

D. ESPERANZOA IS BACK AGAIN

Mexican Arrested Following Cutting Scrape at Circus Grounds, Released, But Not for Long.

HAD SCRAPE OF HIS OWN

Cut R. C. Wagner Friday Night and Followed Companion, Gomez, to the County Jail—Other Cases.

D. Esperanza was one of the three Mexicans captured by the police on Thursday evening, following the slaying of William Smith and wife, both colored, of Messingerville.

On Friday morning Smith identified Luan Gomez as the one who had made the assault and as nothing could be found against D. Esperanza, he and the third Mexican were released.

But Esperanza wasn't going to let Gomez have anything on him as tough guy so he sharpened up his razor, taken from him by the police when he was first captured, and went out looking for trouble.

He soon found it. The same evening he was released, he got in an argument with R. C. Wagner, a candy maker employed by Burk Brothers, and cut him on the left hand in a scuffle on upper Main street.

As a result he followed in the footsteps of his team-mate Gomez, to the county jail. In the superior court Saturday he waived preliminary examination and in default of \$250 bond was jailed to await the action of the grand jury.

Nothing more has been heard of Celso Cladeno, the last of the trio.

Other Cases. Jim Rose who was arrested on Wednesday for disorderly conduct, pleaded not guilty when arraigned in the superior court on Thursday and was sent to jail. Yesterday he changed his mind and pleaded guilty and will be blown out of town.

The information filed against Irwin Grotts was settled and dismissed at the defendant's cost. Jake Restler, Red Roberts, R. C. Wagner and Max Doe, charged with disorderly conduct, paid costs.

Additional Incentive. Des Moines Register and Leader: Maybe the ladies who are wearing ankle watches think the men are needing something new to attract their attention.

Willing to Be Shown. Mitchell Republican: That "unbelievable" prosperity the bankers are talking about has our full permission to come along just as soon as it wishes. We'll promise to believe it all right.

Boys Will Be Boys. St. Louis Globe-Democrat: It is idle to speculate on why some boys broke out of the industrial school and ran away. Boys would break out of heaven if under restraint.

TO BE SOLD OVER RELEASE [United Press Leased Wire Service.] LOS ANGELES, Calif., Sept. 11.—To forestall efforts on the part of Federal league scouts to lure Catcher Walter Schmidt from organized baseball, Harry Wolverson, manager of the San Francisco club, today announced Schmidt would be sold his own release, to take effect at the close of the 1915 season.

It is said on reliable authority that Pat Powers, owner of the Newark Federals, and George Stovall, manager of the Kansas City Federals, have made good offers to Schmidt.

RETAILERS MEET TOMORROW NIGHT

Regular September Session Will be Held at Lakeview Motor Club at Hamilton Monday Night.

TO GO OVER IN AUTOS

Secretary's Office Must be Notified as Early Monday Morning as Possible in Order to Provide.

The Keokuk Retailers' league will go to Hamilton Monday night as planned, according to the announcement made yesterday. The roads will be in fair condition in spite of the amount of rain. It is felt, and there will be no reason to postpone the trip unless the weather is bad Monday night.

The meeting will be held at the Lakeview Motor club, and the local merchants will get to the club in autos. Members of the league who have machines, have offered them for the evening, and the same arrangements as prevailed on the Nauvoo trip last month will be followed this time.

The autos will leave Main street between Third and Fourth streets at 6:00 o'clock. Dinner will be served between 6:45 and 7:00 o'clock at the club house. A chicken dinner is the menu.

Members of the league are asked to notify the secretary's office early Monday morning if they will go. It will be necessary to know as early as possible in order to arrange for the seating in the machines, and also for the plates at dinner.

TO A WATERFOWL. Whither, midst falling dew, While glow the heavens with the last steps of day, Far, through their rosy depths dost thou pursue Thy solitary way?

Vainly the fowler's eye Might mark thy distant flight to do thee wrong, As, darkly painted on the crimson sky, Thy figure floats along.

Seek'st thou the plashy brink Of weedy lake, or marge of river wide Or where the rocking billows rise and sink On the chafed ocean side?

There is a power whose care Teaches thy way along that pathless coast— The desert and illimitable air— Lone wandering, but not lost.

All day thy wings have fanned, At that far height, the cold, thin air— Mosquitos! Yet stony not, weary, to the welcome land, Though the dark night is near.

And soon that toil shall end; Soon shalt thou find a summer home, and rest.

And scream among thy fellows; reeds shall bend, Soon o'er thy sheltered nest.

