

ENTIRE TOWN IN ON CELEBRATION

Warsaw People From Old to Young,
Pay Respects to Captain John
Reid Williams, 100
Years Old.

EVENT IS REMARKABLE

Captain Williams Was in Best of
Health on This Occasion and
His Smile Was Thanks
for His Reception.

[Special to The Gate City.]

WARSAW, Ill., March 29.—Warsaw paid homage yesterday and last evening to its century old citizen, Captain John Reid Williams. The day was ideal, Captain Williams was in the best of health and received his visitors and their tributes with as much enthusiasm as a boy. He enjoyed the visit last night of the Rotary club, and was visibly affected at the gift of an ebony cane with gold handle; he smiled at the cake with its one hundred lighted candles; he heard voices from the past in the letters which came to him from old steamboat men or their sons, who cherished the memory of the kindly captain who has lived a full five score years; and best of all he received birthday greetings from the folks among whom he has lived the most of those years, young and old alike visiting him sometime during the day. Captain Williams seemed unusually well yesterday morning, and the day seemed ideal for his celebration. All day he was busy receiving greetings from friends. There were 130 post cards and letters and three telegrams. They came from twenty-eight states, north, south, east and west. The majority of the letters were from steamboat men whom the captain had known or had been associated with in his career on the river, or from their sons who have cherished the memory of this kindly man as did their fathers before them. Many of the letters were quite pathetic, and they all conjured up voices of the past.

Many Tributes of Day.

And there were many floral tributes, as well. Two huge offerings of red carnations came from the Leyhe families at Alton and St. Louis. Captain Williams was associated with Captain Leyhe in the boat trade in early years. And there were individual floral gifts from Anna Edwards, and from John McMahan, Jr., and a cake with 100 candles on it from Mrs. Florence Tibbets, a niece. The candles were lighted in the evening.

Last evening at 7:30 o'clock the members of the Rotary club headed by a band, and reinforced by such friends of the captain's as cared to join them, marched to the residence. Captain Williams was seated in the front parlor and as the club members reached the house they marched into the front room and greeted the captain. An impromptu program followed in which Louis Lanet, chairman of the committee in charge of the celebration, made an informal talk reviewing Captain Williams' life. There were numbers by the band, and

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then the guests adjourned to the back parlors where coffee and wafers were served.

Cane is Presented.

Captain Frank Meyers who had been associated with Captain Williams in the steamboat trade then presented the guest of honor with an ebony cane, gold mounted. While Captain Williams was unable to respond to the speech, his smile showed his appreciation of the gift.

There were between 200 and 250 persons who called last evening. Among them was a delegation from Keokuk, headed by Mrs. Benjamin Monke.

The relatives who were present at the celebration were Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Preston Williams and two children, Mr. and Mrs. David Ayres of Wythe, Mr. and Mrs. Bert McMahan of Wythe, Mrs. Florence Tibbets of Peoria, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. McMahan of Fulton, Mr. and Mrs. Earl McMahan, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Robinson, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Charles Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. Cole Crawford and Mr. J. F. Crawford, Mr. Virgil Massie, Dr. and Mrs. J. Eaton Johnston, Mrs. Flora Howard and Mrs. Ella Goddertz.

Those from out of the city were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. McMahan, Mrs. Flora Tibbets of Peoria, Mrs. Benjamin Menke of Keokuk, Miss Alice Pendleton of Virginia, Edward Condit of Canton and Virgil Massie of Augusta.

Whose Who Assisted.

The luncheon table was presided over by Mrs. Thomas McMahan and Mrs. Bert McMahan, assisted by Mrs. Thomas Williams, Mrs. Preston Williams, Mrs. Willard Williams, Mrs.

David Ayres Mrs. Crawford and Mrs. Tibbets.

The birthday surprise feature of the band and the Rotary club was planned by Louis Lanet, Captain Frank Meyers and Charles Crawford. The house was decorated for the occasion and the flowers and presents were displayed in prominent places in the house.

AMUSEMENTS.

The Garden of Allah.

The Liebler company's production of Robert Hichens and Mary Anderson's "The Garden of Allah," which will be the attraction at the Grand Friday night only, is conceded to be the most spectacular and massive production of a drama the stage has ever had.

The story in brief is: Domini Enfield goes to Africa to seek peace from a previous life of sorrows and disappointments. Coming to Beni-Mora, on the edge of the great Sahara desert, she is enthralled by its peaceful solitude. While there she meets Boris, a renegade monk, whom she knows only as a traveler.

