BIG COLUMBIANA COUNTY REUNION

Two Hundred Participate In Seventh Annual Picnic at Cottage Grove

SOME EARLY HISTORY TOLD

Thaddeus Binford Delivers Principal Address, Telling of Early Life in Native County—Benjamin F. Nichols Re-elected President of the Association—The Program.

The seventh annual reunion and picnic of the Columbiana County Association was held Tuesday afternoon at Cottage Grove Park, Soldiers' Home and at the afternoon session 200 participated, despite the unpleasant weather for an out-of-door gathering. One hundred more were at the park during the forenoon and took dinner. Officers were elected, Benjamin F. Nichols being again chosen as president; E. C. MMillan, vice president; William Battin elected treasurer and Miss Eva Hambleton, secretary.

The program, as previously announced, was observed with but few changes. Rev. Josiah Paxson, of Montour, delivered the invocation, followed by a piano solo, "Norwegian Pastoral," by Miss Majorie Nichols. Miss Edna Kirby, of Hartland, gave a vocal number, and responded to an encore, after which Mr. Thaddeus Binford delivered the principal address of the afternoon. Mr. Binford's address was along the line of facts that dealt with the early history of Columbiana county. He spoke as follows:

"Friends and Neighbors: A little more than a century ago, so far as the white man is concerned, the history of the county settled by our forefathers was commenced. Columbiana county, Ohio, a century ago, was one vast wilderness, heavily wooded, hilly, thin soil, its surface almost covered with stone. I dare say that if Columbiana county was today as it was one hundred years ago, the children and grandchildren of the pioneers of that county would go a long way and try every other field before they could be induced to go among those hills to make farms, build railroads and make cities.

"Who of us today can appreciate the work and sacrifice that our farthers endured to make out of that county profitable farms? Think for a moment, no prairies, no cleared land. A new settler must of necessity live in the covered wagon at least long enough to cut down the trees and clear a place large enough to erect a log cabin. The years it took after that to put the land in condition to farm, I will not undertake to tell. The kind of people who undertook this work and enduced its hardships we will hereafter refer to. The interest of most counties to a large extent center around the county seat.

"Just when the first settlement was made in this county and who were the persons who first dared to presume that they could make those "hills blossom as the rose," we cannot prove from history.

"The county seat of Columbiana county was founded by one Lewis Kinney, February 16, 1803, who gave it the name of New Lisbon. During that year the owner of the county seat built a court house and county jail and sold both the buildings, together with the lots upon which they were located, to the county, for the munificent sum of $150. One of these buildings was used by the county for a court house from 1803 to 1816. A new jail was built in 1808, and today stands as one of the landmarks of the early settlement.

"The first battalion of Columbiana county militia was mustered in 1806 with John Arter, a resident of New Lisbon, as its mayor. In 1808 was erected in this country the first iron furnace in that state, and during the same year the first newspaper was published in that county by William L. Leepper, known as 'The Ohio Patriot.' This village grew steadily, and in 1809 contained more than sixty houses. The population consisted almost of people from states of Virginia, Maryland and Pennsylvania. It is said this village continued to increase in population to such an extent that most of its citizens believed it was destined to become one of important inland cities of the nation, and when, in January, 1826, 'The Sandy and Beaver Canal Company' was incorporated, visions of commercial greatness in the near future loomed up before the people. This canal was commenced, but not completed until 1846. To us this seems a long time, but if we go back and consider the means they had to work with, the only wonder is that it could be built at all under such conditions.

"The arrival of the first boat on this canal was celebrated with appropriate ceremonies at a meeting held in a building owned by the father of the late lamented Marcus A. Hanna, known as 'Hanna's Warehouse.' The first railroad was built thru the county in 1852, but New Lisbon had no railroad connections until after the close of the civil war.

"The old county possessed more hidden wealth than the most sanguine of the earlier settlers dreamed of. The great and almost inexhaustible quantity of bituminous coal; with abundant and valuable quantity of fire clay; with unlimited amount of cement and limestone easily accessible, with a wealth of the finest building stone and plenty of water for manufacturing purposes, has made of this county one of the wealthiest in the state. Not until 1895 did the residents of that village, then almost 100 years old, realize that the county seat of old Columbiana county was now new. In that year, by a proper proceeding, there was entered a decree in the common pleas court by which the word 'new' was stricken from its name. It is now and since 1895 has been known by the name of Lisbon.

