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NOTICE OF INCORPORATION.

Notice is hereby given that the Marshalltown Club is a corporation, not for pecuniary profit, organized under Title 9, chapter two, of the laws of the state of Iowa. Notice is further given: First—The name of the corporation is "The Marshalltown Club" and its principal place of business is Marshalltown, Iowa.

Second—The general nature of the business to be transacted, and the general purpose and place of operation, shall be, for the general welfare of the city of Marshalltown, the mutual improvement, enjoyment and social culture of its citizens, and to establish and maintain club rooms for the use of its members.

Third—There is no capital stock.

Fourth—The corporation commenced Feb. 17, 1916, and shall terminate in fifty (50) years, unless sooner dissolved.

Fifth—The affairs of said corporation are to be conducted by a board of directors of nine (9) members, composed of five officers and three (3) members. The officers are, a president, three (3) vice presidents, and a secretary and a treasurer—all of whom are annually elected, by ballot of the members of the club—which ballot must be cast in person, and not by proxy.

Sixth—No debt beyond current expenses of the club may be incurred, without a two-thirds (2-3) vote of the club members.

Seventh—Private property of members is exempt from corporate debts. Notice is particularly given that the articles of this club are recorded in the records of the recorder of office of Marshall county, Iowa. See book 267, page 890, and book 300, page 210, to which record reference is here made.

This notice published by order of the board of directors.

F. M. WILBUR, President.
Attest: J. SIDNEY JOHNSON, Secretary.

Probate Notice.
Office of the clerk of the district court.

State of Iowa, Marshall county ss. District court March term, A. D. 1916. To Whom It May Concern:

You and each of you are hereby notified to appear at the court house in Marshalltown, Iowa, in said county, at 9 o'clock a. m. on the 12th day of April, 1916, to attend the proof of and probating an instrument in writing purporting to be the last will and testament of Jared Marshall, late of Marshall county, Iowa, deceased, at which time and place you will appear and show cause if any, why said will should not be admitted to probate.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of the office, this fifteenth day of March, A. D. 1916.

COSSON LEADS IN POLL OF EDITORS

IS CHOICE OF NEWSPAPER PUBLISHERS BY SUBSTANTIAL PLURALITY.

ALLEN LEADS HARDING BY CLOSE MARGIN

Interesting Showing Indicates Cosson Is by Far Strongest Candidate For Republican Nomination—Kuehnle Not Showing Much Strength—Meredith Most Popular Among Democrats.

Des Moines, March 24.—The Daily Capital has concluded a poll of the editors of the state on their preferences for governor, and outlines the result as follows:

"Attorney General George Cosson will win the republican nomination for governor of Iowa in the June primaries.

"He will lead the ticket in number of votes received in almost as many communities as Senator Joe Allen and Lieutenant Governor Harding combined.

"This is the declaration of the newspaper editors of Iowa in a state-wide poll conducted by the Capital in the last two weeks.

"The Capital sent letters to Iowa editors in the ninety-nine counties, asking them to name the candidate they believe to be the strongest in their respective communities.

"Two hundred and forty-six editors replied.

"Cosson was declared to be the strongest candidate in their respective communities by 109 of these editors.

"Allen was given first place by sixty-five editors.

"Harding was declared the strongest in eight communities.

"Kuehnle was voted the strongest candidate in eight communities.

"In other words, 44 per cent of the 246 editors declared that the present attorney general will receive the most votes in the communities in which they live. Twenty-six per cent of the editors said Allen will lead the ticket in their districts. Twenty-three per cent said Harding was due to receive the highest vote.

"Of the 246, there are editors from every county in the state. In a majority of instances there are two replies from each county.

Nature of the Poll.
The Capital conducted the poll in Australian ballot form. The editors were sent ballots carrying only the names of the candidates. They were asked to mark the names of the candidate they believe will run strongest in their respective communities.

"The poll was made impersonal because the Capital realized that many editors would decline to vote if they were to be put on record in such an interpretation of sentiment. The Capital also wanted the unbiased opinion of the editors which it could not have obtained, perhaps, had it required the editor's signature to his vote.

How Editors Voted.
"Here are some of the reasons: "Editor after editor declared he was voting in accordance with the sentiment of his community and not his personal convictions. He further said he is personally opposed to the men he named as the first choice of his community. This happened in a large number of instances.

Other editors specifically requested their names be not mentioned because they were naming one candidate as the strongest while they were supporting another. Rather odd, but true. The Capital took this poll among the editors because the editors are more closely in touch with community sentiment—the sentiment of the communities in which they live—than any other group of citizens in public life.

"They have their fingers on the pulse of a community, more especially in the smaller communities.

Second Choice Votes.
"Now that the poll is explained, let us proceed with its results.

"The Capital also asked the editors to name the candidate they believe will pool the second largest vote.

"Cosson was given second position in sixty communities.

"Allen was given second in forty-six communities.

"Kuehnle was second choice in eighteen communities.

"Thus Cosson was declared by editors to be second in strength in more communities than any other candidate.

"It is interesting to note that in forty-six communities where Cosson was declared the strongest candidate, Allen was listed as the next in strength.

"In thirty-six of the communities in which Allen was given first position, Cosson was named as second choice.

"Harding was given second place in twenty-seven communities where Cosson was selected as first in strength and place in eight communities where Allen was first.

"Cosson was second choice in nineteen instances when Harding was first.

