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REPUBLICAN CAUCUS LIVELY AFFAIR

ONE OF THE LARGEST CAUCUSES EVER HELD IN DENISON, MORE THAN 150 VOTERS BEING PRESENT.

W. H. LAUB NOMINEE FOR MAYOR

Receives Eighty-One Votes on Informal Ballot. Nominated Because he Was the Choice of a Majority of Republican Voters.

The Republican city caucus, held on Wednesday night of last week, was presided over by P. J. Klinker, George McHenry acting as Secretary. The following nominations were made: For Mayor, W. H. Laub; Treasurer, C. L. Voss; Assessor, Halver A. Norman; for Aldermen at large, Chas. Christensen and James Armstrong. The ward caucuses held just prior to the city caucus made the following nominations. First ward, A. C. Green; second ward, W. H. Gibson; third ward, Charles French. The city caucus was a lively affair. It was an old fashioned caucus, when everybody got into the game.



W. H. LAUB, REPUBLICAN NOMINEE FOR MAYOR.

There was enough enthusiasm to prevent nominations going by default. Everybody was interested and yet perfectly good natured. The friends of the several candidates were on hand and anxious for the balloting to begin. Evidently there had been something doing before the caucus convened to bring out so large a number of Republicans, there being more than 150 in the room. The contest for the nomination for Mayor was exciting at the close. Mr. Laub's friends must have done him valiant service to bring so many to assist in his nomination. They did not make much fuss about it, but delivered the goods. He did not make much of a bid for the nomination, doing little more than giving consent to the use of his name. A great many did not even understand before the caucus that he was a candidate. He was nominated because he was the choice of a majority of the republican voters, and the enthusiasm which brought about his nomination will bring about his election. If elected he will be the Mayor of all the people of the city and not of any particular faction. He is an old settler and will take pride in giving us an administration that will reflect credit upon himself as well as the city. He has made a success of his business affairs and will give us a business administration. We do not take any stock in the talk that he has promised to run a wide open town, if elected. He has made no such promise. We fully believe he will enforce the laws of the state and the ordinances of the city as his oath requires him to do, and will do his best to win the approval of the good people of the community. Why not give the old settler a chance to prove his ability and loyalty to make a good record as Mayor? Mr. Rollins has made a splendid Mayor and he realizes that his defeat does not prove the contrary. It is impossible for anyone to hold the office of Mayor and to properly discharge the duties of the office without incurring the displeasure of many people. The opposition can find no satisfaction in the thought that Mr. Rollins will oppose the republican ticket in whole or in part. He is not the kind to be found sulking in his tent. He is too good a republican to permit his defeat to cause him to bolt the nominees of the caucus. He has a host of friends who will not forget him. He does not intend to have it

said of him that he was a bolter even at a municipal election.

The Republican candidates for aldermen at large, and in the different wards, are all good men of excellent business ability and reputation, and should receive the support of the people. As a rule they are young men and we predict they will win their election.

Mr. Voss for Treasurer and Mr. Norman for Assessor are both sure winners. The Republicans have it in their power to elect the entire ticket hands down, and we predict they will not lose the opportunity of ratifying the action of the Republican caucus.

Mrs. W. W. Coon Dead.
The Reaper of Death has found a rich harvest in this community during the last two or three months, and especially among the aged, the latest victim being Mrs. Mary Eleanor McHenry Coon, the mother of Dr. Coon, of his city. We have been furnished her obituary which was written by one closely related to her, and naturally familiar with her life and history, and as requested, we publish the same as it was thus prepared as follows:

Mrs. Mary Eleanor McHenry Coon, wife of William W. Coon, lately deceased, died of apoplexy, March 20th, 1910, in Denison, Iowa.

Mrs. Coon was born near Almond, Alleghany county, N. Y., Oct. 1st, 1833, being in her 77th year.

She was the tenth child of a family of thirteen children, whose parents were James and Abigail Vincent McHenry.

Of this family there are two surviving brothers and a sister, Morris McHenry of Dow City, W. A. McHenry of Denison and Mrs. Geo. Stevens of Boone, Iowa.

She was married to William Coon in Milton, Wis., Feb. 18th, 1860, by Rev. O. P. Hull.

Three children were born to them, Helen L. who died at the age of 16, Dr. L. M. Coon now a resident of Denison, and Jessie Coon Schouten, who died at the age of 28, leaving a baby daughter, Helen, who always lived with her loving grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Coon came to Iowa in 1875 and purchased a farm near Arion, where they lived continuously until Mr. Coon's death August 25th, 1908.

Since then she has been a beloved member of the family of her son and his wife, who with their little son, Louis, and her granddaughter, Helen Schouten, have given her untiring care and devoted affection.

Mrs. Coon was a faithful, consistent member of the Baptist church, for nearly 50 years, the greater part of them in Dow City and Arion. At the latter place she was a charter member and was its staunchest supporter, and was especially active and interested in the Sunday School where she was by turns, superintendent and teacher.

Mrs. Coon was by nature, one of those kind, unselfish women whose self-sacrificing disposition endeared her to all.

She was hospitable to a fault and her friends are numbered only by her acquaintances.

She leaves a large circle of nephews and nieces who will always revere the memory of their dear "Aunt Mary Coon."

The funeral services were held at Dow City March 22 at 11 o'clock a. m. and the remains interred in the Dow City cemetery by the side of her husband and daughters.

Mrs. Coon's youngest sister, Mrs. Paul M. Green of Milton, Wis., died on Wednesday, March 9th, neither knowing of the other's illness.