"Few counties in the state have figured in the history of the nation more prominently than 'Old Columbiana.' In the war of 1812, among the first volunteer companies to tender their services was raised by Capt. Rowland, in this county. The muster roll in this company is lost, so the names cannot be given. Among the names of other volunteer companies in 1812 we find many names the same as are on the roll of this association.

"As we follow the history of this county we find that the Coppock boys, who accompanied John Brown to Harper's Ferry, received their early education, and with it their love of liberty for the whites and blacks alike, in the district schools of Columbiana county. Those boys were schoolmates of some of the members of this association; a few men like John Brown and the Coppock boys can make a great deal of history. To men who cannot see clearly, their actions might have been classed as fanatical—but God's ways are past comprehending by finite man. The result of an act is not always circumscribed by the motive which induced it.

"The greatest excitement of that or any other county, I presume, occurred at the time of the pursuit and capture of the famous rebel raider, Gen. John Morgan, and his band of guerillas. In the month of July, 1863, Gen. Morgan and his band, consisting of artillery and cavalry, crossed the Ohio river from Kentucky into Indiana, from Indiana he came into Ohio. On his way north, in the southern part of this county, he encountered Gen. Shackleford's cavalry, but Morgan escaped, and it was not until he was met by Capt. John Burdeck, with a company of volunteer citizens of Columbiana county, hurriedly called together, that he surrendered.

"History recites that this company, to whom the rebel raider surrendered, presented a novel sight. Here was a short man with an old squirrel rifle twice his length, beside him a six-footer with an old blunderbuss that would scarcely measure two feet in length, beyond them a fat one with an old cavalry saber dragging on the ground, next a stalwart fellow with a double bitted axe upon his shoulder, ad so on with increased variety, if that be possible.

"The funny and ridiculous things done on this occasion by the people of this county, when they were looking for Morgan, and imagined every cow, or horse they saw coming over the hill to be the advance guard of Morgan's band, will be told the young boys in Ohio for generations to come. I cannot add to your knowledge of the history of Clement L. Vallandingham, except that he was born in this county and remained a citizen until 1847. He was a man of great brain power and possessed wonderful personal magnetism. His father was the first Presbyterian preacher in New Lisbon, and occupied the same pulpit for a quarter of a century.

"Was it he who was banished from the northern states by President Lincoln?

"Then we can claim all the fighting McCooks who were known during the rebellion, not only thruout the United States, but in all foreign countries. All Columbiana county people are proud of the name of this family, who did their part to emblazon the pages of American history with glorious illustrations of valor, and the true courage of American manhood, and thus shed an unfading luster upon the place honored by their birth or residence.

"We can almost claim Columbiana county as the home of the late lamented President William McKinley. His gradparents were married in New Lisbon, in the old Vallandingham homestead. His grandfather, as early as 1816, was prominently connected in the iron manufacturing interests. The home of Nancy Allison, the mother of the late president, is to this day one of the historical places in Lisbon.

"Then we have to our credit at last, but not least, the birth place of that one, more than president, the late lamented Marcus A. Hanna. He was born and spent his boyhood days in Columbiana county. Words of eulogy are but empty sounds concerning him whom we all knew so well. How often have I wished that he had known his worth while he was with us, so that he could have been compensated in part, for the work he did for this nation, by knowing that what he did was appreciated by those he benefitted. The love and sacrifice he made for his friend, President McKinley, was seldom, if ever, equaled by man. The friendship existing between President McKinley and Marcus A. Hanna was scarcely exceeded by the friendship of Damon and Pythias.

"We should not forget that grand, grand old man, David Anderson, who for almost half a century served the people of this county as a teacher of youth. The name recalls to many of us present that it was from him we obtained our first certificate certifying that we had sufficient qualifications to teach in the district schools of Columbiana county. He had a reputation of being severe, and he looked it, but I am sure no one was ever refused a certificate that was qualified to teach.

"Among other early eminent teachers and superintendents of schools in that county, we find the names of William Travis, Reuben McMillan, I. P. Hole, Henry McCook and R. W. Taylor.

"If you should return to Lisbon to visit your old friends, and should be shown the historical places of old Columbiana, they will point out to you the oldest house in the village, built in 1805, the home of Nancy Allison, mother of President McKinley, the McKinley home being that of President McKinley's grandfather; the Vallandingham home and the home in which Marcus A. Hanna was born.

