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- Amos Shepherd, of Hibbing, Minn., general manager of the Corrigan and McKinney mines on the Mesaba, fractured his skull at the Kitchi Gami club in Duluth. He was in the laboratory when he was seized by sudden faintness and fell to the floor.

- RUB ON Painkiller and the Rheumatism's gone.

EXPECT 200 DELEGATES

Annual Meeting of Southeastern Iowa Teachers' Association at Oskaloosa This Week

RIGGS TO BE IN ATTENDANCE

State Superintendent Will Be Leader of the Round Table For County Superintendents and School Directors—Section Meetings Announced—Educators Will be Welcomed by Mayor.

Special to Times-Republican. Oskaloosa, March 29.—Nearly two hundred delegates are expected to attend the annual meeting of the Southeastern Iowa Teachers' Association which convenes in this city Thursday and continues Friday and Saturday.

State Superintendent Riggs will attend the sessions and will be leader of the round table for county superintendents and school directors, which will be held Thursday afternoon, at 2 o'clock. The round table for colleges and high schools will be held Thursday afternoon with Principal Seth Thomas of Washington as leader.

The section meetings will be held Friday afternoon as follows: Superintendents and principals, Superintendent William Aldrich of Keokuk, presiding; high school, Principal Rodney Arrey of Muscatine, presiding; grammar and intermediate, Superintendent C. E. Douglas of Montezuma, presiding; primary and kindergarten, Katherine Haley of Des Moines, presiding; college, Dr. John W. Hancher of Iowa Wesleyan University, presiding; county superintendents and rural teachers, County Superintendent F. A. McMillan of Grinnell, presiding.

Hon. J. Williams, mayor of Oskaloosa, will welcome the delegates and among the addresses will be: "New Continents"—Dr. Herbert L. Willitt, Chicago. "Public Responsibility for the Public Schools"—D. A. E. Winslow, Boston. "Two Worlds—Mind and Matter"—Professor Lee Francis Lybarger, Philadelphia.

ARE PARENTS OF TWINS.

Aged Negro Couple of Charlton Are Rejoicing in Addition to Family. Osceola, March 29.—Mr. and Mrs. James Bradley of Charlton are the parents of twins—the father being 78 years of age and the mother 63.

General Bradley enlisted in the war of 1861 and James went with him as his valet. After being captured at Baton Rouge Bradley joined a colored regiment and took part in the battles of Vicksburg, Ft. Pillow and other battles.

By the Tonic Route. The pills that act as a tonic, and not as a drastic purge are DeWitt's Little Early Risers. They cure Headache, Constipation, Biliousness, etc.

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Iowa at Washington. Washington, March 29.—Patents granted: William F. Zettendorf, Dayton, Ohio, side frame for car trucker; Alonzo C. Buttman, Columbus City, Ohio; Frank R. Currie, Mason City, display cabinet or stand; James F. Dunham, Waterloo, machine for forming concrete building blocks; John McMullin, Burlington, mold; Rexford B. Richmond, Malvern, shoulder brace and suspenders; John Stocker, Muscatine, belt stud tool.

Additional rural free delivery routes established: May 1, Oakland, Iowa; Wataville county, route 4; length of route, 23 1/2 miles; area covered, 20 square miles; population served, 388; number of houses on route, 87. Rural letter carriers appointed: Dunlap—Irving D. Cover, carrier; Emily M. Cover, substitute.

War with Spain—Relapse: Charles H. Pace, New Market, \$12. Original: Rue M. Standish, Waterloo, \$6. Widows, Act June 27, 1890—Special act, increase: Nancy Gabriel, Keokuk, \$12. Original: Catharine A. Gitt, Ottumwa, \$8; Lydia Phillips, Swan, \$8.

Invalids, General Law—Special act, increase: Joseph L. Crookrey, Linn Grove, \$30. Church Fortner, Waverly, \$24. Increase: Joseph A. Fitzpatrick, Nevada, \$4; Ezra Goodrich, Muscatine, \$12; Newton J. Jolley, Osceola, \$12; William Martin, Gravity, \$17; Ly-

BURGLARS GAGGED DOG

Robbers at Dubuque Continue to Work In Spite of Many Mishaps to Their Plans

FELL ON THE PIANO KEYS

Family Was Awakened and Went Screaming from the House, but Burglars Kept on in the Search for Valuables—They Made a Pretty Good haul—Iowa News.

Special to Times-Republican. Dubuque, March 29.—A very bold burglary was committed at the residence of Mrs. Johanna Meisner, 712 Lincoln avenue. Three burglars at first attempted to effect an entrance by raising one of the bed room windows on the east side of the house, but, failing in this, they went down into the basement, thinking that they could get up stairs. As they were trying to find a stairway they came in contact with a chain which controls the radiator up stairs and the noise awakened Mrs. Meisner, who called her daughter's attention to it.

She said that some one was trying to get into her house, but her daughter, who is the widow of the late Dr. Merritt, tried to calm her fears by saying that she must be suffering from nervousness, and Mrs. Meisner then went back to bed.

FUNK DENIES RUMOR

Says There is No Truth in Statement That the Iowa Falls Road Has Decided on the Charles City Rather Than the Mason City Extension.

