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Times-Republican

THE CITY IN BRIEF

Purity chocolates, Alexander's. Kemble's flowers, 529 North Third. Dr. Burkhardt, osteopath 302 West Main. Dr. Clemmer, dentist, Suite 9, Tremont block. Just received another car of Jersey Lily and Satisfaction flour. Kirk Bros. Read Simon's announcement regarding the opening of his new store March 1st. We still continue selling high grade Minnesota flour at \$1.50 a sack. Kirk Bros. Hickory nuts, walnuts, Sander's oyster cocktails and chili sauce. Huls & Son, Finkle block. A tea that retails everywhere for 40 cents we sell for 25 cents. Huls & Son, Finkle block. A beautiful practical souvenir to every lady attending Simon's grand cloak opening March 1st. Gregory Coal, Coke & Lime Company have plenty 12 and 16 inch oak and hickory wood. We have plenty 12 and 16 inch oak and hickory wood. Gregory Coal, Coke & Lime Company. The Val Blatz export beer is the best for table use. Order a case of Charles Dieterich, sole agent. Extraordinary values in 5 cent laces with insertions to match. Many new patterns just received. M. F. Andrews. The Tirzah Aid Society of the Tribe of Ben Hur will meet with Miss Olive Brunner, 298 West Main street, Wednesday afternoon. Embroideries, all widths, 10 cents per yard while they last. These are by far the best values ever offered in the city. M. F. Andrews. The basket ball games scheduled to be played at the railroad Y. M. C. A. Monday night, were indefinitely postponed owing to the death of Secretary Fellingham's infant son. Mrs. Percy Webster, of 411 East Linn street, entertained at a children's Valentine party at her home this afternoon, in honor of her son, Byron, and daughter Kathryn. Mrs. E. S. Ketchum assisted Mrs. Webster in entertaining. We are getting in the new goods that were bought in market last month every day now. Iron beds are here in all styles and all colors for the least money ever asked in the city. Come in to the fact that Mr. and Mrs. Hastings are to leave soon for their new home near Green Mountain, the ladies surprised their hostess by bringing with them two-course refreshments, which made up a delicious luncheon. A very delightful time was enjoyed and Mrs. Hastings was presented with a lovely Bible, as a token of the esteem in which she is held by the class. The first of a series of five dancing parties, to be given on alternating Monday nights by the Our Club, was held last night at the Red Men's hall. The membership of the club, which is composed largely of the younger married set, was well represented there being about fifty couples present. The opening affair of the club was a most enjoyable one, the dancers enjoyed the music and the program until a late hour. Guests present from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. Orlando Baxter, of Jacksonville, Ill.; Messrs. Lon and Ben Sallinger, of Carroll; Miss Ostelick, of Ottumwa; and Mr. Roy Utz, of Detroit, Mich. June Meredith, 401 West State street, was the little hostess at a pretty Valentine party given Monday evening to fifty of her girl and boy friends. The evening was merrily spent with games and contests. Marguerite Lewis received first prize, and Harry Gerhart the honor in a drawing contest, and in the hunt for hearts Ruth Crowley won first prize and Margaret Wasson was awarded the consolation. Partners for supper were chosen by drawing valentines, each two being tied with the same ribbon. The refreshments were served by the little hostess, Mrs. A. W. Heald, who was assisted by Mrs. Ella Miller, of Ottumwa. Mrs. W. J. Heald and Mrs. Burkholder. The Valentine idea was followed by a pink ice cream being served in the shape of hearts, etc. The house was lavishly decorated with hearts and valentines, and each little guest received a pretty valentine as a memento of the happy occasion. The regular meeting of the Woman's Club will be held in the club rooms Wednesday afternoon at the usual hour, and the program will be in charge of the home and education department. This has been arranged as an open meeting and each member has the privilege of bringing one guest. The program will open with a piano solo by Mrs. C. E. Patterson. The main feature will be the stereopticon lecture by Mrs. Laura DeLaney Garst, whose subject is "Home Life in Japan." Mrs. Garst has lived continuously among the Japanese people in Japan for over fourteen years, having gone there as a missionary for the Christian church denomination, and has learned thoroughly their language and everyday life. Mrs. Garst's husband, who graduated from West Point in 1875, and was in the service of the United States army for eight years in New Mexico, Texas, Colorado and Dakota, and resigned to take up missionary work in Japan. Mrs. Garst's death in Tokyo, necessitated his wife's return to America in order to support and educate her three children. She is now lecturing through the state of Iowa in the capacity of field secretary for the Iowa Christian Educational Society, which is designed to promote the interests of the bible school at Drake University.

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Wm. Rathin, 5 per cent farm loans. Smoke Wonder, McDonald & Ma-hood. Dr. Jay, surgeon and physician, Suite 8, Tremont block. Cranberries and fine sweet potatoes today at Reynolds & Sheldon's. We have a few ladies' outing gowns to close out at remarkably low prices. M. F. Andrews. Ladies, are you going to buy a jacket, or skirt or suit? Go to Simon's March 1, see him and get a beautiful souvenir.

COURT HOUSE MAY CLOSE.