"To be born and grow to manhood in such a county should be an inspiration in itself sufficient to make us all endeavor to emulate the virtues of our forefathers. I believe to a large extent our lives are determined by our environments and our associations. The influence starts with the babe by its association with the mother. Who of us cannot know and appreciate what qualities we received from our mother and what from our father?

"The mother's influence over the child is, and by right should be, the strongest and most lasting. Then follows the benefits of the family association. That to a large extent determines for good or bad the life of every man and woman.

"The responsibility of the mother is appreciated by her alone; she never stops to count the costs to her. Her life is frequently too soon spent in the care and anxiety for her child. Her work is never done until she lays down her life. Some are fully paid by the fact that her work and sufferings are appreciated by the boy or girl, who grows into manhood or womanhood fully equipped for the battle with the world.

"Joaquin Miller was thinking of the association with mother and the benefits received from such association when he wrote:

"The bravest of battles that ever was fought,
Shall I tell you where and when?
On the map of the world you'll find it not;
'Twas fought by the mothers of men.
Nay, not with cannon or battle shot,
With sword or nobler pen,
Nay, not with eloquent word or thought,
From mouth of wonderful men.
But deep in a walled-up woman's heart—
Of woman that would not yield,
But bravely, silently, bore her part,
Lo! there is the battle field.
No marshaling troop, no heroic song,
No banner to gleam and wave.
But oh, those battles they last so long,
From girlhood to the grave.'

"When we leave the family association we must still accomplish many difficult tasks, if at all, thru associations."

"Daniel Webster said in 1833: 'There are many objects of great value to man, which cannot be attained by unconnected individuals, but must be attained, if attained at all, by association.'

"Let the object and aim of this association be to make of each of its members better men and women, and better citizens than we would be without its influence. I am old fashioned enough to still believe that our forefathers of Columbiana county were honest and upright men, who, as nearly as possible, lived up to the golden rule. They were loyal to themselves, their neighbors and their country.

"Our forefathers, it is true, did not belong to so many clubs, did not deem it a duty they owed to themselves or their family to attend public gatherings, to witness the game of base ball on Sunday. They belonged to no card parties that required them to spend one afternoon each week at their neighbor's playing cards, and did not spend many days of the week playing golf or tennis and feeding their children on a grass plot. They read the literature of their day and prayed God that they might have the wisdom and strength to bring their children up to be honest, brave and worthy citizens. Their homes were sacred places for their boys and girls. Among those boys we find the McCooks, McKinley, Hanna and Lincoln. If, by reason of this association, we are enabled to emulate to a higher degree the virtue of our forefathers, these meetings will not be in vain."

Following Mr. Binford, Miss Mary DeButts, of Hartland, gave a piano solo, "Variations of Sweet Bye and Bye," after which Miss Eva Hambleton, of Albion, read a paper, "Spruce Vale." Miss Martha McMillan sang, and responded to an encore, after which general remarks were made by several present.

Expressions of thanks were tendered by the association for the use of the grounds by the management of the Home.

Those present at the reunion from a distance were Mrs. C. S. Allen and daughter, of Laurens; Mr. and Mrs. William Raley and daughter, of Elkrun, O.; Mr. Joel Hambleton, of Searsboro; Mr. Samuel Armstrong, of West Branch; and Rev. and Mrs. Josiah Paxson, of Montour.

The officers of the association have in mind setting an earlier date for the reunion next year, and may decide to make it a Fourth of July affair. The change is contemplated because of the fact that the weather in the fall is more uncertain, and as many of the members are old people the state of the weather affects materially the attendance.

CHAPMAN SAYS GUILTY

Show Day Pickpocket Will Throw Himself on the Mercy of the Court — Enters Plea and Monday Set a Sentence Day—O'Keev Case First.

W. H. Chapman, as he styles himself, charged with larceny from the person, the pickpocket who operated to such good advantage here on Barnum & Bailey circus day, was brought into court this morning and changed his plea from "not guilty" to "guilty." Judge Caswell has fixed Monday morning at 9 o'clock as the time for sentence.

William O'Keev, who is charged with assault with intent to commit murder, two counts, was brought into court, having been advised by his attorney to enter a plea of guilty. He refused and will stand trial. The O'Keev case will be the first criminal case tried, and will be called as soon as the Billmeyer-Davey case is concluded.

