

Local Weather Record. Sixty-one and 32 were the extremes of temperature Tuesday compared with 74 and 36, the extremes Monday, and 75 and 44, the maximum and minimum Tuesday. At 7 o'clock this morning the temperature was 36, the same as at the corresponding hour Tuesday. There was a heavy frost last night.

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ROAD PLACES LARGE EQUIPMENT ORDER

MINNEAPOLIS & ST. LOUIS BUYS 500 BOX CARS AND FIVE FREIGHT LOCOMOTIVES. FREIGHT CARS TO BE DELIVERED BY JAN. 1. Company Buys More of Mikado Type of Locomotives of Which It Purchased Fifteen Last Winter—Locomotives Are to Be Delivered Late in the Winter.

An order for the construction and early delivery of a large amount of equipment for the Minneapolis & St. Louis has been made public here by the general offices at Minneapolis. The company has ordered 500 box cars and five locomotives. Delivery of the cars is promised in about sixty days. The new motive power will be delivered later in the winter. The Bettendorf Company, at Bettendorf, a suburb of Davenport, got the contract for the box cars. The cars are to be forty feet long and will be of steel frames and wooden superstructure. The locomotives will be built by the American Locomotive Works, and this equipment will be of the same type as the fifteen locomotives built for the railroad last winter. These locomotives are intended especially for the freight service. They are what is designated as the Mikado type of locomotive and use steam that is superheated. The locomotives weigh 137,000 pounds on the eight drivers, and their total weight is 468,000 pounds.

HIGHWAY CAR RETURNING. Mr. and Mrs. Osterman and Secretary on Way Back Home. After having made the trip across the continent from New York to San Francisco for the purpose of taking moving pictures of towns along the Lincoln highway, H. C. Osterman, consul-at-large for the Lincoln Highway Association, reached the city Tuesday on the return trip, and will remain here several days. Mr. Osterman was here July 6 with his entire party, at which time several hundred feet of film were taken of Marshalltown and surrounding country. He is accompanied on his homeward trip by Mrs. Osterman and E. A. Holden, of Bristol, Pa., the latter Mr. Osterman's secretary. The party returned to San Francisco Aug. 25 with 23,000 feet of film which had been photographed scenes from all principal towns along the route. This was cut down to 16,000 feet and was still much too long, but the 16,000 feet was exhibited at the exposition, and turned out very successfully, according to Mr. Holden. The film is now in Detroit being prepared for its journey over the route on which are located the towns in the pictures. The film will be here some time in December.

Mr. and Mrs. Osterman and Mr. Holden left San Francisco on the return trip Oct. 9, and expect to reach Detroit about Nov. 10. They will remain here today and part of Thursday.

GYMNASIUM WORK GROWS. Large Increase in Enrollment This Season Over Last. An evidence of the usefulness of the new Y. M. C. A. building is shown in the remarkable increase in the physical work since the opening of the fall season over the same period last year in the old building. Physical Director C. E. Gilman had an enrollment from Oct. 10 to Nov. 1 of 319 men and boys in gymnasium classes. Last year the enrollment in the entire month of October was 161. The increase is 158 for this year, or nearly 100 per cent. The attendance at classes from Oct. 10 to Nov. 1 this year was 1,391, compared with 992 for the entire month of October last year. During the ten fewer days of October this year sixty-one class sessions have been held, compared with forty-eight for the month of October last year. Last year in October there were seventeen classes. This year there are twenty-one.

WED IN KANSAS CITY. George Parrett and Mrs. Cecil Brown Surprise Friends. Keeping their wedding a secret from their friends, George Parrett, manager of the Isis theater, and Mrs. Cecil Brown have announced that they were married in Kansas City on Oct. 25, and returned here on the 27th, since which time they have been waiting to see how long it would take people to "find it out." Charles H. Clark, a justice of the peace, performed the ceremony.

