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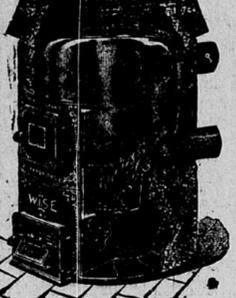
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UNION SERVICE OF THANKS IS HELD

Good Sized Congregation Attends Morning Meeting at Baptist Church

REV. J. AURACHER PREACHES

Pastor's Subject Was "The Glory of a Nation" — Preachers of Other Churches Take Part — Collection is Taken for the Inter-Church Society — Synopsis of Sermon.

A congregation which partly filled the seating capacity of the Baptist church gathered at 10:30 o'clock this morning for worship at the annual Union Thanksgiving service...

Rev. J. Auracher, in presenting his subject, based his remarks on the text from Jeremiah 9:23-24: "Thus saith the Lord, let not the wise man glory in his wisdom, neither let the mighty man glory in his might, let not the rich man glory in his riches..."

Mr. Auracher said in part: "There is a thanksgiving that consists merely in form, and does not draw the heart toward Him from whom all our blessings come. Such an attitude means nothing in the sight of God."

"We may also be selfish in our motives for thanksgiving. Were it not for the fact that we desire a continuation and renewal of our blessings there would be a tendency to indifference in our expressions of gratitude."

"There are things in our possession in which we, as a people and nation, may rejoice and even glory in—things in which God delights, and which will perpetuate our nation and its greatness."

"We might have some occasion to glory in our wisdom. We take pride in our educational system, our public schools, colleges and universities, in our public libraries, in the small percent of illiteracy, in our inventions, in our great statesmen, but that is not a nation's chief glory."

"We are not to glory in our strength, although we are not so much afraid of sunshine and fresh air. We are becoming healthier and stronger, and the average age is increasing. Could we eliminate some of the diseases that are hereditary and others that come through immorality we would be still more vigorous."

"These are things that cause our hearts to go into thanksgiving to God. They are things in which God is pleased to have us glory."

Local Weather Record. Sixty-one was Wednesday's maximum temperature, compared with 51 for Tuesday. The minimum last night was 30. Five degrees colder than the night before. At 7 o'clock this morning the temperature was 32, compared with 40 for the corresponding hour Wednesday morning.

Father and Daughter In Double Wedding. In a double wedding, witnessed by a large number of guests, and celebrated at 7:30 o'clock Wednesday evening by Mayor O. L. Ingledue, Herman Salomon, of 402 1/2 Myrtle street, and his daughter, Miss Nellie E. Salomon, were the participants.

High School Foot Ball Stars Play Last Game Today



SCHMIDT, Captain of the Team, Who Wears Moleskin Last Time Today. KIRK, Fullback, Who Played His Last High School Game Today. LEE FETTERS, Quarterback, Who Will Likely Be Chosen Next Year's Captain.

In their last game of the season today two of the stars of this year's high school foot ball team will appear for the last time officially in their "M" sweaters. Captain Ferdinand Schmidt, who has headed the team this year, is a senior, and will graduate next June. This is likewise true of Archie Kirk, the big fullback, upon whom the state union athletic management has an eye for foot ball material.

Lee Fetters, the whirlwind quarterback, and the team's field general, is a junior, and will play again next year, when it is considered more than likely that he will be captain. The game this afternoon with Grinnell should be a stiff one, with chances slightly in favor of Marshalltown. The relative strength of the two teams can not be compared from a standpoint of

Des Moines, received the guests in the first parlor. The dining room was devoted to dancing, where an orchestra played for the program of nineteen numbers. Cards were provided for those who preferred this diversion. Lunch was served on the balcony and in the parlors. The balcony rail was interwoven with evergreens, and clusters of chrysanthemums added bright color to the decorative scheme of the second floor. Ivy was woven about the chandeliers in the dining room, and the lights were shaded with red.

Mr. and Mrs. Speers were assisted by Misses Winifred Chamberlain, Hazel Standoe, who served punch, and Misses May and Helen Willard, who directed the guests to the dressing rooms. Master Cole McCreery provided the guests with dancing programs. The guests present from out of the city were Mr. H. H. Stipp, of Des Moines; Miss Nellie Green, of Waterloo; Miss Marian Vought, of Hampton, and Mrs. E. E. Hatch, of Bennett, Wis.

VIENNA PIONEER VERY LOW. E. N. Hill, for forty years a resident of Vienna township, is lying very critically ill at his home, suffering from an accident of two weeks ago, when he fell from a chair, sustaining a fracture of the hip. Mr. Hill was putting up the heater for the winter, and was standing on a chair adjusting the stove pipe. When he slipped and fell he believed that he was hurt, but did not believe the injury to be serious. No surgeon was called for three or four days, and finally when the man's pain began to become unbearable a physician was summoned and discovered the fracture. Mr. Hill is unconscious and delirious most of the time. He is a brother of Mr. Albert F. Hill, of Albion.

MARRIED SIXTY YEARS. Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Starr, of State Center, Celebrate Unique Anniversary. Married sixty years is the unique record held by Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Starr of State Center, who have just celebrated their anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. Starr were married at Mercertown, Pa., Nov. 23, 1848. They moved to State Center in 1866, and have lived there ever since.

Wallace Bacon Weds. Son of Former County Superintendent of Schools Weds Wapello Girl. At Wapello, Wednesday night at 8 o'clock, was celebrated the marriage of Wallace Bacon, son of C. W. Bacon, formerly superintendent of schools in this county, and a resident of Clemons, but now of Des Moines. Mr. Bacon's bride was Miss Bessie Blanchard, a well-known young woman of Wapello. Both of the young people are students in Drake university, where Mr. Bacon is in his last year in the conservatory of music, and his wife is a junior.