TO GUARD THE LENA.

Detachment of United States Marines Will Watch Russian Cruiser.

A detachment of 150 United States marines, from the barracks at Washington and Philadelphia, under the command of Capt. C. S. Day, passed thru the city this morning over the Northwestern on their way to San Francisco, where they have been assigned to guard the Russian cruiser Lena, which recently cast anchor in the port, and which has been ordered to dismantle and remain there until hostilities are over. The marines were transported in special cars, attached to passenger No. 3.

AMUSEMENTS.

"Way Back East" Played Almost to Odeon's Capacity.

"'Way Back East," a rural melodrama, with actors making up before the audience and specialties between the acts as additional drawing attractions, almost filled the Odeon Wednesday night. This bill proved the most satisfactory presented by the company so far this week. The piece is similar to both "Blue Jeans" and "Caprice."

ASK TO BE RELIEVED.

Attorneys for Disbarment Case Prosecuation Petition Court to No Avail.

Messrs. J. L. Carney and J. F. Meeker, two of the attorneys appointed by Judge Caswell to conduct the prosecution in the matter of the disbarment of C. H. E. Boardman, filed a request with the court to relieve them from serving. The court denied the request.

Attention Maccabees

All Maccabees are requested to meet at the hall at 1:30 p. m., Friday, September 23, to attend the funeral of Harry Hoeck.

D. S. GOOD,
Commander.

IOWA CLUB WOMEN ARE IN SESSION

State Federation Officers and Committees Meet In This City Today

SOCIAL AFFAIRS FOR GUESTS

Business Is Disposed of and Adjournment Taken This Afternoon—Luncheon This Evening at the L. R. Willard Home—Plan Work For the Winter.

The fall meeting of the members of the executive board and standing committee of the Iowa Federation of Women's Clubs was held in this city today at the home of the federation president, Mrs. T. J. Fletcher. In the neighborhood of thirty-five officers and committee members of the federation are in attendence at the meeting, which was called to order at 9 this morning.

The guests, for the most part, arrived in the city Wednesday afternoon and evening, Mrs. Fletcher entertaining the members of the board at dinner, at her home. After dinner an informal session of the board was held, and the chairmen of the different committees present called meetings of their committee members at the homes of the various hostesses, where they are being entertained.

At the meeting this morning, the general one in which all participated, the different phases of club work were discussed at length, and reports from each standing committee were given. Plans for the winter work were outlined and perfected, and the plans for the approaching biennial, to be held in Waterloo next May, were discussed as far as they have been perfected.

The club women from out of the city who are here for the meeting are as follows:

Mrs. J. W. Cory, Spencer, vice president Iowa Federation of Women's Clubs.

Miss Harriet Lake, Independence, corresponding secretary Iowa federation.

Mrs. Richard Burke, Oskaloosa, recording secretary Iowa federation.

Mrs. T. F. Cooke, Des Moines, auditor Iowa federation.

Mrs. C. C. Loomis, Cedar Rapids, journalist, Iowa federation.

Mrs. Stephen A. Swisher, Iowa City, historian Iowa federation.

Mrs. G. F. Van Vechten, Cedar Rapids, ex-president Iowa federation; ex-treasurer General Federation of Women's Clubs.

Miss Alice Tyler, Des Moines, secretary Iowa Library Commission.

Mrs. Lymna M. Hurd, Dubuque, Iowa secretary General Federation of Women's Clubs.

Mrs. Maria C. Bibbs, Boone, state chairman forestry committe, General Federation of Women's Clubs.

Mrs. William E. Culbertson, Carroll, chairman extension committee.

Mrs. H. F. Cannell, Maquoketa, Second district member extension committee.

Mrs. J. C. Jackson, Iowa Falls, Third district member extension committee.

Mrs. Ward B. Agnew, Fairbank, Third district member extension committee.

Mrs. F. L. Robinson, Oelwein, Fourth district member extension committee.

Mrs. G. W. Burnham, Vinton, Fifth district member extension committee.

Mrs. O. C. Meredith, Newton, Sixth district member extension committee.

Mrs. G. C. Moorehead, Ida Grove, Eleventh district member extension committee.

Miss Edith Prouty, Humboldt, chairman reciprocity bureau.

Mrs. Max Israel, Cedar Falls, member reciprocity bureau.

Mrs. Cora H. Kotchell, Mason City, member reciprocity bureau.

