

COMMISSION HAS SENT ITS THANKS

Keokuk's Gifts to the Belgians Are Acknowledged by American Commission in New York.

FURTHER NECESSITIES

Mayor's Committee is Asked to Continue in Order to Assist This Work in the Future.

Keokuk's contributions to the Belgians are being received with thanks by the commission for relief in Belgium in New York. This was shown by the letter from Lindon W. Bates, vice chairman, which the secretary of the mayor's committee received today.

"This is to acknowledge and thank you for your esteemed communication of February 7, which arrives this morning. It is indeed very gratifying to receive letters of this nature, especially from Iowa, which state has already contributed notably to the Belgians."

"We beg to call your attention to the fact that the need in Belgium is a continuing one, and in view of this, would suggest that you keep your campaign open permanently. Of course we do not expect the impossible from any locality but if you will keep your organization active you will find that donations will come along from time to time, which can be forwarded."

"In a very short time a new state campaign is to be inaugurated and you can co-operate then with the Iowa committee, full particulars of which we will send you later."

The mayor's committee will follow the suggestion from Mr. Bates and keep the present organization in order that persons who care to contribute, may be helped as to the disposition of their gifts.

A WINTER TONIC

Why is it that some people keep well all winter while others, less exposed to cold and damp, suffer with colds, grip, pleurisy, pneumonia and all the ills of the season?

Thin blood and debility are the causes of much sickness in winter. When the blood is thin and there is oxygen starvation in the tissues of the body, poisons are retained that should be eliminated, and there is a lowered resistance to disease.

Rheumatism disappears when the blood is built up and does not return if the blood is kept rich.

The after-effects of grip are never cured until the blood is built up. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills enrich the blood and enable it to carry more oxygen, to nourish the starved tissues in debility, to soothe the inflamed membranes in rheumatism, to quiet the nerves in neuralgia and sciatica and to expel the lingering germs after the fever and influenza of grip have passed.

All winter Dr. Williams' Pink Pills should be in every house, ready for use. You can get them now at the nearest drug store.

The third edition of the popular little book "Building Up the Blood" has just been published. Write today to the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y., for a free copy.

PLUMBERS BEGIN LEGAL FIREWORKS

Bill of Particulars is Asked For By Thirty-six Indicted Men in Federal Court Trial.

DES MOINES, Feb. 10.—A telegram received yesterday morning from Federal Judge Arba S. Van Valkenburgh of Kansas City, Mo., stated that he is ill and that in all probability Judge John C. Pollock of Kansas City, Kan., will hear the trial of the thirty-six indicted middle western plumbers which will start in the federal court this week.

Owing to a minor case to come up today, Attorney Claude R. Porter said that the plumbers' case probably will not start until Thursday, although it was scheduled to begin this morning. The first gun to be fired in the case was discharged yesterday morning when attorneys for the defense filed a petition with the federal clerk asking that the court force the government to file a bill of particulars. The petition asks that the government turn over the defense for inspection all documents which it intends to introduce in the case and also that it give the defendants a list of all witnesses it intends to use in the trial.

In the motion the defense states that the foregoing demands should

be granted in view of the indefinite nature of the indictment. In making the motion the defendant, call the court's attention to "the vague and indefinite nature of the allegations contained in the indictment."

Attorneys for the prosecution admitted that the defense probably will ask for a continuance of the case. L. C. Boyle of Kansas City, who will act with Strook and Wallace of Des Moines, as counsel for the defense, arrived yesterday, but no information could be obtained from any of the attorneys representing the plumbers. The defendants, witnesses and jurors will begin arriving tonight.

Y.W.C.A. NOTES

Upstreamers Meeting.
At the business meeting of the Upstreamers last night, which was held in the girls' club room after their spread at six o'clock, three new members were voted into the club—Carina Stanton, Zola Stanton and Marian Hart. This makes the club membership at present fifteen and gives a chance for one more to be voted in. The constitution limits the membership to sixteen girls.

The election of officers which takes place every three months resulted as follows:
President—Irene Smith.
Secretary—Nina Tuttle.
Treasurer—Meta Brookhart.

Cooking Class.
The association is glad to announce that Mrs. Amie Parsons Anderson who at one time taught domestic science in the public schools, is to teach an evening cooking class beginning this week Thursday, Feb. 16. This class, which will have a very nominal fee, is open to anyone, outside the schools, who wishes to learn to cook.

Mrs. Anderson is to have a course of ten lessons, each lesson designed to teach the class about one group of foods by taking one or two of that group for the lesson. For instance, the lesson on cereals, two different cereals will be cooked in class which will illustrate that group of foods. A tentative outline has been given by Mrs. Anderson with the thought of making the course as little expensive as possible to the girls and at the same time giving them in ten lessons the fundamentals of good cooking.