For nineteen years, Boris, as "Father Antoine," has spent a peaceful life in the Trappist monastery of El Larga. Then comes his awakening of strong worldly desires, which seize upon the young man and cause him to escape to the outside world.

Haunted by remorse, he comes to Beni-Mora, and there he meets Domini, who is a devout Catholic. They marry and go out into the desert, where, under the spur of conscience and the fear of disclosure Boris confesses his sin. Domini, horrified, persuades him to return to the monastery and give her up forever.

As a scenic production, the performance is a series of realistic pictures of life on the desert. There are wonderful views of the Sahara shimmering in the white heat of noonday, glowing red and pink under wonderful sunsets, or pale and sinister under the weird spell of tropical nights. And there is the street scene and the dance hall scene in Beni-Mora, both wild and intoxicating.

Tropical beauty in the nine scenes vie with one another, each surpassing the other in splendor.—Advertisement.

Mary Pickford Tomorrow.

With Harold Lockwood and Carlyle Blackwell, Arthur Hoops and Russell Bassett, in her support, Mary Pickford appears at the Grand tomorrow, for the one day only, in "Such a Little Queen." This picture, not a new one, but a new edition of one of the best in which this star of all stars has ever appeared, is brought to the Grand for a return engagement because it was so well liked when here before.

There will be matinees at 2:30 and at 4 o'clock and night showings at 7, 8 and 9:15. Regular prices of 5 cents for children and 10 cents for adults will prevail.—Advertisement.

The Orpheum Tomorrow.

In "The Painted Soul," Bessie Barriscale first appears as a girl of the streets, in the night court, as she is leaving after an arrest, she is stopped by a young artist, in search for a model to pose for his picture, "The Fallen Woman."

As she poses for him, she sits facing the great picture which the artist has completed entitled "The Resurrection." That and the picture on which he is now working are planned to represent the two extremes of virtue and sin. The soul of the woman in "The Resurrection"—the soul of love and kindness and spirituality—looks out through her eyes, and causes a change to come over the sullen girl who sits in front of it.

When the young man's ambitious

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mother discovers how the situation is, she plays upon the girl's awakened goodness, saying that if she should marry her son, she will make him a social outcast.

On a trumped-up charge, the girl manages to get herself arrested and sends for the artist to pay her fine.

Believing that the girl has proven false to him, the artist leaves her, and she goes back to her struggle alone.

Bessie Barriscale finds splendid support in Truly Shattuck, as the artist's mother, Charles Ray, as Edward Barnard, the artist, Clyde Tracy, the artist's friend, and Milton Rose, a detective.—Advertisement.

Metro Plays Tonight.

"Her Debt of Honor," an original five part feature production will be the next release on the Metro program. Valli Valli, the star of the recent Metro successes, "The High Road," "The Woman Pays," and "The Turnoff," will also be the star in this production, which will be shown here at the Hippodrome theatre tonight.

This feature picture was made by the Columbia Pictures corporation for Metro, and was written by William Nigh, who also directed the production.

Mrs. Judith Boyce of Mt. Pleasant, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Joy of Hayes City, Kansas, Mrs. Charles Matlock of Keokuk, Mrs. Ima Dawson, Mt. Pleasant, attended the funeral of Mrs. Peter Knight Saturday morning.

The bazaar held by the M. E. ladies Saturday was a grand success. The booths were well patronized. A large crowd enjoyed the delicious dinner. These ladies have won much approbation by the good dinners they serve to the public. A nice sum was netted for the benefit of the church.

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Mr. Nigh, who was a former Biograph star, has also been a dramatic and musical star. As a playwright, his most notable work was "Off the Road." He directed the Metro wonderplays, "Emmy of Stork's Nest" and "A Yellow Streak."

An exceptionally strong supporting case will be seen with Miss Valli, among whom are Frank Bacon, the leading character comedian with Cohan and Harris Davidson, who is quite new to pictures but has already secured an enviable position in leading male roles; John Gold-

worthy, R. A. Brees, William Nigh, the director, David Thompson, Jean Hume and Mrs. Mathilde Brundage.—Advertisement.

Triangle Plays Tomorrow.

Another splendid double feature program is offered to theatre goers of this city at this theatre for tomorrow afternoon and evening. D. W. Griffith's latest film contribution to the Triangle program, "The Lily and the Rose," will be the dramatic offering, and Mack Sennett's latest comedy triumph, "The Great Vacuum Robbery," will be the comedy offering.

