

Another Boost for City. Marshalltown is again placed before the eyes of many states in the last number of The American City, out Thursday. In an article in this magazine the series of business talks conducted by the Marshalltown Club this

winter is described, and the main idea and purpose of the series discussed. The next talk will be given by Ben R. Vardaman at the club on the evening of Wednesday, Feb. 23. His address will be summing up of his other two addresses.

AGREE ON PLAN FOR CONVENTION FUNDS

MARSHALLTOWN CLUB DIRECTORS AUTHORIZE "CEDAR RAPIDS PLAN" TO RAISE MONEY.

SIX CONVENTIONS WORTH \$60,000 TO THIS CITY

Estimated That 4,000 People Will Visit City For Six Meetings—Merchants to Be Solicited But Once For Entire Fund of \$3,000, Which Will Cover All Expense.

Conservative estimates, based on authoritative computations by experts, place the value to this city of the six conventions which Marshalltown will entertain this year at \$60,000. This was shown to the board of directors of the Marshalltown Club and the convention finance committee of the club at a joint meeting held at the club rooms. After hearing the statistics prepared by Secretary Johnson, the directors were satisfied that the city would gain greatly and authorized the putting into operation of the so called "Cedar Rapids plan" for raising a convention fund.

This fund, which has been set at \$3,000, will be raised by a canvass among merchants and manufacturers of the city, to be carried on by a soliciting committee on Tuesday, Feb. 22. Four Thousand People Coming. Estimates on the number of people to be brought here by the conventions place the amount at 4,000. The estimated amount of money which each delegate will spend a day, based on statistics given by authorities, is \$5. The average session of the six conventions is three days. Thus the aggregate attendance for one day would be 12,000 people, making the amount they would spend, or the value to the city, equal \$60,000. The average cost per delegate to the city will be but 25 cents. This is 20 cents more than is estimated in Cedar Rapids, but that city estimated it on a basis of twenty-one conventions.

A committee of responsible business men will be selected to take charge of the money, and expend it as it is needed. When the merchants have contributed they will be given a card, stating this fact, which will then free them from any further solicitation.

Two More Conventions Added. With the announcement that all the station agents of the Chicago Great Western railroad between Kansas City and Oelwein will meet here late in March, and the state League in May, the convention total has been raised to seven. Estimates as to cost to the city of each convention, except the Luther League, were presented to the club directors at the meeting Wednesday. These follow: G. A. R. encampment, \$1,400; manufacturers' convention, \$600; older boys of Y. M. C. A., \$500; State Federation of Labor, \$200; assistant postmasters, \$100; Chicago Great Western station agents, \$50; miscellaneous expense, \$150; total, \$3,000.

The committee of business men which will solicit for this fund of \$3,000 on Feb. 22, will be named within the next week.

SHOW HIGHWAY MOVIES.

Motion Pictures of Long Trip From Coast to Coast at Cedar Rapids. Moving pictures of the coast-to-coast trip of the Lincoln highway car last summer, including several local scenes, were exhibited to three good-sized audiences at the Odeon Thursday, afternoon and evening. Nine reels were shown out of sixteen which comprised the entire trip, and any who thought the exhibition as presented here tiresome should be consoled that the entire sixteen were not run.

A certain amount of sameness characterized the pictures, but considering that the photographing was done under difficult conditions, and in conditions the performance was as successful as could be expected. Local scenes evidently pleased the audience, judging by the applause, altho, for the investment Marshalltown did not receive as much publicity as some of the other towns. There were many scenes of road conditions in nearly every state or county on the journey, giving a good idea of the work being done in various parts of the country on the Lincoln highway. As the camera man went further west the scenery and incidents became more interesting because of variety. The pictures in the east included mostly shaking hands with mayors and crowds and crowds and automobiles. Many of the towns were elaborately decorated for the arrival of the Lincoln highway caravan. The films went from here to Tama this morning. The exhibition was put on here under the auspices of the Marshalltown Club.

