

CONNER IS HEARD

Speech Championing Rate Regulation Bill in Congress

GIVEN GENEROUS APPLAUSE

Supports Bill Not to Get Rid of It But Because it is Meritorious and Essential to Public Good

Hon. J. P. Conner has come forward as one of the champions of rate regulation. While he did not burden the records with a lengthy speech going over ground already well covered, he deemed it wise and proper to place himself on record not only by his vote, but by his voice. The limited reports now at hand tell us that Judge Conner's speech was heartily applauded and exceedingly well received. Judge Conner has at all times been an ardent and consistent supporter of the President's policy and the people have known at all times that they could rely on him. Perhaps the best of Judge Conner's speech was the manly statement that he "Supported the rate law, not to get rid of it, or to send it to the Senate in the hope that a destructive surgical operation would there be performed, but because he believed the legislation meritorious and essential to the public good. Below we give the brief press report of Judge Conner's speech.

"Judge Conner spoke fifteen minutes and was accorded generous applause. He declared that he deplored the fact that the gentlemen from the east opposed to the measure had indulged in the criticism that those from the middle west had been coerced into its support by fanatical public sentiment and that others had charged that certain eastern congressmen were under the influence of Wall street.

He was surprised to find men on the democratic side claiming that all the virtue in the bill originated on that side. Judge Conner said he was willing to concede that the democrats in convention had passed resolutions and adopted platforms favoring good measures, but in spite of this the party had failed to win the confidence of the people who preferred to support the republican party which, if it did not adopt platforms favoring these things, did enact them into law.

Judge Conner suggested that if the democrats wished to ascertain their record on these questions they might recall the resolutions adopted several years ago to investigate the trust question. They found trusts existed and were forming and were a menace to the prosperity of the country, but the party then in control of congress did nothing and finally reported they could not handle the question and referred it to the next congress, which they knew was to be republican.

This congress promptly enacted the Sherman anti-trust law, under which trusts were prosecuted.

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LOUISE CARTER IN DETROIT.

Talented Denison Artist Making Rapid Raise in her Profession.

Denison people will learn with pride that since re-entering her work, Miss Louise Carter has been meeting with great success. Louise is a talented, hard working, conscientious, and enthusiastic little lady. She has won her way by merit alone, and we rejoice at her every victory. She is now in Detroit playing leading part with the Livingston Stock at Co. Lafayette theatre in Detroit. A Detroit theatrical paper says of Miss Carter:

"In this week's performances will introduce to the patrons of the Livingston Stock Company, Miss Louise Carter, our new leading lady, who comes here fresh from a successful starring season. She is not only handsome, but of charming personality, off and on the stage and enjoys an enviable reputation as an actress of the first water. She is sure to become a favorite. It is fitting that Miss Carter should open in "Du Barry," the great play made famous by her namesake, Mrs. Leslie Carter. Miss Carter, although a young woman, has been a prominent figure in the theatrical world for the past ten years. With the Frohmans she appeared in a number of leading roles.

W. R. C. NOTES.

The W. R. C. met in regular session Feb. 23d. After the opening ceremony Mrs. Alice Ainsworth was initiated into the order. A number of the corps were designated to visit every school room in town during the patriotic exercises of Feb. 22.

Mrs. Shaw Van will entertain the corps dime social on Friday, Feb. 23rd, at 3 p. m. to which all are invited to help along the good work.

A GREAT ASSIGNEE'S SALE.

Bamford Stock to Be Sold at Retail. Will be Great Opportunity for Bargains.

THE CHEWING GUM FAVORED

Burglars Enter on Saturday Night and Help Themselves to Eatables, Chewing Gum and Tobacco.

Having received no satisfactory bids for the purchase of the Bamford stock in bulk Assignee E. W. Pierce has decided to open the stock at once for a great retail sale. The stock invoices about \$7300, and is said to be in splendid condition. As this is an assignment sale there can be no question of its genuineness.