Mrs. Matt Parrott, Waterloo, chairman household economics committee.

Mrs. C. G. Walner, Atlantic, member household economics committee.

Mrs. Cora E. Chambers, Massena, member household economics committee.

Mrs. H. M. Towner, Corning, chairman club program committee.

Mrs. A. J. Barkley, Boone, member club program committee.

Miss Margaret Brown, Chariton, member club program committee.

Mrs. Julia Clark Hallam, Sioux City, chairman child study committee.

Mrs. P. J. Montgomery, Council Bluffs, chairman educational committee.

Mrs. Lillie Tucker, Brooklyn, badge committee.

Mrs. J. P. Whitney, Vinton, member library committee.

Mrs. Horace E. Deemer, Red Oak, child labor committee.

Mrs. Adaline M. Payne, Nevada.

Mrs. Payne, who is an enthusiastic club woman, was invited to the meeting by President Fletcher, that she might be consulted regarding a membership on the extension committee from the Seventh district, Mrs. Charles Polk, of Winterset, member from that district, having recently resigned owing to ill health.

Luncheon for Guests.

Mrs. Fletcher this afternoon at 1 o'clock entertained at her home at luncheon, all of the out-of-town guests, the members of the board of directors of the City Federation of Women's Clubs, of Marshalltown, and the presidents of the different federated clubs of the city. The guests from the city who accepted Mrs. Fletcher's hospitality at luncheon, were Mrs. H. J. Howe, president of the Iowa Library Association, and ex-president of the Iowa Federation of Women's Clubs; Mrs. A. Janney, president of the City Federation of Women's Clubs; Mrs. H. H. Nichols, vice president city federation; Mrs. L. S. Peckham, corresponding secretary city federation, and president of the Unity Club; Miss Agnes Thomas, recording secretary city federation; Mrs. C. F. Schmidt, auditor city federation; Mrs. T. I. Wasson, president Entre Nous Club; Mrs. Charles Newcomer, president Beethoven Club; Mrs. J. W. Burroughs, president Callsophian Club; Mrs. E. R. Lay, president Hawthorne Club; Mrs. Almeria Arney, president S. C. I. Club, Taylor township; Mrs. A. F. Balch, president Twentieth Century Club; Mrs. R. E. Sears, president Women's Club; Mrs. W. F. Koontz, president Lotus Club; Mrs. P. M. Sutton, president Political Equality Club; Mrs. D. H. Gross, regent Spinning Wheel Chapter, Daughters of the Ame n Revolution; Mrs. Lora A. Bennett, president W. C. T. U.; and Mrs. E. A. Crandall, lady commander Iowa Hive, No. 2, Ladies of the Maccabees.

Tea This Evening.

The members of the City Federation of Women's Clubs, who are acting as hostesses to the different guests from out of the city, had planned for this evening a 6 o'clock tea at the Country Club. The cool weather, however, has interfered, and instead of going to the country the executive board of the city federation and the different hostesses of the visiting guests will entertain the visitors at tea at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Willard.

MARRIED.

Tomlinson-Nichols.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at Minerva this afternoon at 2 o'clock, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Nichols, who gave in marriage their daughter Lizzie, to Mr. William Evans Tomlinson. Fifty guests, including only the near relatives, and more intimate friends, witnessed the ceremony, which was performed by Rev. Dr. W. F. Pitner, presiding elder of the Marshalltown district, Methodist church. The ring service was used. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Nichols, assisted by Mr. and Mrs. Theodore P. Marsh, of this city, brother-in-law and sister of the groom, received the guests. Miss Marjorie Nichols, of this city, a niece of the groom, played the bridal chorus from "Lohengrin," as the bridal couple, unattended, approached the altar, and during the ceremony played Bohm's "Love Song." Little Elizabeth Stevens of this city, acted as ring bearer. During the season of congratulations Miss Nichols played "The Flower Song," by Lange.

The bride was attired in a beautiful gown of white French lawn, trimmed with lace, and carried bride's roses. The decorations of the home were autumn leaves and golden rod, the color schemes of yellow and white being carried out in the decorations of all the rooms, and in the refreshments. A three-course luncheon followed the ceremony, served by Misses Ethel Nichols, Ada Ward, Grace Elliott and Ada Nichols.