OLDERS' BOYS' MEETING.

Sherman W. Finger, of Cornell, to Speak Here Sunday. Sherman W. Finger, director of athletics at Cornell College, Mt. Vernon, has been secured by Paul H. McKee, boys' secretary of the Y. M. C. A., to address the older boys of the Y. M. C. A., next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Mr. Finger will speak on "Athletics and Religion", and his address will be of special interest to all boys who believe in clean athletics. The speaker has had considerable experience himself, having been on some of Coach Stagg's teams at the University of Chicago.

Haverhill News. Zano Dalsing and Charles Kunkel, from Grant county, Wisconsin, are here visiting with relatives. Bernard Koppel, of Marshalltown, is spending a few days at Haverhill. Mr. and Mrs. August West, of Eagle Grove, were here to attend the public sale of Mrs. Joseph West. Mr. and Mrs. George Keller, of Jefferson, are here visiting with Mrs. Keller's uncle, Anthony P., and Martin Kunkel. The Kellers are on their wedding trip. They got here from Haverhill, Wis. Adam Hommerding and family and Mr. and Mrs. Leo West, of Kimball, Minn., are here for a week's visit with relatives and old acquaintances. Fred West and Miss Elizabeth Dele-

ware, of Rhodes, visited over Sunday at the Michael McGrath home. The sale of Mrs. Joseph West was well attended and the property brought good prices, especially milk cows, which sold as high as \$90 a head.

BANK BUYS BUILDING.

Farmers' State, of Gilman, Gets Property of Gilman Savings Bank. The building that was built and formerly occupied by the Gilman Savings Bank has been purchased by the Farmers' State Bank of Gilman from G. W. Green for \$5,000, according to a bill of sale filed in the office of the recorder, this forenoon. Green purchased the building, which stands on real estate owned by the M. & St. L., from the Citizens' Savings Bank, of Gilman. The Citizens' bank bought the building at the time when it bought the business of the Gilman Savings Bank, which was sold to Green. Green paid the Citizens' Savings \$4,250 for the building. It is understood that the Farmers' State Bank expects eventually to occupy the building, but that it is not the plan to move from its present location, which the bank owns, at the present time.

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ADDRESSES ROAD CONGRESS.

D. W. Norris One of Speakers at Meeting of Route Associations. D. W. Norris was in Des Moines today, where he was one of the speakers at the Iowa Road Congress which has been called by the Iowa Bankers' Association and all of the cross-state route associations for the purpose of perfecting a state-wide road association to promote the cause of better roads in Iowa. Hereafter all of the route associations will work together for legislation which will permit hard roads to be built without burdensome taxation. Hard road development has crossed the continent from the Atlantic coast to Illinois, and as that state is hard at it this year the problem has come squarely up to the Iowa state line.

AMUSEMENTS.

At the Lyric. Alice Brady appeared at the Lyric Thursday evening in "The Woman in 47", a thrilling story of Italy and New York. Miss Brady takes the part of Viola Donzetti, a beautiful Italian girl, who comes to New York expecting to marry her lover Tony, but is led to believe he is dead. She gets mixed up with a shady lawyer who commits suicide, and leads people to believe that Viola committed the crime. Later Tony returns, his love asserts itself, and Viola is freed from suspicion. Miss Brady does some good emotional work as the Italian girl, and her supporting cast is good.

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We would suggest your early inspection of the wool dress goods, silks and novelty wash goods. Headquarters for satisfaction. Benedict & Brintnall.

Marion Township Items.

Rev. F. M. Wheeler preached at the Brethren church at Fernold Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. J. Gettis, of Lake Mills, and D. Scanlon, of Forrest City, visited Sunday at the H. A. Tuttle and C. A. Hill homes.

Mrs. Daisy Wheeler and children visited in Tama county Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Hill and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Hill and daughter, visited Sunday at the home of Norman Turner in Vienna township.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Mackaman and family, of Marshalltown, visited Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Tuttle.