On Monday, March 21st, 1910, at her home in Iowa City, occurred the death of Mrs. Christen Hargens Reis, the cause of her death being blood poison. Mrs. Reis was born December 24, 1833, in East Boyer Township, Crawford county, Iowa. She was married in March 1858 to William Reis residing on a farm in East Boyer township for a year after the wedding. They then moved to Montana, where they have since lived on it six months ago when they took up their residence in Iowa City. She leaves to mourn her death, a loving husband and seven children, six boys and one girl, the youngest being a baby but two weeks old. The funeral will be held on Thursday afternoon at two o'clock from the Presbyterian church in this city. The Review extends its sympathy to the bereaved ones.

Dr. C. L. Patterson of West Side made a flying trip to Denison on Monday forenoon. He tells us that he is a candidate for mayor to succeed himself.

TEACHERS' MEETING WELL ATTENDED

LAST FRIDAY AND SATURDAY EDUCATIONAL FEAST DAYS FOR CRAWFORD COUNTY SCHOOL TEACHERS.

MANY EXCELLENT PAPERS READ

Among Others the Paper by Dr. Kepford Was Greatly Appreciated. The Round Tables Much Enjoyed.

The Crawford County Teachers' Convention beginning March 18 and continuing through March 19 proved to be one of the most successful as well as one of the most helpful meetings of its kind ever held in this city. The attendance was unusually good, numbering at the first meeting over 200. Throughout the entire session enthusiasm and general good spirit prevailed. County Supt. Hoffman and the teachers present are to be congratulated on this excellent showing of progressiveness. The time spent and consequent expenses meant not a few dollars of expense to the teachers. And this was all for the better instruction and training of the boys and girls of the county. The laymen should appreciate this in a substantial way.

The convention opened Friday evening with an able address by Dr. Kepford, official lecturer of State Board of Health. His subject was "Tuberculosis and Society." Prof. W. S. Athearn, Dean of the Educational Department, Drake University, followed Dr. Kepford in an address on "The Philosophy of Punishment."

The music of the evening consisted of two numbers by the High School Girls' Sixette and a vocal solo by Miss Florence Cushman with violin obligato by J. V. Barborka. The music was thoroughly enjoyed by all.

The Saturday morning session was opened by Master Carl Sibbet who sang in his usual pleasing way. Following this, was a second address by Dr. Kepford on "The Teachers' Opportunity."

After the announcements, the convention adjourned to the various Round Tables.

Space forbids giving a full account of the different round tables.

The High School male quartette opened the programme Saturday afternoon. Supt. A. J. Oblinger of Jefferson read a paper on "The Rural School Problem." Following Supt. Oblinger the Misses Irene and Etta Van Ness played a duet which all thoroughly enjoyed.

"Dad, Mother, the Parson and the Schoolm'am" by Prof. W. S. Athearn closed the session.

A number of teachers have remarked that this meeting was fully as helpful to them as the big state meeting in Des Moines last fall. This shows the strength of the program given when it rivals in interest and helpfulness a program costing over a thousand dollars. Supt. Hoffman and his committees having it in charge have cause to feel elated over the success of the meeting.

This morning at ten-thirty occurred the marriage of Mr. Joe Fisher of Carlin, Nevada, and Miss Edith Kelly of Denison. The wedding took place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Kelly, Rev. Senseney officiating. The bride was attired in a beautiful gown of blue messaline, and carried a bouquet of bride's roses, the groom wearing the conventional black. The Narcissus wedding march was rendered by Miss Lillian Raine in her ever pleasing manner. Following the impressive ceremony, a two course dinner was served. Both of the young people are well known in this locality, the bride having been employed by E. C. Chamberlin, the jeweler, for the last six years. She was born and raised in this community and numbers her friends by her acquaintances. The groom is a bright and industrious young man, having been employed about two years ago by the Iowa Telephone Co. at this place. He now has a government position at Carlin, Nevada, as fruit inspector. Mid showers of rice and old shoes, the happy couple departed on the noon train for their future home. The Review joins with their many friends in hearty congratulations.

Special communication of Sylvan lodge, No. 507 A. F. & A. M. Friday evening, March 25th. Work in the third degree. All brothers visiting the city are always welcome.

March Sale of Muslin Underwear and Skirts....

Do not fail to see the excellent values we are offering.



SUITS AND CAPES

The very best styles for spring wear. The newest colors. We are placing on sale this week some of the best values we have ever offered in Denison in Suits and Capes. Compare our prices.

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Trimmed Hats from \$1.48 and up



The Newest Styles in Red Cross Oxfords.

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They are the only perfect fitting and perfect looking oxford that you will be able to see this season. Make it a point to see these oxfords the next time you are in town.

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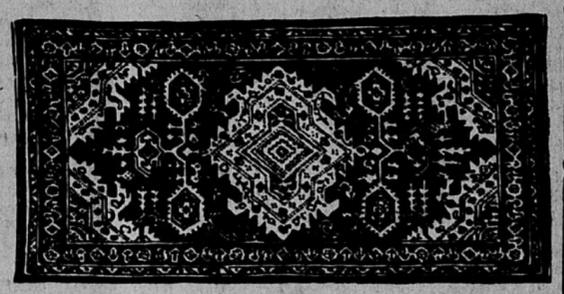
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High Grade Tailored Waists

We have four dozen high grade Waists that we will place on sale Saturday. These waists are all Irish Linen grades with embroidery fronts. The regular retail price is \$3.75 to \$4. Saturday we sell them at **2.98**

Sale of Ladies' Skirts Saturday

We will put on sale Saturday fifty skirts, the very newest styles. These skirts are made up in trimmed and plaited styles, all of the latest shades of brown, blue, tan and grey. New Resided patterns are being shown for this sale. These skirts are regularly sold as high as \$10. Do not miss this sale of the latest style **5.98 to 7.98**

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