Mr. and Mrs. Tomlinson are well known in the county, both being members of prominent families. Mr. Tomlinson was for several years superintendent of the county farm, near LaMoille, and prior to his public position, conducted a large farm near LaMoille. Mr. and Mrs. Tomlinson will leave Minerva in a few days, via California for their new home in Wenatchee, Wash.

The guests at the wedding from a distance were Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Nichols, Dr. and Mrs. W. S. Devine, Mr. and Mrs. William Battin, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore P. Marsh, Mrs. Sarah Price, Miss May Stone, Miss Lou Hole, Miss Marjorie Nichols and Mr. Jesse Hole, all of this city; Mr. George L. Marsh, of Chicago; Mr. H. F. Marsh, of Peoria, Ill.; Mr. T. R. Ball and Mrs. M. C. Minson, and son, Donald, of Ida Grove; Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Lehman, of Liscomb.

Pegg-Lutts.

A very pretty wedding was celebrated Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Lutes, 618 West Boone street, Rev. W. H. Scott pronouncing the ceremony that united in marriage Miss Emma Adelyn Lutes to Mr. James Albert Pegg, of this city. Nearly forty guests were witnesses to the ceremony, which took place in the parlor under an arch of smilax and white carnations, with a background of potted plants. Miss Lillian Pegg, of Vinton, sister of the groom, played the wedding march, and gave "Thine Own," by Gustav Lange, during congratulations. The bride wore a pretty creation of white crepe de chine over white silk with trimmings of valenciennes lace, and carried a bouquet of bride's roses. The dining room decorations were effectively carried out in pink and green, ribbons of that color extending from the ceiling to the four corners of the table of honor, in the center of which was placed the bride's cake. The colors are those of Marshall Rebekah Lodge, No. 40, of which both bride and groom are prominent members. Carnations were given as favors. The three-course luncheon was served by Mrs. A. M. Hanson, of LeGrand, and Miss Jessie Lutes, sisters of the bride.

Mr. Pegg, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Pegg, of Vinton, is a machinist at the Lennox shops. His bride has been stenographer and bookkeeper for Fisher Governor Company for over three years, and both have a large circle of friends in this city. They will be at home to their friends after October 15, at 307 South Fourth avenue.

Guests present from out of the city were Miss Lillian Pegg, of Vinton; Miss Gertrude Pegg, of Green Mountain, cousin of the groom; Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Hanson, of LeGrand; Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Keese, of Gilman, the latter a sister of the bride; Mr. Fred Lutes, a brother, and wife, of Gilman; and Mr. N. E. Glidden, of Grinnell.

Gustafson-Hazen.

The William Hazen home, 543 North Second street, was the scene of a very quiet wedding Wednesday evening at 8:30 o'clock, Rev. George Croker, of Green Mountain, officiating at the marriage of Miss Fay A. Hazen to Mr. John A. Gustafson, the latter of Conrad. Only relatives, to the number of twenty-two, were present. Mendelssohn's wedding march was played by Miss Maybel French, who also gave several selections during congratulations. Owing to recent bereavements, and the quietness of the event, no especial decorations were used. The bride was very becomingly attired in a gown of cream crepe de chine, with trimmings of lace and chiffon. Luncheon was served, following the ceremony.

The bride is well known and has a host of friends in this city. Mr. Gustafson is an electrician and at present manager of the telephone exchange at New Providence. Mr. and Mrs. Gustafson left this afternoon for Conrad, where they will make their home for the winter, and perhaps longer.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucius Watson, of Smithshire, Ill., grandparents of the bride, were the only guests present from out of the city.

Hopkins-Straw.

Mr. John Ross Hopkins and Miss Meta Straw, both of Melbourne, were married Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of the bride's aunt, Mrs. A. Sanderson, at Melbourne. Rev. W. E. Pitcher, pastor of the Christian church, performed the ceremony, in the presence of sixteen guests. Mr. and Mrs. Hopkins will reside at Melbourne.

QUARRYMAN ARRESTED.

Italian Laborer Captured at Quarry For Chicago Crime.