Following is the outline:
Feb. 11—Organization of class—Sandwiches, fresh and dried fruits and how to cook them.
Feb. 18—Potatoes—Baked, stuffed, potatoes au gratin, hot breads, popovers.
Feb. 25—Oatmeal, cream of wheat, biscuits.
March 4—Cream soups, croutons.
March 11—Pies, cheese straws.
March 18—White cake, salad dressing.
March 25—Cookies, tea, coffee, chocolate.
April 1—Frosted cakes.
April 8—Meats, fish.
April 15—Boiled and steamed cutlets, jumbles.

Anyone interested in the class is asked to meet if possible on Thursday night, if only for a short time, or to telephone the association office, for it is necessary to know how many will enroll for the class.

MEN'S FASHIONS FOR THIS SPRING

Coats Slightly Longer, Vests Cut Low and all Trousers Must Have Cuffs.

(United Press Leased Wire Service.) CHICAGO, Feb. 10.—Old Lady Fashion got a knockout wallop here today. Old Man Winter delivered the punch. A score of delegates to the annual convention of the National Association of Merchant Tailors of America planned to march along breezy Michigan avenue today in tribute to fashion. They planned to wear white flannels, canvas, low quarters and straw hats. One peep at the thermometer by one of the would-be marchers caused a shift of plans. It was between 25 and 30 above zero. The parade was held in the Congress hotel halls.

Men's clothing for the summer, it was announced today, will be as follows:
All suits will be distinctly antimilitaristic.
All will be slender and high waisted in effect.
Coats will be slightly longer; lapels broad and high; shoulders narrow.
The high cut vest is doomed.
No padding or stiffening of any kind will be used in coats.
Trousers will be narrow and shorter with no break at the shoe top; all will be cuffed except evening trousers.
The single-breasted sack coat will be the thing.
White flannels, silks, pongs and cantons will be the materials.

SURE THAT MORS WAS MURDERED

His Signed Statement That He is Not Guilty, is Strong Evidence Against Him.

(United Press Leased Wire Service.) NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—"Mad man or murderer, Mors' cunning brain was continually planning ways of putting old persons to death. His own signed statement denying that he had committed chloroform murders, is one of the strongest bits of evidence against him."
Coroner Dunn of Westchester county, made this assertion today when he resumed the probe of Frederic Mors' confession that he killed eight aged inmates of the German Old Fellows home at Yonkers "because they were getting peevish." The affidavit produced by former Superintendent Adam Bangers of the home, in which Mors swore he "was only joking" when he told the chloroform stories, was regarded by the coroner as distinctly evidence for the prosecution.
"Mors signed this statement on December 8, at the instance of officers

WHAT \$10 DID FOR THIS WOMAN

The Price She Paid for Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Which Brought Good Health.

Danville, Va.—"I have only spent ten dollars on your medicine and I feel so much better than I did when the doctor was treating me. I don't suffer any bearing down pains at all now and I sleep well."



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No woman suffering from any form of female troubles should lose hope until she has given Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a fair trial.

This famous remedy, the medicinal ingredients of which are derived from native roots and herbs, has for forty years proved to be a most valuable tonic and invigorator of the female organism. Women everywhere bear willing testimony to the wonderful virtue of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

If you have the slightest doubt that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will help you, write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass., for advice. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman, and held in strict confidence.

of the home," said Dunn. "It proved conclusively that thoughts of killing by either or chloroform had been revolving in his brain. A few days later, mind you, two more feeble old inmates 'who were in the way' were cold corpses in the morgue. They died suddenly and for no apparent cause."

Dr. Thomas Gregory of Bellevue hospital, where Mors is under observation, expected to report today to Coroner Dunn the results of his nine day observation of the self-confessed murderer. The district attorneys of both Westchester and Bronx counties will hear Gregory's report on Mors' sanity. On his statement they will base their decision as to whether the bodies of Mors' supposed victims shall be exhumed.

WARREN

Clarence Lathrop of Hedrick, Iowa, visited his aunt Mrs. Anna Hoover yesterday.

Ernest Hohl and Osborn Kincaid were Farmington callers Friday.

W. L. Henkle returned to his home in Ft. Madison Tuesday.

W. N. Dresser was a Montrose and Keokuk visitor the first few days of the week.

Miss Edith Bowman is on the sick list.

Miss Nina Scheffer of Revere, Mo., and brother Willis visited at the B. B. Herron home the last of the week.

Miss Nina stayed for a longer visit.

J. M. Ott was a Ft. Madison visitor Tuesday.

Grandma Seward is one of our sick.

Marvin Wirsig and Grace Wedel were married at Keokuk last Wednesday, returning to their home Friday evening. They were treated to a rousing charivari. They will make their future home in this vicinity.

Mrs. Fred Kast of Fairfield visited her sister Mrs. Charles Warren, the past week.

Geo. Mattern shipped hogs from the station last Thursday.

This neighborhood was saddened by the death of the little adopted daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Warren.

Hamlet Without Hamlet. Springfield, Mass., Republican: The Thaw case without Jerome will be like a Conan Doyle detective story without Sherlock Holmes.

Y. M. C. A. ITEMS

The Philippine Islands ever since the Spanish-American war, have been a source of much thought and discussion and the people of Keokuk will be pleased to know that they are soon to have the opportunity of hearing something about this country which has become so important in national thought and opinion.