"The Lily and the Rose" is by far the most thrilling and extremely elegant 5 act production ever presented at this theatre and in it are featured Lillian Gish, who was so well liked as Elsie Stoneman in "The Birth of a Nation," and the famous dancing beauty of the legitimate stage, Rozicka Dolly, Charles Murray, the renowned comedian, is featured in "The Great Vacuum Robbery," which same is a riot of fun and mirth in 3 big acts.—Advertisement.

SALEM.

Louisa Rowe was born near Oa-we-ga, New York, December 4, 1828; departed this life March 23, 1916. She was united in marriage to Peter Knight June 20, 1849. Six children were born to this union. Three died in infancy. Sam died May 24, 1850, in his young manhood; Mrs. Jessie Rhode passed away July 6, 1912. The remaining one, Miss Laura, with her father mourn the loss of a precious mother and wife. Besides the husband and daughter, she is survived by a son-in-law, J. W. Rhode, three grandchildren, Leorin, Sam and Chester Rhode; two great-grandchildren, Helen and Bertha, all of Keokuk, Ia. One sister, Mrs. Maggie Dawson, resides in Canada; a sister-in-law, Mrs. Maria Knight of Salem, Iowa; also nieces and nephews. For many months Mrs. Knight was an invalid. She endured great suffering with patience and fortitude while she was tenderly cared for by her loved ones until her spirit took its flight to a land where pain and suffering are never known. She was of a genial, kind disposition, ever ready to help in times of need. Legions of friends will recall to memory her many acts of benevolence. The funeral was held from the M. E. church at 10:30 o'clock Saturday morning. Services were conducted by Rev. R. W. Luce, assisted by Rev. T. R. Gray, pastor of the Congregational church. Interment was made in East cemetery. The flowers were many and beautiful. The children and grandchildren were all present at the last sad rites. The pall bearers were: W. M. Simkin, A. A. Banta, T. White, G. E. Wilmet, R. E. Kester, J. H. Collett.

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"Coffee is a drug. Those who are addicted to its use are drug addicts." "From the standpoint of public hygiene the coffee question is worth while. It is the most widespread form of drug addiction."

Some coffee drinkers go on for years without seeming harm, but with others the telltale effects of the drug, caffeine, in coffee, show in various ills and discomforts, such as headache, biliousness, indigestion, nervousness, sleeplessness and heart disturbance.

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Tom is the Limit. St. Joseph Gazette: Tom Taggart is to be named to the United States senate by Governor Reelston, of Indiana, to succeed the late Benjamin F. Shively. This is almost the limit of political debt paying. It is hoped that W. J. Bryan may never learn the sad news.

REGISTRATION NOTICE.

Notice to the qualified voters of the city of Keokuk, Iowa: The registers for the presidential primary election for the year 1916, will be in constant attendance at the places herein designated, from 8 o'clock a. m. until 8 o'clock p. m., Thursday, March 30, and Friday, March 31, 1916, for the purpose of registering all qualified voters for the presidential primary election to be held Monday, April 10, 1916.

Said registers will again be in session at the same places on Saturday, April 8, 1916, for the purpose of revising, correcting and compiling the registrations.

First precinct—Sixth street engine house.

Second precinct—Krueger's tailor shop, No. 11 South Fifth street.

Third precinct—Leake Printing Co. office, No. 301 Main street.

Fourth precinct—West Keokuk engine house.

Fifth precinct—Camp's drug store, Twelfth and Fulton streets.

Sixth precinct—Ewers' Cigar Store, 1129 Main street.

Seventh precinct—Jos. Sittler's grocery store, 1728 Main street.

Every voter whose name is not on the registry list, or has changed his place of residence, since said lists were made, is notified to present himself for registration in the proper precinct, on the dates above specified, else he will be deprived the privilege of voting at said election, Monday, April 10, 1916.

Said registers will be in attendance on election day, Monday, April 10, 1916, at the places above mentioned during all the hours that the poles are required to be opened, for the purpose of granting certificates of registration to legal voters who were absent from the city during all of the days fixed for registration, or to foreigners who may have received their naturalization papers since the last preceding day for registration, or persons who have become of legal age since said day, or to any person whose name was on the preceding Saturday, and in the absence of such person, stricken from the registration lists, and who on said day of election shall prove to the satisfaction of said registers that he is a lawfully qualified voter of said voting precinct.

Given under my hand this 27th day of March, 1916.

S. W. MOORHEAD, Mayor.

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