THE SPEERS PARTY. Delightful Social Affair is Given at the Pilgrim. One of the most pretentious and elaborate social affairs of the fall season was the dancing and card party given at the Pilgrim hotel Wednesday evening by Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Speers, 711 West Main street. Almost 200 guests were most delightfully entertained.

Ben O. Rhoades Dead. Former Well-Known Auctioneer and Commission Merchant of This City Dies in Los Angeles of Cancer of the Stomach. Benjamin O. Rhoades, a former very well-known auctioneer and commission merchant of this city, who has lived in Los Angeles for the last fifteen years, of cancer of the stomach, according to news received in this city.

Ben O. Rhoades' death was the culmination of a long sickness. He had been suffering with the disease for some time before he was taken to the hospital two months ago for treatment and an operation. When the nature and seriousness of his illness was learned it was found that an operation would be useless, and he was returned to his home. The funeral was held in Los Angeles where the body was buried.

Mr. Rhoades was born in Pickaway county, Ohio, March 28, 1837. When he was fourteen years of age the family moved to Monticello, Ill., and later to Champaign. Mr. Rhoades came to this city in 1866, where he engaged in business and where he remained until going to California. During his residence here he acquired a wide reputation as an auctioneer. About twenty-five years ago Mr. Rhoades was sheriff of Marshall county. After going to Los Angeles he engaged in business, and when his son, Benjamin, Jr., went to Los Angeles seven years ago, the father and son went into the commission business, together under the firm name of Rhoades and Son.

Mr. Rhoades had been married three times, and is survived by the third wife, who is living in Los Angeles. Three children, Mrs. N. A. Curmean and Mr. Benjamin Rhoades, live in Los Angeles, and another daughter, Mrs. Dorothy Fruyn, resides in Clark, S. D. One grandson, Mr. Ray R. East, lives in this city.

Former Siate Center Girl Passes Away in Las Vegas, N. M. Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Swift, of State Center, are in receipt of word from Las Vegas, N. M., announcing the death of their niece, Mrs. Charles Ross. Mrs. Ross was the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Goodrich, former well-known residents of State Center. The body will be buried in Minneapolis.

Son of Former Rhodes Couple Dies. Mr. and Mrs. James Daugherty, of Rhodes, are in receipt of news announcing the death of their grandson, Harry Daugherty, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Daugherty, formerly of Rhodes but now of Des Moines. Death came at the Methodist hospital, following a surgical operation. The lad was 15 years old, and was his parents' only child. The interment was at Blairsburg.

BOYS AND TEACHER IN SCHOOL SCRAP

Expulsion Threatens State Center High School Boys as Result of Infraction

BOARD STANDS BY PRINCIPAL

And Sentiment of the Town Appears to Be in Favor of Board Dealing Firmly With Recalcitrants—Special Meeting of Board Called for Friday Morning to Take Action.

Expulsion from high school, because of alleged daring infraction of the rules governing discipline, threatens pupils of the State Center high school at a special meeting of the school board, called for Friday morning.

The trouble has come about over the efforts of Principal Charles Nevelen to enforce discipline for truancy. It is alleged that Glen Whitson, one of the pupils, openly defied the principal in school, and the latter engaged in personal combat with the pupil. Others in the school room, who were also being disciplined for playing "hooky," attempted to interfere, and the board will now take a hand.

Trouble Began Last Friday. The trouble that has now resolved itself into a question of whether discipline in the State Center schools is to be maintained, began last Friday, when about twenty boys went out at recess time to practice foot ball, and did not return when the bell rang.

This fact was reported to the board, which held a meeting Monday morning. The board authorized Principal Ralph Buck to appear before the students, and Mr. Buck did so. He informed the recalcitrants that whatever action Principal Nevelen took the board would stand behind him. The principal thought two weeks without recesses would be a just punishment, and in this the board sustained him.

Open Ruction Comes. On Tuesday morning an open ruction came. The boys were kept in at recess, according to the principal's order. Glen Whitson asked permission to take a book over to the desk of a young lady, and the principal denied him the privilege, explaining that he did not consider the request necessary, and that Whitson was now being disciplined. It is then alleged that Whitson grew obstreperous, slammed the book down, and started to go over to the young lady's desk. Principal Nevelen, it is said, grabbed Whitson by the coat collar with his left hand, and placed his right hand over the boy's face. In the scuffle Whitson was thrown to the floor, with the principal on top of him. When Whitson arose his nose was bleeding.

Asks Help From Comrades. It is also claimed that while Whitson was down, he called upon his comrades to help him, admonishing them not to be cowards or quitters. At any rate, it is alleged that Lyle Engle, son of Dr. Theodore Engle, and Hans Groth, son of Rev. Mr. Groth, pastor of the Lutheran church, left their seats and came to the point where the principal and boy were struggling. Others left their seats and advanced, but it is not claimed that any but the two boys, Engle and Groth, made any attempt to actually interfere in the scuffle in progress between Nevelen and Whitson.

Laid Hands on Principal? It is claimed that Engle attempted to pull Nevelen off of Whitson, and that the boy kicked the principal. This, however, while affirmed by some, is denied by others. Nevelen says that someone was on his back, attempting to pull him off the boy beneath him, but he did not see who the person was, as his entire attention was demanded in holding Whitson.

Meeting of Board Called. As a member of the school board E. M. Wentworth has called for a special meeting, to be held Friday morning, when the cases of the boys will be considered. It is claimed that the board will stand behind Nevelen, and that public sentiment favors dealing with the boys with a firm hand.

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