Iowa Falls, March 29.—When shown a certain item from an Iowa daily this morning, Secretary J. H. Funk, of the Des Moines, Iowa Falls & Northern road, denied the truth of the article in toto. The item in question says that E. S. Ellsworth, president of the road, who is at present in Florida, is authority for the statement that the Iowa Falls road had decided on the Charles City rather than the Mason City extension and that a location survey 110 miles in length has been made. It is further stated that bids for construction have been invited and that the Globe Construction Company of Chicago has been awarded the first fifty miles.

Mr. Funk said there was not the first element of truth in these statements and that they were news to the board of directors. So far as can be learned no surveys have been made to either Mason City or Charles City and outside of the directory no one appears to know the true objective point of this extension which the stockholders decided to make at their annual meeting in December. When pressed for a statement as to the future plans of the company, Mr. Funk was very reticent and declined to talk on the subject. It is now thought that the extension will be taken on the extension until Mr. Ellsworth returns from the south. This may not be until May 1.

LAYING NEW STEEL

Iowa Central Puts Gang at Work on the Manly Extension.

Northwood, March 29.—The Iowa Central railway set an extra gang at work at Manly yesterday morning, laying 80-pound steel between Manly and Northwood. This completes the work begun by the Rock Island last fall. The Rock Island people have laid 80-pound steel from West Liberty to Manly, and from Northwood to Albert Lea. This piece of joint track under Iowa Central control was the only part of the line remaining unequipped with heavy rails. Railroad men are much pleased at seeing the work of laying the new steel actually begun as it was a sore disappointment to them that the work was not completed last fall.

Statisticians show startling mortality from appendicitis and peritonitis. To prevent and cure these awful diseases, there is just one reliable remedy, Dr. King's New Life Pills. M. Flannery, of 14 Custom House Place, Chicago, says: "They have no equal for constipation and biliousness." 25 cents at McDonald & Mahood Co., druggists.

The Grinnell News. Special to Times-Republican. Grinnell, March 29.—E. L. Beard and family, who have made Grinnell their home for several years, have removed to Cedar Rapids where they will make their home for the future as it is a more convenient point for the business of his district.

George Carroll, 72 years old, was killed by a Chicago, Burlington & Northern train at Hazelhurst, Ill.

FORTUNE AWAITS HIM

Pocahontas County Farmer May Fall Heir to Fine Legacy in Paris

MICK MURRAY'S STRANGE LIFE

Supposed Heir to \$150,000 Came to America When a Lad as a Stow-away—Came to His Uncle's Home, but Again Ran Away and Finally Went to Farming.

Special to Times-Republican. Pocahontas, March 29.—Word was received a few days ago by Attorney Hazlet of this place that there is a little fortune of \$30,000 awaiting distribution among the heirs of a certain man by the name of Murray, who died in Paris some little time ago, and that "Micky" Murray, a prominent farmer living near Pocahontas, is one of the only of the heirs to the estate.

Mick Murray during his life has had some rather peculiar experiences. He was born in Ireland and at the age of 14 he came to America as a stowaway in one of the steamers. He went immediately to the home of his uncle, who was then located in an eastern city as manufacturer, and who, by the way, is the one who recently died in Paris. The uncle was glad to receive the boy into his home and made preparations to give him an education as well as a home. Micky was accordingly started into school, but found it very distasteful, and after about a week ran away from his uncle's home and commenced roughing it thru the western states.

The uncle advertised extensively for the young man and he in his travels often read them, but was determined to make his way alone and was also determined not to go to school.

Information Hard to Secure. Within the past few years he has employed Attorney William Hazlet to investigate the condition of his uncle's estate, knowing that the uncle had few if any heirs. After a great deal of correspondence, the letter received a few days ago is the first which gives definite information as to the death of the uncle and the fortune left. It seems that after the uncle had amassed a fortune in the business of manufacturing in one of the eastern cities of the United States, he sold all his interests in America and returned to spend his remaining years in Europe. His death occurred in Paris some time ago and it was found by his will that all property was left to different charitable institutions. In accordance with the laws in France, however, a certain percentage is set apart for possible heirs who may make claim, and \$30,000 is the portion set apart for the heirs. Micky Murray thinks he is the only heir and since hearing from Paris feels that he will receive the whole amount.

The Pennsylvania senate passed the bill providing for the annexation of Allegheny City to Pittsburgh.

Bad Fire at Somers. Somers, March 29.—A fire was mysteriously started at 3:30 yesterday morning, and before the flames could be gotten under control, H. E. Brant's residence was burned. A large lumber yard was also almost totally destroyed.

Little Poker in Washington. [Washington Post.] It was formerly quite the thing to tell stories about big poker games among the members of congress. Much was said about the "senatorial game," "millionaires' game," and the "congressional game," and always we heard about great bunches of money changing hands, bluffs as high as the banks of the Mississippi, and all sorts of stories.

Frequently the senator, representative, diplomat or rich man was named, and the winnings or losses told with as much gusto as if they had really happened. There were some pleasant poker games in days gone by, and occasionally some wonderful plays, but one night, with a few interesting incidents furnished material for a month of stories.

Some of those who figured in the poker stories became annoyed at the notoriety they gained and abandoned poker entirely. For many years now there has not been enough poker in the capital to hang a story on.



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