Thou'rt gone, the abyss of heaven Hath swallowed up thy form; yet, on my heart, Deeply hath sunk the lesson thou hast given, And shall not soon depart!

He who, from zone to zone, Guides through the boundless sky thy certain flight, In the long way that I must tread alone Will lead my steps aright.

—William Cullen Bryant. No Apathy in Dubuque. Dubuque Telegraph-Herald: What has become of the old fashioned boy who used to belong to a nine and play baseball on the corner lots?—Sloux City Journal.

The Journal is respectfully referred to any vacant lot any afternoon when school is not in session for answer so far as Dubuque is concerned.

Church Announcements

TIMES OF SUNDAY SERMONS, LOCATION OF CHURCHES, TOPIC OF SERMONS AND SPECIAL MUSIC TO BE GIVEN AT THE VARIOUS SERVICES.

Swedish Evangelical Lutheran Mission church, Fourteenth and Morgan streets.—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. No other services during the day.

St. Mary, the Virgin, Episcopal, High and Fourteenth streets. Rev. John C. Sage, pastor. Fifteenth Sunday after Trinity. Evening service 6:30 o'clock.

Swedish Lutheran church, Twelfth and Morgan streets. Rev. S. C. Franzen, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Morning service at 10:30. Evening service at 8 o'clock. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Swedish M. E. church, corner Twelfth and Concert streets. Clarence H. Lind, pastor.—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Epworth league at 10:45 a. m. No preaching services. Prayer and Bible study next Wednesday evening, 7:45 o'clock.

United Presbyterian church, corner Ninth and Blondeau streets.—Bible school, 9:30 a. m. L. A. Hamill, superintendent. Y. P. C. U. meeting, 6:30 p. m. Owing to the pastor's absence there will be no preaching morning or evening.

Redeemer English Lutheran church. Place of worship is the Baker Mission chapel on Twelfth between Timea and Des Moines streets. M. Engel, pastor, 513 South Eleventh street. No morning services. Sunday school at 9:30. Evening services at eight o'clock.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, 726-728 Main street, second floor.—Services at 10:45 a. m. Subject, "Substance." Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:45 o'clock. Reading room, same address, open Tuesday, Thursday and Friday afternoons from 2:30 to 4:30 o'clock.

St. Paul's Evangelical church.—Divine worship, 10:30 a. m. Sermon by the pastor, Rev. A. C. Ernst. The Young People's society will meet at 7:30 a. m. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. A cordial invitation is extended to all. The annual mission fest will be observed next Sunday, Sept. 19.

Elder E. B. Morgan of Lucas, Iowa, will preach at the Latter Day Saints church, Thirteenth and Bank street, Sunday, Sept. 12, at 11 a. m.; evening at 7:30 o'clock. Subjects, "Present Needs" and "The Signs of the Times," respectively. Sunday school at 10 a. m. All are cordially invited to attend.

Second Presbyterian church, West Keokuk. Pastor, J. C. Hughes, 1718 Park street.—School and Bible class, 9:45 a. m. Rock Hall at 2:30 p. m. Prayer circle meeting 10:40 a. m. Y. P. S. C. E. will meet at 7 p. m. Preaching services 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Subject of morning sermon, "Gradual Revelation." Evening subject, "The Call of Elisha." Prayer meeting Wednesday 8 p. m. The public cordially invited.

First Congregational church, corner Sixth and High streets. Rev. Frank G. Beardsley, S. T. D., pastor.

Baptist church, corner of Eighth and Blondeau streets. Pastor, Rev. F. B. McAllister.—Sunday school superintendent, Dr. J. E. Forney. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Classes for all. Preaching service at 10:45 a. m. Subject, "The Evangelist and the Unreaching Minister." Baker Mission services at 2:30 p. m. Young People's meeting at 6:30 p. m. The subject for discussion, "Friendships That are Worth Forming." Leader, Miss Carlisle Kuntz. At the evening service Rev. McAllister will preach on the subject, "Who's Loony Now?" Come to church Sunday.

First Methodist Protestant church, Twelfth and Exchange streets. Rev. E. LeRoy Steffey, pastor. 1103 Bank St. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Mr. S. B. McCoy, Supt. Christian Endeavor prayer meeting at 6:30 p. m. Topic, "Friendship." Leader, Mr. J. K. Foulkes. Preaching at 10:45 a. m.