Mr. Pierce wants to dispose of the stock quickly and prices will be made accordingly. It is hoped to realize about 75 cents on the dollar. That is people can get the goods for much less than they cost. Mr. Bamford at wholesale.

The assignee's sale will open tomorrow and enough clerks have been engaged to wait on the big rush that may be expected. As usual it will be the early bird that catches the worm.

DISTRICT COURT NEWS.

Judge Powers held court Monday and Tuesday and finished the work for the January term.

The case of Crawford County State Bank vs. Ernest Stegemann was tried and decided for plaintiff. This is a suit growing out of the Buck Grove Bank failure. On March 30th, Mr. Stegemann cashed two checks at Crawford Co. State Bank on the Buck Grove Bank, and when the checks were received at Buck Grove Bank the cashier stamped them paid and drew a check on the Commercial National Bank of Council Bluffs, for the amount, but before remittance could be, or was made by the Council Bluffs Bank the Buck Grove Bank failed. Then Mr. Stegemann gave his note to cover the amount, and this suit was on one of the notes. A similar suit is now in the Federal court at Council Bluffs, and involves some \$1200.00.

The jury in the case of Geo. Nedermeyer vs. Crawford County, resulted in a verdict for Plaintiff for \$168.65.

In McLeod vs. Thompson the court overruled the motion of defendant for a new trial and ordered judgment on verdict for \$310.26.

In Bond vs. Nelson, the defendant file motion to set aside decree and asks for new trial. The matter will heard next week at Carroll.

In State vs. Bringleon the case was dismissed for want of evidence to convict.

In Christy vs. Reipen, the case was dismissed.

The Will of Wilhelmine Henning was admitted to probate.

Mrs. Matilda Fitzgerald was adjudged insane by the commissioners on Monday and sent to Clarinda.

D. Kenyon and Geo. Bell were each given 2 years at Knoxville.

Joe Lundgren was sent 3 years to Knoxville.

MOVED STOCK IN A NIGHT

The Boys Make Transfer of Stock Without Losing a Business Hour.

The Boys completed their transfer of stock to their new location on Saturday night. The work has been going on for over a week and for a part of the time a force of clerks was kept in both stores. On Saturday night after closing hours the main transfer was made and they are now out of their old location. There is still a great deal of work to be done and it will be some time before the firm will be ready for its "Grand Opening," but in the meantime the business will go right on. The firm has shown commendable pluck and ability in overcoming obstacles and when finally settled they will have a store of which Denison may well be proud.

Crazella E. Babcock has brought an action against Francis D. Babcock at Ida Grove for divorce and the custody of their minor child, Mildred. Through her attorney she sought to get an injunction restraining the defendant from disturbing her in the possession and custody of the child and restraining him from coming to her home. The matter was brought up before Judge Powers last week, and an order was made restraining the defendant until the further order of the court from interfering with the plaintiff, and giving the custody of the child to the plaintiff until the action is disposed of, but directing that the defendant have the right to see the child on Wednesday and Sunday of each week, when the plaintiff should deliver the same to the defendant. The plaintiff is also enjoined from taking the child out of the jurisdiction of the court, or from Ida Grove. The case will be heard at Ida Grove at the February term, commencing on the 12th inst. The defendant is the son of the Secretary and Treasurer of the Farmer's Mutual Hail and Fire Ins. Co. at Ida Grove.

Robert and Henry Bell of Dow City, were Denison callers Monday.

Miss Gertrude Bradbury of Aspinwall, visited relatives in this city on Sunday.

