

Plan to Come to the Chautauqua Assembly at Worthington August 6 to 14

IMPORTANT CAPTURE

Sheriff Fauskee Arrests Youthful Forger Wanted in Illinois.

The Offender was Captured at Brewster Some Time ago But Escaped.

Last Saturday Sheriff Fauskee added another important arrest to the long line already to his credit when he secured the person of Ralph Nelson, wanted at Tuscola, Ill., on charge of forgery.

A month or more ago Nelson appeared at Brewster, where he formerly resided, and the officers at that place arrested him upon request of the Illinois authorities and placed him in the village lock-up. During the night Nelson made his escape and has successfully eluded his would be captors until last Saturday when Sheriff Fauskee arrested him south of Adrian, where he was working on a farm.

Nelson who is but twenty years of age, stated that he went direct to Adrian after his escape from the Brewster calaboose, and had been working in that vicinity ever since, taking care not to exhibit himself in the towns. He relied upon a general belief that he had left this part of the state to secure him freedom, and his theory worked well for a time.

Sheriff J. S. Baker of Tuscola, Ill., arrived this week with requisition papers and took Nelson back to stand trial for his offense.

GRAVE CHARGES ARE MADE

Petition for Removal of a Jackson County Commissioner Before the Governor.

The application of W. G. Duapl for the removal from office of County Commissioner H. G. Anderson, of Jackson county, was presented to Gov. Johnson today by State Senator Somerville. A commissioner will be named to take testimony and the final hearing will be given in the matter Wednesday, Aug. 1. This trouble arose out of the proceedings for the removal of the county seat from Jackson to Lakefield. The petition charges that Anderson forged names to the petition for the removal; that he solicited T. E. Elness to remove his name from the petition by the offer of a bribe of \$20; that he used his influence to defeat the petition, and that the petitioners were never given a fair hearing before the county board.

The above from the St. Paul Dispatch gives the latest move in the county seat fight over in Jackson county. Mr. Anderson is chairman of the county board, a leading citizen of Jackson county and we scarcely believe he can be guilty of the offense charged. If he could be temporarily deprived of office the board would be a tie on all matters affecting the county seat removal, a gain for Lakefield.

Sunday School Picnic.

The members of the Swedish Lutheran Sunday school and congregation held a most enjoyable picnic at the farm of William Olson, south of town, last Friday. In addition to the usual games and sports there was a program consisting of songs and recitations and a brief address by the pastor Rev. Swan.

Some excellent music was furnished by the Svea band which made its first public appearance on this occasion.

Taken all together it was a day long to be remembered by those who participated.

Depot Burned.

The Omaha depot at Sheldon was destroyed by fire Thursday.

CONTRACT AWARDED

For the Erection of the New Congregational Church Building.

It Will Be a Handsome Addition to Our Church Edifices.

On Tuesday the building board of the Congregational church completed the contract for the erection of their new church building, the contractor being J. H. Peterson, of this city and the contract price \$6,000.

The new building will be erected on the site of the former church which was destroyed by fire, at the corner of 3rd avenue and 11th street, and will be completed and ready for dedication not later than November 1st. The plans call for a very handsome building 50x50 feet, the foundation and basement to be built of brick and stone and frame above. The design is entirely different than any church structure in the city and cannot fail to attract favorable attention.

The basement will be divided into furnace room, Sunday school room, class room and kitchen, leaving the entire ground floor in a large auditorium.

It is designed to use hot air for heating purposes and ample radiation has been provided to make the building comfortable in the coldest weather.

Work is to be commenced at once and will be pushed as rapidly as possible until the building is complete.

INSTALLATION SERVICES

Officers of the Christian Endeavor Society of Presbyterian Church Installed.

At the Presbyterian church last Sunday evening a special program was rendered and a public installation of the newly elected officers of the Christian Endeavor society held. The program opened with a violin solo by Miss Pearl Luehrs, accompanied on the piano by Leslie Luehrs. This was followed by a vocal solo, sung by Clifford Loveless at the conclusion of which came the roll call of members and the taking of an offering for missions, after which the pastor Rev. E. W. Latham installed the following officers of the society:

- President—Miss Avis Voak.
- Vice President—Fred DeBoer.
- Secretary—Miss Myrtle Clark.
- Treasurer—Miss Prue Town.
- Pianist—Miss Lillian Webb.
- Assistant Pianist—Miss Muriel Ramage.

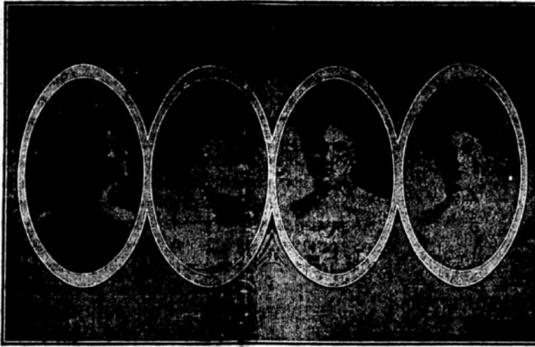
Circus Breakfast.