Unless Court is Received Today County Offices May Close. The county building has decreased to such an extent that unless it is possible to secure more today, the court house, including the city offices, district court and other offices in the building, may be closed tomorrow. The supply has got very low, and the county officers were cautioned this afternoon to be as economical as possible. Rather than buy the more expensive grades of coal, and in order to keep the job heated, it may be necessary to close the court house Wednesday.

SHRINERS SNOW BOUND.

No Delegates Arrive and Meeting Cannot Be Held. Either the delegates to the annual meeting of Moolah Temple, Colored Shriners of Iowa, did not venture out today, or they had to be held at least up to this afternoon only one had arrived, and it is not expected that but very few if any at all can arrive before night. As a result the meeting of the temple will be held tonight.

WILL SUBMIT QUESTION

Council Considers Ordinance Granting Franchise to Heating Company, Which Will Go Before People For Vote at Coming City Election. The city council, Monday night, received for consideration the franchise ordinance of the Peterson, Heat, Light & Water Company, of Des Moines, which is desirous of establishing a plant here to provide steam heat to patrons throughout the city. The ordinance was amended as per suggestions of the city solicitor, who had investigated it carefully. The Des Moines concern asks for a twenty-five year franchise and authority to present the question to the voters. It proposes to build a central heating plant, and to lay conduits for the carrying of steam, using, always, as far as is practicable, the alleys of the city in which to lay the conduits. The heating plant is to be constructed some place in the business part of town. It is proposed by the company to begin the work of building by July 1, and to have the plant ready for operation and at least one mile of pipe laid, by December 15, 1905. It does not ask for an exclusive franchise. Public and private heat is to be furnished, at rates to be established later. Owing to the fact that Mr. and Mrs. Hastings are to leave soon for their new home near Green Mountain, the ladies surprised their hostess by bringing with them two-course refreshments, which made up a delicious luncheon. A very delightful time was enjoyed and Mrs. Hastings was presented with a lovely Bible, as a token of the esteem in which she is held by the class. The first of a series of five dancing parties, to be given on alternating Monday nights by the Our Club, was held last night at the Red Men's hall. The membership of the club, which is composed largely of the younger married set, was well represented there being about fifty couples present. The opening affair of the club was a most enjoyable one, the dancers enjoyed the music and the program until a late hour. Guests present from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. Orlando Baxter, of Jacksonville, Ill.; Messrs. Lon and Ben Sallinger, of Carroll; Miss Ostelick, of Ottumwa; and Mr. Roy Utz, of Detroit, Mich. June Meredith, 401 West State street, was the little hostess at a pretty Valentine party given Monday evening to fifty of her girl and boy friends. The evening was merrily spent with games and contests. Marguerite Lewis received first prize, and Harry Gerhart the honor in a drawing contest, and in the hunt for hearts Ruth Crowley won first prize and Margaret Wasson was awarded the consolation. Partners for supper were chosen by drawing valentines, each two being tied with the same ribbon. The refreshments were served by the little hostess, Mrs. A. W. Heald, who was assisted by Mrs. Ella Miller, of Ottumwa. Mrs. W. J. Heald and Mrs. Burkholder. The Valentine idea was followed by a pink ice cream being served in the shape of hearts, etc. The house was lavishly decorated with hearts and valentines, and each little guest received a pretty valentine as a memento of the happy occasion. The regular meeting of the Woman's Club will be held in the club rooms Wednesday afternoon at the usual hour, and the program will be in charge of the home and education department. This has been arranged as an open meeting and each member has the privilege of bringing one guest. The program will open with a piano solo by Mrs. C. E. Patterson. The main feature will be the stereopticon lecture by Mrs. Laura DeLaney Garst, whose subject is "Home Life in Japan." Mrs. Garst has lived continuously among the Japanese people in Japan for over fourteen years, having gone there as a missionary for the Christian church denomination, and has learned thoroughly their language and everyday life. Mrs. Garst's husband, who graduated from West Point in 1875, and was in the service of the United States army for eight years in New Mexico, Texas, Colorado and Dakota, and resigned to take up missionary work in Japan. Mrs. Garst's death in Tokyo, necessitated his wife's return to America in order to support and educate her three children. She is now lecturing through the state of Iowa in the capacity of field secretary for the Iowa Christian Educational Society, which is designed to promote the interests of the bible school at Drake University.

Special director of the chapter, and Mrs. A. H. Simon was elected the chapter president.

At the close of the program the regent, Mrs. May E. Montgomery, presented a beautiful silver gavel made of wood that grew on the Mount Vernon estate, which was the home of George Washington, from the time of his marriage on January 6, 1759 until his death, December 14, 1799. The gavel is decorated with a picture of the east front of the house, and was purchased by Mrs. Montgomery from the superintendent of the grounds, Mrs. Cornell, assisted by Mrs. W. J. Heald, several delicious refreshments, and red and white carnations were given as favors. On a table was displayed various rare coins, powder dishes and other articles that belonged to the ancestors of Mrs. Cornell during revolutionary times. Those proud of much interest to those present. Guests of the chapter yesterday were Mrs. John D. Palmer and Mrs. W. J. Heald.