STUCK ON DURHAM

Burglars in Broadway Grocery Swipe Bull Durham

Burglars effected an entrance to the Broadway grocery last Saturday night, making their way through the coal chute. Three cents were taken from the cash register and an attempt was evidently made to pry open the safe. Failing in this, the tobacco case was rifled of about two dozen sacks of Bull Durham smoking tobacco and some chewing tobacco, chewing gum, candies, sardines, candied pineapple and other things were either taken or eaten on the spot, but the total damage will not exceed a few dollars. The night telephone operator says she heard people in the store but supposed, as it was not very late that it was Manager Terry or some one connected with the store. She further states that she heard them leave when the fire alarm sounded. A large portion of the articles were undoubtedly found at the Conner residence when the two bums camping there were arrested, but as they were staples without any private cost mark. Mr. Terry is unable to identify them positively as yet. Mr. Terry got off very luckily but it is evident that the capture at the Conner home served to break up a bad gang and it is more than fortunate that the men were arrested before they had inflicted greater loss on the community or had done great bodily harm to some one.

A NOBLE LIFE IS ENDED.

Joseph Hallowell of Dow City Dies on Sunday. Was a Highly Respected Pioneer.

On Sunday, Feb. 4th, 1906, George, eldest son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hallowell, passed away at the home of his sister, Mrs. James Scott, aged 57 years, 5 months and 4 days. Mr. Hallowell was born near Elgin, Illinois, Aug. 31st, 1848, coming with his parents to Crawford county, Iowa, in 1867, helping with the other members of the family to open up a farm in Paradise township, a few miles northwest of Dow City.

The funeral services were held in the Methodist church on Wednesday afternoon, conducted by Rev. J. J. Varley, assisted by Rev. Mr. Bentley, where a large congregation assembled to pay their respects to a neighbor and friend.

An impressive sermon was delivered by Mr. Varley. Beautiful music was rendered by a special choir, consisting of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stone, Dr. Frank Evans and Morris McHenry Jr., Miss Winnie Wiggins presiding at the organ.

Mr. Hallowell was a fine man, of brilliant ability who took a great interest in the development of intellectual and literary pursuits. Mr. Hallowell with R. M. Smith, G. C. Lawson and others organized and sustained the lyceum in early years from 1869 to 1876, which proved of so much benefit to the young men of that period as well as furnishing entertainment for the community during the winters of those early years when there was so little of either amusement or instruction of a public nature. He was a ready speaker, logical in argument and convincing in his conclusions. During the '70s, when the Northwestern part of our state was being settled up Mr. Hallowell took up a homestead, where he maintained his residence improving his place and thereby gaining a little part of United States property. He also acquired some property in South Dakota. He was very successful as a school teacher, following that occupation for several years.

For the last few years he has lived on the old homestead in Paradise township, but during his last sickness was at the home of his sister. He was never married. He leaves two brothers and one sister, as well as many friends to mourn his loss.

The interment took place in Dow City cemetery. The sympathy of the community is extended to the sorrowing friends.

OLD MUSIC EXCHANGED FOR NEW.

Membership in the Western Musical Exchange entitles you to the privilege of exchanging your old sheet music for new. Send one dollar membership fee; or, if you desire to earn your membership by a few hours work addressing circulars for us, send ten cents to cover mailing charges on the outfit and supplies. Western Music Exchange, Waterloo, Iowa.

MORE LIKE A CARBUNCLE.

Russia's blood is badly out of order. Its troubles, like a boil, when suppressed in one place, break out in another. A cure will not be effected until its system is rejuvenated.—Cedar Rapids Gazette.

THE WOMANS CLUB BANQUET.

On Saturday night the Carnegie club room was the scene of a brilliant gathering to celebrate the birthday of The Womans club. The club members had their husbands to help celebrate and they seemed to enjoy being included. A number of new gowns did honor to the event and the club room itself was resplendent in the club colors, yellow and white with dark red carnations to give tone to the more delicate colorings. It was almost 7 o'clock when the guests went into the club room to the music of a march played by Miss Hazel Laub. The tables were most attractive in their fine array of cut glass, silver and dainty center pieces, of yellow. The name cards were written in yellow and tied in dainty bows of the same. The four course banquet was very fine, the menu committee had planned and carried into a effect substantial and elaborate dinner. The serving was also very well done. During the dinner the talented daughters of the club gave musical selections that were much enjoyed. Toasts were dispensed with, so all the guests could give their entire attention and enjoyment to the evening without any misgivings as to their part later.