Pilgrim Rest Baptist church, corner Fourteenth and Exchange streets. Rev. J. H. Helm, pastor. Residence, 1819 Bank street.—Sunday school at 10 a. m. Mrs. Bertie Helm, superintendent. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Morning subject, "The Gospel to the Poor." Evening subject, "The Straight Gate." Bible class at 6 o'clock. The public is invited to attend each of these services.

St. John's church, Episcopal. Concert and Fourth Sts. Rev. John C. Sage, rector. Rev. E. C. McIlwain, rector-emeritus. Fifteenth Sunday after Trinity. Holy communion and corporate communion Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 7:30 a. m. Sunday school, 10 o'clock. Morning service 11 o'clock, with sermon by the rector. A cordial invitation is extended to everyone to attend our services.

First Christian church, Tenth and Blondeau Sts. W. M. Baker, pastor. 9:30 a. m. Sunday school. J. O. Boyd, Supt. Special music by the orchestra. 10:45 a. m. worship, subject of sermon "The Reward of Self Denial." Communion. Junior Endeavor meeting 7 p. m. Senior and Intermediate Christian Endeavor meetings, 8:00 p. m. subject of sermon "The Young Man Who Missed His Chance." Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30.

First Westminster Presbyterian church, Seventh and Blondeau Sts. Rev. E. B. Newcomb, D. D., pastor. Morning service on "The Thing Not Done." Afternoon, "The Prayer for Dwellings," by Miss Lynore Rich, and the anthem "Blessed Be the Lord." In the afternoon the anthem, "Savior, When Night involves the Skies," and Mrs. Schouten's solo, "The Lord is My Light." Strangers and young people are especially invited to the afternoon service. Bible school at 9:30 a. m. Y. P. S. C. E. at 7 p. m.

Dollars vs. Brains. Boone News-Republican: One Iowa editor gave six columns of his editorial page to an advertisement, but reserved one column for editorial. This is better than giving up altogether, but we should say that the counting room should not have such undue advantage over the public opinion molder.

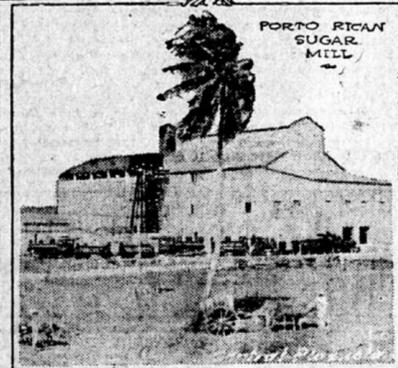
Big Apples. Donnellson Review: We notice reports from various parts of the state about big apples, but they have nothing over Lee county in this regard. This office received three apples Saturday from Miss Minnie Westerman, each measuring fifteen inches in circumference, and the three weighing three and one-quarter pounds.

—Read The Gate City want column.

This is Worth \$3.00 to You READ EVERY LINE CAREFULLY For a limited time only we will be able to offer you a really \$22.50 True Electric Vacuum Cleaner for \$19.50. HOW TO GET THIS \$22.50 TRUE ELECTRIC CLEANER FOR \$19.50. We will allow you \$3.00 for any old vacuum cleaner that you bring to our store and allow that amount in payment on this \$22.50 True Electric, which brings the cost to you \$19.50. Remember the True is easy to operate, gets all dirt, threads, lint and litter, and every machine accompanied with written guarantee. Certainly you want this truly Fine Electric Cleaner and here is your opportunity to buy this wonderful cleaner at an unheard of price from us. Call, Phone or Write us for Free Demonstration. Act quick for this offer is good for limited time only. C. S. ABELL KEOKUK, IOWA

Eat The Best Chocolates LOWNEY'S In Fancy Boxes and Bulk. A New Shipment Just Received. Buy Lowney's Candies at SCHOUTEN'S BAKERY Remarkable Cure of Dysentery. "I was attacked with dysentery about July 15th and used the doctor's medicine and other remedies with no relief, only getting worse all the time. I was unable to do anything and my weight dropped from 145 to 125 pounds. I suffered for about two months when I was advised to use Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea remedy. I used two bottles of it and it gave me permanent relief," writes B. W. Hill of Snow Hill, N. C. For sale by all dealers. and 7:30 p. m. Subject of morning sermon, "The Crucified Life." In the evening the subject of the sermon will be, "Seek Christ," and is the second of the series on the subject, "What Must I Do to be Saved?" Wednesday evening at 7:30, the Rev. Charles H. Beck, D. D., of West Lafayette, Ohio, secretary-treasurer of the Board of Home Missions of the Methodist Protestant church, will be present and deliver a sermon. Everybody invited. Strangers always welcome.