Soon we are to have under the auspices of the Young Men's Christian association an illustrated lecture from Edwin S. Shortness of the engineering extension department of Iowa State college at Ames, who will give an illustrated talk on the Philippine Islands, at the auditorium of the Y. M. C. A., Friday evening, February 19. He is an Iowa boy, having been reared a short distance from Vinton, in Benton county. Mr. Shortness served as a soldier in the Spanish-American war and after securing his discharge in 1899, re-enlisted for service in the Philippines during the insurrection.

His experience in these "far eastern" possessions of our Uncle Samuel, covering a period of almost fourteen years, were such as to bring him into close touch with all existing conditions in the islands and give him true knowledge of the various habits and customs of the people of all parts.

His work and travels in the islands have taken him from the most northern points, through Luzon, the largest and most important island, the Visayas and Mindanao and Jolo, the lands of the Moros.

He has seen and mingled with the various types of the people in the islands from the highest and best educated natives of the christian provinces to the absolute savages of Mindanao and the mountain islands. He is said to believe very thoroughly in the intelligence and capability of the Filipinos and in their capacity for learning and eventually being ready for the fullest measures of self government. He does not, it is said, believe in early independence for the Filipinos and is very certain that governmental conditions there can be improved over what they are at present, or for that matter, ever have been, by a strictly non-partisan system of legislation for the good of those people.

Opinions aside from his talk, accompanied by about one hundred and fifty illustrations will be a source of much educational information from a man who has learned his lessons well in the school of contact and experience—the best school, on a subject with which the people of the whole union is deeply interested.

Physical Department.

The Trinity Methodist team won from the First Congregational church team by a score of 29 to 21, and the First Christian church team was the winner in a lively contest, the score standing 37 to 15.

Last night's games were well attended, and the first one was rather close, especially in the greater part of the first half. The ball was worked back and forth a number of times and many shots were taken which went at random, but the Methodists got away with a few long ones and won the game. Venning's work at forward had the kind of snap that wins, and Kirchner was "on" at free throws. For the Congregationalists, Captain Chuck King played all over the floor, but all of the men missed many shots.

Second Game.

The second game was not so close, but was interesting to the spectators. Hancock was the chief point-getter for the Christians, while Weessa led the United Presbyterians. The U. P. team is composed entirely of young players, mostly boys, and they deserve credit for the game they have put up in both their last plays. The league is on its way.

Line Up of the Games.

Trinity M. E. 29 King, Buchda
Venning King, Buchda
Left field
Orsborn Bank, McGaw
Right field
Akerson Crossan
Center
Kirchner Buchda, King
Left Guard
Starr Immebart
Right Guard
Field goals—Venning 6; Orsborn, 2; Akerson, 2; Kirchner 2; Bank 3; King 2; Crossan 4.
Free throws—Kirchner, 5-7; Crossan 3-5.
Line up and score of the second game:
Christian 37 U. P., 13
Garrison Beach
Left field
Hancock Weessa
Right field
Porterfield Bowden
Center
Peterson Roblison
Left Guard
Kirby Evans
Right Guard
Field goals—Hancock 7; Peterson 4; Porterfield 3; Garrison 3; Weessa 4; Beach 2.
Free Throws—Weessa 1-2; Hancock, 3-7.

The work of Referee Morris Dandant of Hamilton, was satisfactory to all, and the players are glad they have been able to secure his services for the season.

Friday Night's Games.

Friday night's games will be fast and furious. St. Peter's vs. Baptist; St. Paul vs. Westminster. Games

"Bread better than meat" says Doctor Wiley

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Most remedies give you relief sometimes—they are slow, but not sure. "Pape's Diapepsin" is quick, positive and puts your stomach in a healthy condition so the misery won't come back.

You feel different as soon as "Pape's Diapepsin" comes in contact with the stomach—distress just vanishes—your stomach gets sweet, no gases, no belching, no eructations of undigested food, your head clears and you feel fine.

Go now, make the best investment you ever made, by getting a large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin from any drug store. You realize in five minutes how needless it is to suffer from indigestion, dyspepsia or any stomach disorder.

called at 8:10. Come and see some wonderful ball, and some awfully fast teams go "round and round."

(United Press Leased Wire Service.) PEORIA, Ill., Feb. 10.—Coroner Eckert today began an investigation of last night's explosion in the Collier Co-operative mine near Bartonville, in which Miles Miller of Bartonville was killed and Wm. Swardonski of Pekin, was seriously injured. The two men were alone in the mine and the cause of the explosion has not been determined.

More jitney buses. (United Press Leased Wire Service.) KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 10.—A few days of sunshine has resulted in a big increase in the number of jitney buses. One hundred and sixty are in

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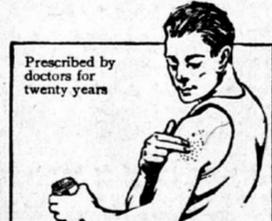
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