After the banquet a very nice program was given. Miss Hazel Nash and Miss Junia Roman sang, Hazel Laub played and Miss Helen Burch and Clara Scriver gave readings. Then looking as though she stepped out of a colonial novel or an old miniature came Gertrude Roman in costume and gave a delightful reading of "When Grandma Danced the Minuet." Gertrude's costume and make-up was delightfully quaint and her singing and posing fine. Helen Burch's selection was also too true and was very well given. Clara Scriver's selection was wonderfully clever, being one of Stephen Crane's Whilomville stories and the woes of Jimmy Trescott were aptly told by Miss Scriver who should have entered the contest.

At the close of the daughter's program Mrs. J. B. Romans gave some readings which were all that a Denison audience has learned to expect of her. Mrs. Roman's readings are so original and whimsical with every bit of humor and fun given, that people always clamor for more.

The social visit followed the program and the good bys were regretfully said. The guests of the club were Rev. and Mrs. Thureson, Mr. and Mrs. U. G. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Kemming, Miss Davis, Miss Bryce and Miss Meyers.

Miss Blossom Fegtley of Modale, Iowa, was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Plimpton.

To the menu and decoration committees belong a large share of the praise for the success of the banquet.

READY FOR DELIVERY.

Subscribers will confer a favor if they will call for their premium note-heads promptly. Orders placed before today will be ready on Saturday afternoon. Aside from the orders on hand unprinted and those already delivered we have now on hand, noteheads for the following 1907, subscribers:

P. F. Nixon, Deloit.
J. W. Dixon, Denison.
B. F. Morrow, Denison.
Earl E. Riddle, Denison.
John R. Robinson, Denison.
Earl Winans, Deloit.
Sidney Jobe, Denison.
Ed. Siever "
S. J. Woodruff "
E. C. Baum, "
Chris Schmidt "
Aug. Moeller "
Lewis Schmidt "
Mrs. Schaffer "
H. Koenekamp "
Mildred Mahler "
Henry Loewe "
Gust Meyers, Kiron.
E. M. Nobles, Egerly, N.D.

INDIGESTION IS EASILY OVERCOME

by the use of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure, because this remedy digests what you eat and gives the stomach a rest—allows it to recuperate and grow strong again. Kodol relieves indigestion, Belching of Gas, Sour Stomach, Heart Burn, etc., and enables the digestive organs to transform all food into the kind of rich red blood that makes health and strength. Sold by Lambert Drug Co.

MR. AND MRS. JOSEPH CARSON OF SACS

visited relatives in this city on Sunday.

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- 1 Dresser
- 1 Commode
- 1 Iron Bed
- 1 Good Spring
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- 1 8-foot Extension Table
- 6 high back Dining Room Chairs
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It will pay you to see our stock and get our prices before you buy.

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Assignee Sale

The Bamford Stock will be closed out in the next 30 days. The store will be open Friday morning February 9th. A chance for bargains. This stock must be sold.

E. W. Pierce,
Assignee.

Denison Mill and Elevator Co.

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We wish to announce to our customers and to those that would become our customers, that we are PRACTICAL MILLERS, and our mill is equipped for doing as good work as any mill in this part of the country and that we intend doing both CUSTOM and MERCHANT MILLING, and we always have on hand a full line of mill products.

We most respectfully solicit your patronage when you wish either to Sell, Exchange or Buy. Come and see us any time you need anything in our line.

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Yours Respectfully,
Wm. H. Rule, Manager,
Denison, Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Carson of Sac City, visited friends and relatives in this vicinity, a few days of last week.