The Helping Hand aid will meet with Mrs. J. E. Lorenzen, Feb. 24. Neighbors and friends surprised Mr. and Mrs. A. H. and C. A. Hill at a farewell party Wednesday. Dinner was served at noon and the afternoon was spent socially.

Special Box Candy Sale.

Washington birthday chocolate covered cherries, milk chocolate creams, covered with fruit and nuts; the "nut family" candies, pecan, almond, hazel nuts, peanuts, and brazil covered with cream and chocolate, and the Quinzer chocolates. The above named candies are of the high grades made by the Chocolate Products Company, fresh and delicious, especially priced for Saturday, a full pound box 33 cents a box. Levin Dry Goods Company.

ELECTION IS FEB. 25

Special School Election Called in Timber Creek Township to Vote on Consolidation.

Within a little more than a week after the plan was launched for a consolidation of schools in Timber Creek township, a special election to vote on consolidation has been called. It is to be held at school No. 4, the Springs Valley school, Friday afternoon, Feb. 25. The polls will be open from 1 until 6 o'clock.

The territory it is proposed to consolidate includes sixteen and one-half sections, and takes in approximately the east half of Timber Creek township and a little more than the west one-quarter of LeGrand township. It is considered quite probable that the majority will vote to consolidate.

Rhodes News.

Mrs. Frank Fisher and Mrs. Alice Bechtelshimer, of Des Moines, spent Wednesday at the Daugherty home. M. K. Buck went to Omaha Sunday to buy cattle.

John Shearer returned home Sunday after a few weeks absence. Ollie Lutetkin was a Marshalltown business visitor Friday afternoon. Miss Zora Phillips who is working in Cedar Rapids returned Monday morning after an over-Sunday visit at home here.

Joe Ethington and David Buck went to Chicago with stock Sunday. It looks as if the Rhodes would soon have electric lights as the poles for the wire have arrived.

William Armstrong and family moved there household goods from Perry this week and are now settled in rooms over the restaurant.

Mrs. T. B. Malloy entertained a company of friends Friday afternoon at a shower complimentary to Miss Cecelia Bink. The afternoon was very pleasantly spent, and the guests presented the bride-to-be with an apron shower, each apron having a receipt or something in the pocket. A very nice lunch was served.

The Ionia Literary Society gave a very interesting program at the school house Friday evening. The attendance was good.

The third number of the lecture course given by the Panama Singers was well attended Thursday evening. Charles Nirk returned Monday morning from Des Moines.

Earl Waltermeyer spent Monday in Marshalltown. The many friends in this vicinity of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn McCord were greatly shocked last week at the news quickly spread that Mrs. McCord had

died at her home in Kinross. The body was brought to Collins Thursday evening and buried in the Collins cemetery Saturday, Feb. 12. Mr. and Mrs. McCord were residents of this place, owning and conducting the store and meat market, now owned by Verne Mallicoat. They made many friends during their residence here. C. A. Wallace was in attendance at the Des Moines auto show this week. Mr. and Mrs. John Goodman entertained the Jolly Fourteen and a few invited guests in honor of their son Alvin Monday evening. The decorations were in keeping with valentine time. Several contests were much enjoyed. A three-course luncheon was served.

Marion News. Mrs. Blanche Greenwood, of Marshalltown, visited her brother, Emmet Davis, and family, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Chris Wardman visited at the home of A. W. Richards at Albion Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Woodward visited with relatives here the first of the week before leaving for their home in Fairfield, Wash. Mr. and Mrs. George Ward, of Albion, visited their daughter, Mrs. E. W. Davis, Tuesday.

Mrs. L. T. Anson, visited in Marshalltown Wednesday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Harter. Mrs. W. H. Holroyd, of Albion, visited at the home of her son, Donald Holroyd, Sunday.

Miss Laura McGrew, of Gilman, returned home Thursday after a brief visit here. Her mother, Mrs. Thomas McGrew, remained for a visit with her sister, Mrs. W. T. Wilson.

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