MARRIED. Seffings-Moore. Miss Alice Moore and A. John Seffings were married Tuesday evening at 5 o'clock at the Methodist church, Rev. R. Y. Harburt, pastor of the church, officiating. Miss Moore has been employed at the soldiers' home for over five years and for three years has been a nurse at the home. Mr. Seffings is a son of M. Seffings, who lives three and one-half miles south-east of the city, and is employed as a boiler-maker in the M. & S. L. shops. Mr. and Mrs. Seffings will make their home at 209 South First avenue.

Birthday Party For Mrs. Wilbur. The Glendale, Cal., Evening News of Oct. 28 contains an account of a birthday party given for Mrs. A. E. Wilbur, of San Gabriel, by her daughter, Mrs. George H. Marsh. The News says: "Mr. and Mrs. George H. Marsh, of 1105 San Rafael street, entertained with a beautifully appointed dinner party on Wednesday of this week, complimentary to Mrs. Marsh's moth-

er, Mrs. Andrew E. Wilbur, of Rancho La Solano, San Gabriel, who celebrated her birthday on that date. The affair was a complete surprise to the charming honoree, who was almost overwhelmed with the hearty congratulations extended her. Yellow chrysanthemums were used very effectively to decorate the various rooms of the attractive home, the same beautiful flowers being used on the tables, where covers were laid for thirty-six, and a full course dinner was served. During the afternoon five hundred was played, one delightful feature of the occasion being the presentation of a most beautiful bunch of pink and white chrysanthemums to the honored guest by Mrs. T. J. Fletcher, a former resident of Marshalltown, Iowa, who, with a few appropriate and well chosen words voiced the sentiment of all the guests regarding their love for the gracious friend, whom most of them had known for many years back in the old home in Iowa. Among those who enjoyed the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Munson, and Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Parker, of Glendale, the other guests being from Los Angeles and surrounding vicinity."

AMUSEMENTS. "S. R. C." Sign Out at Odeon For Burlesque Show. "The Charming Widows." By far the best burlesque show which has been here this season was "The Charming Widows," presented at the Odeon Tuesday night before a capacity house, with standing room at a premium. The best thing about the show was the snap and vigor with which the performance was carried thru, the handsome costumes, and the good looking chorus. Encouraged perhaps by the enthusiastic audience the comedians got to feeling somewhat shaky towards the close and loosened up, with the results that some of the jokes were suggestive and could have been eliminated to advantage. A runaway from the stage back to about the twelfth row on which the chorus girls capered and made eyes at the male portion of the audience sitting directly beneath them, made a tremendous hit, because it was something different, even though not new. Eddie Dale, as a German comedian, was clever, and did a greater part of his comedy well, though he got the audience started, and together with Sam Carlton and Jimmie Cooper comedy ran riot thru most of the show. Helen Stanley was the soubrette and sang several songs, of which "She Goes Out a Fighting" and "Sprinkle Me With Kisses" made the biggest hits. An Apache scene in the suburbs of Paris enacted in pantomime by Emil Agoust and Simone de Beryl, furnished a "serio-comic diversion" which was a bit too thrilling to be realistic. The songs as a whole were well sung, and the costumes of the chorus and scenery were both new and elaborate.

HAGGIN-THAYER WEDDING. Young Woman of This City Becomes Bride of Union Business Man. The wedding of Melvin Lee Haggin, of Union, and Mrs. Ruth Thayer was a quiet service of this morning, the ceremony taking place at 9 o'clock at the home of Rev. J. J. Fitzpatrick. The bride and groom were attended by Miss Katherine Thayer, sister of the bride, and James McManus. Miss Thayer has for several years been at the Marshall Oil Company. Mr. Haggin is a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Haggin, of Union, and has a general merchandise store at that place. Mr. and Mrs. Haggin left this morning for Des Moines, and after a short visit there will go to Union, where they will make their home.