PUBLIC AUCTION The Home Farm of the Late PHILIP P. WEBER, Deceased, on the Premises, 2 1-2 Miles South and 1/2 miles east of Sutter and 7 miles west of West Point, on Saturday, Sept. 25, 1915 At 2:30 P. M. of Said Day. Consisting of 202 acres as follows: 60 acres off the south, side of the southeast quarter of section 18; also the west half of the northeast quarter of section 22; also the north 30 acres of the east 110 acres of the northwest quarter of section 23; also 5 acres in the northwest quarter of section 22. Commencing at the northeast corner of said northwest quarter of said section 22 and running west 30 rods, thence south 26 2-3 rods, thence east 30 rods, thence north 26 2-3 rods to the place of beginning. Also 27 acres commencing at the southwest corner of section 13, running thence east to the southeast corner of the town of Breckenridge, thence north 30 rods, thence west to the west line of said quarter, thence south to the place of beginning. All in township 3 North, Range 8 West, in Hancock county, Illinois. Said farm will be offered in tracts and then as a whole. BY THE EXECUTOR. Take a Jap Bride. [United Press Leased Wire Service.] SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 11.—"The marriage of American men with Japanese women will produce the ideal race, the children of the union, proving the best qualities in the races." Miss Michi Kawai, noted woman educator of Japan, and leader in Y. W. C. A. work in that country, made this statement today. She said intermarriage between the two nations would weld them together and produce a brilliant race. Miss Kawai came here to investigate the condition of four thousand Japanese "picture brides" on the Pacific coast. Speaking of Generosity. Chicago Evening Post: Isn't it generous of the Krupps to subscribe \$10,000,000 to the new war loan? They take it out of one pocket and put it back into the other. What Do You Mean—Others? Washington Star: The other members of the progressive party have refrained from offering any comment on Colonel Roosevelt's remarks at Plattsburg. Speaking of Parades. Topeka Capital: Probably the longest and most imposing parade is that made by the man from the city who has gone back to his little old home town for a visit. —Read The Daily Gate City.



For one American industry the European war has proved literally a life saver. This is the business of growing and making sugar, both from cane and beets. While sugar does not rank in size as an agricultural crop with corn or wheat yet the amount raised from American soil has reached large proportions, ranging from 3,000,000,000 to 5,000,000,000 pounds a year. One peculiar thing about sugar is that it is grown in more different parts of American territory than any other crop. Cane sugar is the principal product of Louisiana, Hawaii, Porto Rico and the Philippine Islands while sugar beets are grown in sixteen states, from Ohio in the east to California in the west. A year ago the industry of sugar production was on the decline. Following the action of Congress in reducing the duty on foreign-grown sugar and providing for its free admission after May 1, 1916, forty Louisiana mills and plantations had passed into the Sheriff's hands or had been disposed of at forced sale. A dozen beet sugar factories had closed their doors and it was expected that 1915 would be the last year during which sugar would be grown to any extent from American soil as growers declared that they could not meet the competition of sugar produced under the cheap labor conditions prevailing in tropical countries. Then came the war, locking up the export sugar supplies of Central Europe and causing Great Britain, France and other European countries to turn to the American market for the purchase of sugar. Prices advanced rapidly and the American sugar grower, instead of facing destruction was once more able to produce his crop at a profit. Sugar experts assert that prices will remain at a remunerative level as long as the war continues. Thus the European conflict has been responsible for saving, temporarily at least, an industry representing an investment of over \$400,000,000, and the crop of American grown sugar to be harvested during the present year probably will be of record-breaking proportions.

"Did You See Old 7?"



On his chest was a large white "7" something on the order of an automobile license and head light combined. That was "Old 7," and if you saw him you probably received a sample stick of Sterling Gum such as is on sale by most of the stores in Keokuk now. Unlike Wm. Jennings Bryan, "Old 7" refused to issue any statement or shed any light on the identity of the mysterious "7th point." To all inquiries he replied that the 7th point is in the gum itself, together with all the clues leading to its quick discovery. In view of the fact that the Sterling Gum Company plans to offer prizes for naming the seventh point, local sleuths have laid in a stock of the gum and set to work following up the clue furnished by "Old 7." One of the sleuths reported last night that it's "mighty agreeable work." "Old 7" visits each city about the time Sterling Gum is put on sale. His appearance in Keokuk yesterday was in the interests of "that exasperating 7th point."