WILL NOT DELIVER.

Judiciary Committee of Council Reports Adversely to Paving Certificates. At the regular meeting of the city council Monday night Chairman Abbott, of the judiciary committee, reported adversely in the matter of surrender to Elzy & Dunn, contractors on the South First avenue paving, the certificates for that street, as requested by a resolution of the city council. The committee reported that the legal phases of the matter had been looked into carefully, and that City Solicitor Van Law had advised the council against delivering the certificates until the city had been received in full for all claims against the improvement. Mr. Abbott said the committee believed that the delivering of the certificates to the contractors would not be legally done, and recommended that the resolution presented at a recent meeting not be adopted. The written opinion of the city solicitor was also read by the chairman of the committee, and upon the adoption of the report, there was a unanimous vote of aye.

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MAHLON GREEN DEAD

Old Resident of Bangor Township, and One of Rich Farmers of the County, Dies of Old Age Monday Night. Mahlon Green, of Bangor township, one of the early settlers and a very well known resident of the county, died at his home, one mile north of Bangor, Monday night, of ailments due to old age. Mr. Green was 76 years of age, and had been a resident of the county for fifty-five years, during which time he had amassed a good-sized fortune. Mr. Green was born in Clinton county, Ohio, in 1828, and in 1852 married Miss Libbie W. Lundy, of the same county. They came to Iowa in 1859, and settled in Bangor township, where they have since lived. He was a life-long member of the Friends church. He leaves three children, one of whom, Levi R. Green, lives near Bangor. Arrangements for the funeral have not yet been made. Like Finding Money. McBride & Will, the popular druggists, are making an offer that is just the thing for the money. They are selling a regular 50 cent bottle of Dr. Howard's celebrated specific for the cure of constipation and dyspepsia at half price. In addition to the large discount they agree to return the money to any purchaser whom the specific does not cure. It is quite unusual to be able to buy fifty-cent pieces for a quarter, but that is what this offer really means, for it is only recently thru the solicitation of Druggists McBride & Will that this medicine could be bought for less than fifty cents. They urged the proprietors to allow them to sell it at this reduced price for a little while, according to a certain amount. The result has justified their good judgment, for the sale has been something remarkable. A Farm Snap. For Sale—A fine farm of 640 acres, located in extreme southern part of South Dakota, one mile from railroad town, good house of eight rooms, barn for sixteen horses, deep well and windmill, all fenced and cross fenced, every acre is cultivated. There are now 385 acres under cultivation; balance fine meadow and pasture. This farm can be divided into two farms of 320 acres each, and will be sold on favor-

ELECTION OFFICIALS.

Named by Various Councilmen at Monday Night's Session. The judges and clerks for the municipal election to be held on March 27, were named by the members of the council from the different wards Monday night, as follows: First ward—Charles Dietrich and J. L. Swingley, judges; E. L. Carver and Theo. Richwald, clerks. Second ward—W. R. Ruben, judge; J. A. Wright and George P. Powers, clerks. Third ward—J. M. Cooper, judge; C. C. Cassell, J. C. Welch, clerks. Fourth ward—Joseph Johnson, Edward Sheridan, judges; A. P. Pratt, T. H. Bendlage, clerks. Fifth ward—Al Morrison, judge; Anthony Novatney and William Kennehan, clerks.

Special Sale.

4 lbs 10c rice .....25c 3 cans 10c apples .....24c 2 cans best Lima beans .....25c Stringless beans, while they last, per can .....10c Blackberries, extra quality, per can 10c 1 lb spring leaf tea siftings .....25c 1 lb best uncolored Japan tea .....50c 2 1/2 lbs best 20c coffee .....50c New figs, per pkg. .....10c Lima beans, extra quality, per can 15c Oranges, per doz. .....13c Will Miller, 20 North First avenue. Both 'phones.

Real Estate Transfers.

Rosett J. Arney and husband to George Hanson, land in S-19-38E. Foley's Honey and Tar cures the cough caused by attack of croup. It heals the lungs. B. A. Morgan.

A MASS MEETING

Sixth Ward Voters Will Hold One Tonight at the Mission Chapel—Will Talk Over Situation, and Adviseability of Suitable Action, Following Council's Move in Abolishing the Ward. The voters of the Sixth ward will hold a mass meeting tonight at the mission chapel, on Summit street, near Thirtieth, at which time the situation resulting from the elimination of the ward by the action of the city council Monday night, will be talked over at length. The advisability of taking action, in an attempt to overcome the action of the council, will be considered.

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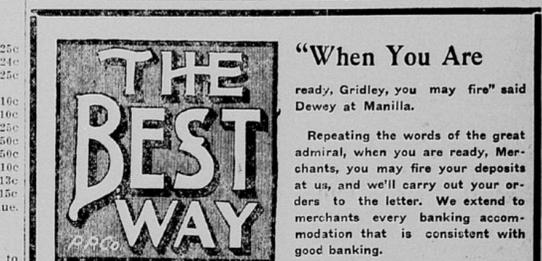
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