Miss Frances A. Clark gave a circus breakfast at her home Thursday morning. The guests were aroused from their slumbers at half past four and went down to the circus grounds to see the trains unloaded. Then by nine o'clock all were gathered at her home where breakfast was served. The occasion was one of great pleasure to all. The guests were the Misses Virginia and Blanche Matteson, Myrtle Jeffers of Windom, Lucy Ecker of Heron Lake, and Irene Meyers of Hastings. Messrs Jet Smallwood, Raymond Hawley and Sherman St. John and Ed Gibbee of Heron Lake and Ernest Foss of Madelia.

A Handsome Souvenir.

Twelve specimens of wild flowers from Yellowstone National Park pressed and mounted in a neat portfolio, with six half tone illustrations of scenes in the park makes a very pretty souvenir of the National Park which is truly nature's own Wonderland. Mailed post paid for 50 cents. A. M. Cleland, G. P. A., Northern Pacific Railway, St. Paul, Minn.

The Patterson Sisters, St. Paul



Above we present photos of the Misses Patterson, of St. Paul who compose the Patterson Sisters quartette which will appear at the Worthington Chautauqua afternoon and evening of Monday August 13th.

It is very unusual to find four sisters with a perfect blending of voices for quartette singing, but they have the reputation of being among the best ladies quartettes now on the Chautauqua platforms.

Lawn Party.

Last Friday afternoon Mesdames E. J. Wolven and Edward V. Voak entertained a party of about forty ladies on the Wolven lawn. A very pleasant social afternoon was enjoyed by those in attendance.

Married.

At the residence of the bride in this city on Saturday June 30th occurred the marriage of Miss Emma Tryon to E. Peters, of Oelwein, Iowa. The groom was a former resident of this city but is now employed as a boilermaker in the shops of the C. & G. W. railroad at Oelwein. The bride has long been a resident of this city, where she has many friends.

Death at Round Lake.

At the family residence in the village of Round Lake on Saturday evening of last week occurred the death of Charles Antritter at the age of 59 years. His death followed several years of suffering from a cancer and came as a welcome relief. Deceased is survived by a wife and several children. The funeral was held on Monday and was largely attended.

Fire Cracker Causes Fire.

The small boy and fire cracker combination got in their work early last Saturday morning with the result that the fire department got a hurry up call and Lou Holbrook is short a barn and one pig, the latter being cremated. The barn was located beyond the reach of the hose so that the department was unable to do more than watch the flames, complete their work of destruction.

The fire was caused by a small boy throwing a lighted fire cracker into the hay loft of the barn.

Picnic and Campfire.

The Misses Lear treated a party of young people to a sail boat ride last Friday afternoon, followed by a picnic supper and campfire at the Foescow grove. It was a most enjoyable affair.

Library Notice.

The Worthington public library is again open every day and evening excepting Sunday. The attempt to open only a portion of the time proved very unsatisfactory to the patrons and the board decided to return to the old method.

The Famous Carolinian Jubilee Singers



Nearly everybody has heard of the famous Carolina Jubilee Singers whose portraits appear above and many have enjoyed their singing. They have been engaged for the

first three days of the Worthington Chautauqua, August 6, 7 and 8, when all will have an opportunity of hearing them in their almost inexhaustible repertoire.

Voting Contest Closed

The voting contest conducted by Advance closed at 6 o'clock July 4th. Miss Nellie Johnson of Bigelow won first place and the gold watch, and Miss Julia Hyland won second place and the set of encyclopedias. The young ladies are to be congratulated on their success. The friends of Miss Johnson were particularly enthusiastic and loyal in their support of their candidate.

The following is the result of the vote.

Nellie Johnson	9552
Julia Hyland	4575
Bessie Tripp	2250
Margaret Ackerman	1400
Iva D. Schuck	1180
Nellie Lyon	640
Addie Ely	600
Myrtle Beard	555
Amy Darling	525
Clara Main	450
Carrie Sorem	450
Edith Clark	450
Esther Peterson	400
Mary Mitchell	350

Claudia Washburn	300
Mary Leuhrs	225
Grace Cass	175
Mabel Brock	175
Rose Bucknol	150
Margaret Brooks	150
Ida Hagerman	150

Presbyterian Church Services, Sunday July 8th, '06.

Rev. L. F. Badger of Mankato, Pastor-at-large of Mankato Presbytery, will occupy the pulpit at the morning service, and in the afternoon will preach at Reading. Rev. P. A. Schwarz Jr. of Windom will occupy the pulpit at the evening service.

A large audience should greet both of these gentlemen, for they bear the reputation of being strong preachers.

T. M. McCracken was in from Dewald Thursday.

Three pocket books were found at the circus grounds during the afternoon performance yesterday and returned to their owners by the secret police connected with the circus.