Tony Rooscoe, an Italian laborer, who for several months has been employed by the LeGrand Quarry Company at its quarries, was arrested Wednesday night by Sheriff Hutson, and Deputy Sheriff Thomas V. Morrison, of Cook county, Illinois. Roscoe is wanted in Chicago for jumping a bond of $1,500, under which he was released while being held on a charge of assault with intent to commit murder. The Chicago official spent all day Wednesday in an endeavor to locate his man, but Roscoe became aware of his presence and succeeded in eluding him until night. Accompanied by Sheriff Hutson, Deputy Sheriff Morrison visited Roscoe's home. When Morrison raped for admittance the Italian leaped thru a rear window, and endeavored to escape, but was caught by Sheriff Hueson. Deputy Sheriff Morrison has applied for extradition papers, and as soon as received the prisoner will be taken to Chicago.

OBITUARY.

Gough.

Mrs. Mary Hull-Gough, aged 33, wife of W. T. Gough, died Wednesday afternoon at 5 o'clock, of typhoid fever, at her home on the W. E. McLeland farm, north of the city in Taylor township. Mrs. Gough had been ill for about two weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Gough had lived in Taylor township for the past three and one-half years, and were well known in that section of the country. Besides the husband Mrs. Gough leaves four children, the youngest a babe of two weeks old; her mother, Mrs. Mary Hull, who lived with her; one sister and two brothers. The latter are Mrs. U. S. Bentley, of this city; Everett E. Hull of Oskaloosa; and Monroe R. Hull, of Pittsburg, Pa. The brothers are expected to arrive today when the funeral arrangements will be made.

MAKING BIG IMPROVEMENTS.

Iowa Telephone Company is Putting in New Toll Lines For This City.

The Iowa Telephone Company has in progress in this city work that will result in big improvements to its toll service. Poles are being set in the city to bring the toll line into town, and it will require three or four weeks to complete the work. Two of the lines are to come from the west, with Des Moines as a starting point; another runs north, to Waterloo; and a fourth, south to Burlington. All are in the nature of an increase to the service. A new cable, running from the office to Thirteenth street, is being strung, to better the city service. Fifty-five men are being employed on the work, and the extra pay roll for the past month has aggregated $2,160.

MOVES TO MARSHALLTOWN.

John O. Kirkpatrick, of Geddes, S. D., to Make Home Here.

Mr. John O. Kirkpatrick, of Geddes, S. D., arrived in the city today and will make his home here. Mr. Kirkpatrick has been engaged in the real estate business in Geddes, but for a number of years has been engaged in educational work, having taught last year American history in the high school at Harlan, under Mr. J. J. Louis, now principal of the Marshalltown high school, then superintendent of the Harlan schools.

Local Weather Record.

The maximum temperature for Wednesday was 59, as against 60 for the preceding day. Thirty-nine was recorded as the minimum, as against 40 for the day preceding. At 7 this morning 41 was registered, the same the corresponding hour yesterday.

THE POST DISCOVERY.

A Revelation In Human Food.

Previous to the discovery of the Post process of changing the starchy part of Wheat and Barley into a form of sugar, many people suffered from what is known as starch indigestion.

That was shown by gas and all sorts of stomach and bowel trouble, (sometimes ending in appendicitis) brought on by the undigested starch in wheat, oats, white bread, cake puddings, etc., etc.

Nature ultimately punishes anyone who continually takes some medicine or drug to smooth over or nullify bad conditions of the body. The only safe way to cure such is to correct or remove the cause. Therefore it was plain to Mr. Post, in working out his discovery, that people who show some weakness in digesting the starchy part of the food, (which is much the largest part of what we eat) must be helped by having the starch digested or transformed before being eaten. And of course the safest and truest way to do this would be to initate nature and avoid all chemicals or outside and unnatural things. The body digests the starchy food by the following process: first the moisture or juices of the mouth and stomach, then warmth or milk heat, which grows or develops diastase from the grain. Time is also an important element and when all work together and the human organs operate properly the starch is slowly turned in to a form of sugar, as it must be before the blood will absorb it and carry the needed energy to the different parts of the body. Of course if the body fails to do its work perfectly trouble sets in.

So in the making of the famous food —Grape-Nuts—moisture, and warmth and time are the only things used to turn starch into sugar, thus imitating nature and keeping the human food in original purity, free from outside things and just as Mother Nature intends it shall be kept for advantageous use by her children. The food is fully cooked at the factories, and is crisp and delicious with a little thick cream poured over.

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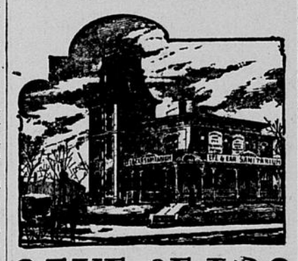

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