisted by a number of young women.

GRAND LODGE IS TO MEET IN BURLINGTON
Odd Fellows Will be There October 19, 20, 21, 22 and 23 for Some Special Sessions.

The grand lodge of I. O. O. F. will meet in Burlington this month. Committees are busy preparing for the gatherings. The Burlington Hawk-Eye comments on the meeting as follows:

A local committee of Odd Fellows was at Galesburg recently, to see the McDonough encampment of Bushnell put on some of the work. That encampment is to have prominent part in the Monday morning meeting at the Grand opera house. The committee returned from Galesburg singing the praises of the Bushnell organization, and everybody feels confident that this part of the program is going to be a grand success.

While it is an Iowa grand lodge meeting, there is no such thing as state lines in Odd Fellowship, and the brethren from one side of the river will be just as welcome as those from the other. A number of lodges in western Illinois have been invited and are expected to swell the parade and to have a good time in Burlington, the home of Odd Fellowship in Iowa. The general committee started out with the belief that the attendance was not going to be as large as some

How Thin People Can Put On Flesh

A New Discovery.

This men and women—that big, hearty, filling dinner you ate last night. What became of all the fat-producing nourishment it contained? You haven't gained in weight one ounce. That food passed from your body like unburned coal through an open grate. The material was there, but your food doesn't work and stick, and the plain truth is you hardly get enough nourishment from your meals to pay for the cost of cooking. This is true of thin folks the world over. Your nutritive organs, your functions of assimilation, are sadly out of gear and need reconstruction.

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of the boosters had predicted. After many conferences and much correspondence with lodges in all parts of the state, they are beginning to believe that the boosters were entirely in the right, and so orders have gone in for more badges and plans have been revised, in order that the greatest number can be taken care of, that has been suggested to the present time. If the Odd Fellows can only be insured the kind of weather that Burlington has been enjoying for several weeks, there can be no doubt, that the Burlington encampment will be the most enjoyable and successful in the history of the organization.

Solving Cotton Problem. [United Press Leased Wire Service.] WASHINGTON, Oct. 6.—Formation by southern bankers of a "cotton pool" with resources of from \$150,000,000 to \$200,000,000 to take care of the cotton crop deprived by the war of European market, was a solution of the cotton problem before the treasury department today. Its adoption and approval by Secretary McAdoo was deemed certain. Assessments are to be made upon each bank to complete the cotton pool similar to the plan of operation of the exporters of gold pool now nearly completed under supervision of the federal reserve board. Loans from the "pool" will be made to cotton producers and brokers on a basis of six or seven cents a pound based upon cotton warehouse receipts.

The "pool" plan seemed the probable solution of the cotton situation to take the place of various congressional legislative schemes suggested.

BAD BLOOD.

Hatred of the Nations for One Another. This European war was born of the hatred caused by earlier warfare—it will engender other wars between the same nations in the future. The sons yet unborn will carry this hatred in their blood to blaze into warfare when the spark is touched by kings or statesmen who are yet in infancy.

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HE LOOKED OVER HIS FUTURE HOME

Warden Sanders at Fort Madison Has Convicted Men Come Without Papers and Ask to See Prison.

A CHEROKEE PRISONER

E. P. Hennis Furnishes Second Instance of Convicted Men Who Come Without Officers in Charge of Them.

Friday a "gentleman" walked into Warden Sanders' office at Fort Madison, who proved to be an interesting personality.

"I am E. P. Hennis of Cherokee," he said, and Warden Sanders immediately became alert. E. P. Hennis, according to newspaper report had just fought a stubborn battle for his freedom in the district court at Cherokee, and had been convicted of manslaughter and sentenced to eight years in prison upon a charge of having killed his wife.

"Are you—?" Warden Sanders began. "I am," said Mr. Hennis. "I am here to be locked up. I expected a letter in the mail which would bring the commitment, but it hasn't come. How are we going to manage it?"

Warden Sanders reflected. "I am unable to accommodate you without a paper, Mr. Hennis," he answered. "Where are you stopping?"

"I am at one of the hotels. I thought you would be unwilling to lock me up without authority, nevertheless I came to report that I am here. When the commitment is received, I will deliver it to you. In the meantime do you think," Mr. Hennis hesitated—"do you think I could get a glimpse at the place?"

"Breaking in easy," laughed the warden. "Well that is a good idea, Mr. Hennis. Now to meet you in a fair spirit, I will take you through the prison myself."

Thus none of the five hundred men in the prison, nor the officers, suspected the nice appearing, gentlemanly young man, who passed through the institution with the warden, was soon to become one of them.

The warden showed Mr. Hennis all there was to be seen, and it is a dead cinch he got a glimpse of what's going to happen to him. When they passed back out of the gate he shook hands with the warden and assured him that he would return as soon as papers arrived authorizing his imprisonment.

"Can you beat it," said the warden with an admiring glance after the athletic figure of the young man. "The time will come when all men will respect the mandates of a court and need for irons and cuffs will disappear."

Hennis is the second man within the past year to personally deliver himself into custody. On October 10, 1913, Charles Cego, sentenced to serve fifteen years by the district court of Jasper county, delivered himself at the prison unattended by an officer, and he, like Hennis, had to wait at a Fort Madison hotel for a commitment before he could be legally accepted and locked up.

MAN FOUND DEAD BY SIDE OF TRACK

Description Sent Out Said to Tally With That of George H. Rider of Belfast.

A man, thought to be George H. Rider of Belfast, Iowa, was found on the Santa Fe railroad tracks near Dumas, Mo., early Sunday morning, says the Fort Madison Democrat. It is thought that the unfortunate young man had been struck by one of the early morning passenger trains. The body was taken to Dumas, Mo., where a coroner's inquest was held.

When train No. 1, which leaves Ft. Madison at 4:30 a. m., reached Medill, Mo., the engineer stopped and notified the train dispatchers that he had noticed a man lying near the west bound track a few miles west of Dumas, apparently dead. The dispatcher immediately notified the section men at Dumas, Mo., who hastened to the place designated by the engineer and found the body of the unfortunate young man. A physician and justice of the peace were called and it was found that the man had been dead for several hours. From all indications the man had been struck by a train while walking along the tracks. Several bottles of whiskey, many of which were partly empty, lead the coroner to believe that the man was under the influence of liquor and did not hear the approach of the train. When searched, papers and letters were found which seemed to establish the man's identity as George H. Rider of Belfast, Iowa. An operator in that vicinity stated that he knew a George H. Rider of Belfast, Iowa, who was just recently married. The description furnished by the operator made the

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Identification almost certain. The operator stated that the young man's father was Henry H. Rider, agent for the Rock Island railroad at Belfast, Iowa. The father was notified of the son's death.

Motormen on Strike. FORT SMITH, Ark., Oct. 6.—Street car service in Fort Smith and Van Buren was tied up today following a walkout of motormen and conductors at nine o'clock Monday evening. The strike resulted from the discharge of sixteen men, members of a recently organized union. The Fort Smith Light and Traction Co. operates the traction system.

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It's a Poor Bargain

to swap health and a clear, business-like head for a few cups of coffee each day. Every coffee toper tries to wiggle round and charge his aches and ills to weather, overwork, too much or too little food, this, that or the other thing, but how he hates to admit that the real enemy is his Master, coffee.

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