MELLINGER TO SAVANNAH. Central Association "Iron Man" Goes to Club in South. Roy Mellinger, one of the best pitchers on the Cedar Rapids club in the Central association during the season just passed, has been drafted by the Savannah, Ga., club of the Southern league, according to word from Cedar Rapids. Mellinger has been in the C. A. for three years. He is named as the "Iron Man" when he pitched and won two games against Marshalltown last summer, holding them without a run until the last innings of the second game.

Ferguson News. Miss Ethel Woolston, of Marshalltown, spent a few days this week visiting friends here. Mrs. Egbert returned home Saturday evening after spending a few days in Marshalltown. John Carter has been quite sick but is some better now. Dr. Cowgill was in Marshalltown Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Suris, of Steamboat Rock, are visiting relatives here. Mr. Frank Ring was in Grinnell last week. George Egbert, of Marshalltown, spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Egbert. Mr. and Mrs. G. Packard, of Albion.

CROSS, FEVERISH CHILD IS BILIOUS OR CONSTIPATED. LOOK, MOTHER! SEE IF TONGUE IS COATED, BREATH HOT OR STOMACH SOUR. "CALIFORNIA SYRUP OF FIGS" CAN'T HARM TENDER STOMACH, LIVER, BOWELS. Every mother realizes, after giving her children "California Syrup of Figs," that this is their ideal laxative, because they love its pleasant taste and it thoroughly cleanses the tender little stomach, liver and bowels without griping. When cross, irritable, feverish or breath is bad, stomach sour, look at the tongue, mother! If coated, give a teaspoonful of this harmless "fruit laxative," and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. When its little system is full of cold, throat sore, has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, indigestion, colic—remember, a good "inside cleansing" should always be the first treatment given. Millions of mothers keep "California Syrup of Figs" handy; they know a teaspoonful today saves a sick child tomorrow. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs" which has directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups printed on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here, so don't be fooled. Get the genuine, made by the "California Fig Syrup Company."

spent Sunday with Dr. and Mrs. Cowgill. The G. N. C. Club gave a Halloween party Thursday evening at the hall. Mrs. Frank King entertained the members of the Kensington Club Wednesday afternoon. The hostess served a two-course lunch. The fathers and plumbers from Osceola arrived this week to work on the new consolidated school building. Last Saturday evening there was a masked Halloween party at the Sexton home, south of town. Ina Pavers was at Marshalltown Tuesday. Oliver Cunningham expects to move the old school house to the lots across the street from the bank and remodel it into a hotel.

CUMMINS SPEAKS AT CLUB. Senator Arrives in City Early This Afternoon—Lunches at Club. Senator A. B. Cummins, who speaks at the Searchlight Club meeting tonight, arrived in the city from Des Moines early this afternoon. He had been invited to come there for luncheon with friends here and accepted by telegraph late Tuesday night. He also accepted an invitation to talk for a short time at the luncheon at about 1:30, at which the directors of the club and some other members of the club were invited. Senator Cummins spent the afternoon visiting friends.

CHRISTMAS GREETINGS. Now is the Time to Order if They Are Engraved. It has become a custom among many people to remember their friends at Christmas time with a nicely engraved card. It takes time to do this work. The Marshall Printing Company, with an idea to service, has a fine line of samples for you to select from at prices that you can afford to pay. Next time you are down town drop in and see the samples. Marshall Printing Company.

Card of Thanks. We wish to thank the many friends and neighbors for kindness and sympathy shown and flowers sent during the death of our son, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Preston and family. OLD-TIME COLD CURE-DRINK TEA. Got a small package of Hamburg Breathe Tea, or as the German folks call it, "Hamburger Brust Thee," at any pharmacy. Take a tablespoonful of the tea, put a cup of boiling water upon it, pour thru a sieve and drink a teacup full at any time. It is the most effective way to break a cold and cure grip, as it opens the pores, relieving congestion. Also loosens the bowels, thus breaking a cold at once. It is inexpensive and entirely vegetable, therefore harmless.

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