A GRAND SUCCESS

The Demonstration on July 4th in Worthington Was One of the Most Delightful in City's History.

Ideal Weather, Big Crowd and Splendid Program Combined to Make the Celebration a Record Breaker

Every Visitor Went Home Well Satisfied, With a Good Will for Worthington

Worthington's Fourth of July Celebration of 1906 will always be remembered by its citizens and the great throng of visitors present as one of the best and pleasantest in the history of the city. The day dawned bright and clear, and the weather all day was simply ideal. It was just warm enough to be pleasant. The crowds began to arrive in the early morning and by the middle of the forenoon the town was well filled. The Rock Island trains brought in about 250 people from the south and 100 people from the north. The Omaha lines brought in upwards of 1500 from the north, south and west. It is conservatively estimated that there were 6000 strangers in the city during the day.

The exercises were inaugurated by the time honored salute of 100 guns at sunrise, and from that time on the rest of the day the ubiquitous small boy kept up the noise, without any perceptible intermission until the wee small hours of the next morning.

Music furnished by three bands all day. They were the Windom High School Cornet Band of 27 pieces, the Rock Rapids and Sibley bands of 20 pieces each. At 9:30 the Industrial and Calithumpian parade began to form on second avenue, and headed by the Windom Band, marched down 10th street to 6th avenue, thence down 6th to 11th street, thence south on 11th to 5th avenue up 5th to 10th street, up 10th to 2nd avenue. The Windom band was followed by Co. F, M. N. G., then came the speaker of the day and county and city officials and citizens in carriages then another band and the Calithumpians, then the last band and the Industrial section.

The following awards were made for the different features of the parade:

Industrial section—Best float, Anderson & Benson, 1st., W. E. Moses 2nd.

Calithumpians—First, Lew Holbrook; 2nd, Carl Anderson.

Best decorated family turnout—T. A. Palmer.

At 11 o'clock the crowd assembled in the court house square, where the speaking was held. S. S. Smith, in a neat little address welcomed the visitors and then introduced Col. J. A. Town, who in his usual happy vein made one of his characteristic popular hits. The oration of the day was delivered by Gen. Wallace B. Douglas, of St. Paul. Gen. Douglas is a speaker of national fame and on this occasion he fully sustained his reputation.

From 12 to 1:30 the time was devoted to satisfying the inner man, and hundreds of family groups dotted the green in the courthouse square, the park, lawns, and even vacant lots. The hotels, restaurants and other eating places were fairly overrun by the hungry crowds.

At 1:30 the program of street sports was started. The following is the result in the several events.

Men's race—I. Pettit, 1st; E. Rodgers, 2nd.

Boys race—Jas. Moore, 1st; Ole Danielson, 2nd.

Three-legged race—M. Ramage and David Tripp, 1st; Smith and Shumaker, 2nd.

Old men's race—C. A. Tatum, 1st R. S. Hurd, 2nd.

The grease pig was caught by E. M. Dewey.

In the money shower for boys Will Hunt carried off the prize.

In the tug of war between Worthington township and the rest of the world the town of Worthington carried off the prize.

The judges in these events were Henry Hornstine, I. P. Fox and Harry Kies.

At the conclusion of the sports program the crowd repaired to the fair grounds where other amusements were scheduled. The first was a pony race, in which there were many entries. Henry Hornstine took first money and T. A. Palmer second.

The chief attraction, and one of the best features of the day was the base ball game between the Heron Lake and Lake Park teams. The following is the lineup of the two teams:

Lake Park—Rettig, ss., F. Blair, lf., W. Blair C., Fay 2nd b., Flint, p., Kitts, 3rd b., Rouse, cf., Bock 1st b., Winters, rf.

Heron Lake—Gebbie, cf., Vanderberg, lf., Smith, ss., Robson, 1st b., Drews, 2db., Barnes, c., Brown, p., Kelley, rf., Johnson 3d b.

The grounds were in fair condition, and the game was hotly contested, until the 7th inning, when costly errors netted the Heron Lake boys several runs. The result of the game was 12 to 6 in favor of Heron Lake. E. J. Jones umpired.

After supper the crowds were entertained with a game of water base ball, in the lake. This is a very interesting sport, and the large crowds which witnessed it were greatly pleased. The contest was between Brewster and Worthington. The latter team won by a score of 6 to 0.

The celebration closed with a display of fireworks on the lake shore. The crowd was good natured and orderly all day, and everyone seemed pleased with the exercises and their treatment in Worthington. A good many stayed over until the next day to take in the circus, and as the hotels were over crowded they took in the bowery and other dances.

Rushmore was well represented at the celebration on the 4th.

Robt. Wilson of Chicago, is here on a visit at the home of his uncle, Judge G. W. Wilson.

Rev. R. L. Webber of Marshall, district organizer for the Sunday School Union was here a number of days this week visiting old friends.