"Allen not only was declared strongest in more communities, than Harding, but also is given the position of being second choice in more communities than the lieutenant governor.

"Kuehnle received eight firsts and Harding was second choice in five of these instances. Kuehnle received second place in eight districts in which Harding won first.

"This might tend to show that Kuehnle is getting strength from Harding's forces.

Meredith For Democrats.
"The democrats are not in the field actively as yet. But the Capital asked the editors to say who among the prospective candidates is the strongest.

"Meredith, Marsh and DeWolf were listed as prospective candidates.

"Meredith was given as first choice in sixty communities while Marsh was given that position in only twenty-six.

"Marsh was second choice in thirty-three instances where Meredith was first.

"DeWolf was given two votes.

"Clarkson was given two also."

FLETCHER FILES PAPERS.
Candidate For Attorney General First Aspirant For State Office to File.

Special to Times-Republican.
Des Moines, March 24.—John Fletcher, first assistant attorney general, yesterday filed his nomination papers with the secretary of state as candidate for attorney general. He was the first candidate for state office to file his papers. He had signed from practically every county in the state.

Mr. Fletcher has been in the attorney general's office seven and a half years, going in under Webb H. Byers. He has had charge of the criminal cases before the supreme court which have been appealed from all over the state. He was born in Scott county but lived most of his life in Pottawattamie county where he grew up. He began the practice of law at the town of Avoca. He was at one time mayor of Avoca.

Mr. Fletcher expects to get out over the state as much as possible to call on the voters before the June primary. He has a wide acquaintance among the lawyers of the state and among members of the general assembly. He expects to perfect a state organization of which Webb H. Byers will be chairman.

OBJECT TO HOSPITAL SITE.
Physicians Opposed to Building on Route Taken by Funeral Parties.

Davenport, March 24.—Sixty physicians of St. Luke's hospital here have objected to the proposed location of the new \$125,000 hospital building because it will be located on a route now traveled by a great many funerals. The funerals, according to the physicians, might have a depressing effect on patients.

The physicians have been overruled, however, as the site already has been purchased.

WILL ADDRESS HOME FOLKS.
Leslie M. Shaw to Speak at Denison Saturday Evening.

Special to Times-Republican.
Denison, March 24.—Hon. L. M. Shaw, whose home at this city for many years before being called to act as governor of the state and secretary of the treasury, will make one of his old time republican speeches at Denison Saturday evening, March 25. His friends are planning to give him an enthusiastic hearing.

There are approximately \$2,530 deaths annually in the United States due to accidents, and in connection with the carrying on of dangerous industries there are 25,000 deaths and 700,000 injuries, involving a disability of longer than four weeks.

OUT-OF-SCHOOL KIDS

STATE TO INVESTIGATE REASONS FOR CHILDREN LEAVING STUDIES.

MORE THAN 1,000 BOYS AND GIRLS HAVE PERMITS

Why These Children Quit Is Subject of Inquiry Inaugurated by State Labor Commissioner—Cause Sought in Order to Suggest a Cure—State House News.

Special to Times-Republican.
Des Moines, March 24.—An investigation into the causes for boys and girls between the ages of 14 and 16 years leaving school is to be made by Ellen M. Rourke of the state labor commissioner's office. There are now 1,100 boys and girls of that age who have work permits as required of young people between 14 and 16 years of age.

"I consider mere figures as to the number of young persons of high school age who are working of little value," said Commissioner A. L. Urick yesterday in outlining his plan of inquiry.

"I want to know why these people quit school, and we can find out why they stop we will have some information worth while," he said. "We must find out causes before we can recommend a cure."

"This investigation will extend into all parts of the state. It will not be a hard matter to work out as we have the names and addresses of these 1,100 who have taken out work permits."

Two years ago an investigation was conducted by the extension department of the State University of Iowa, covering similar lines. Boys who had quit school were interviewed in the cities of Des Moines and Sioux City. The very large per cent of them gave as their reason that they had to make money, many of them to help support the family. A few reported that they quit because they could not get along with their school, that the work was too hard for them and that they would rather take up some kind of employment.

Mr. Rourke last summer made an investigation among women workers as to their hours of labor, working conditions and other matters. She paid particular attention to conditions under which telephone girls worked and also to laundries. She found the telephone girls inclined to develop nervous troubles, due to the tension under which they worked. She found laundry workers had to spend much time on their feet handling over machines and working in conditions of extreme heat in the summer time.

However, legislation was enacted by the last legislature which prohibits a woman working eight hours a day at a laundry without being given some chance to sit down, and this has improved laundry conditions, the special investigators say.

Investigation Barrel Measures.
E. C. Lytton, chief of the weights and measures department, has begun to look after barreled goods to ascertain whether or not full measure is being given. Within the past few days inspectors have seized shipments of rock candy syrup in Des Moines, Ottumwa, Cedar Rapids and Burlington, some of which ran short as much as five gallons to the barrel. With the syrup selling around 60 cents per gallon wholesale, the shortage would amount to as much as \$3 per barrel, the department says.

A barrel of gasoline was taken over at New Providence, Ia., which fell short two and three-fourths gallons. With gasoline selling at 20 cents per gallon wholesale, this shortage soon counts up into money, the department declares.

At Marshalltown an inspector picked up four automatic weighing machines which the owners had neglected to pay their license.

State House Notes.
A new insurance organization was incorporated yesterday, known as the Iowa Citizens Fund Mutual Insurance Association. The headquarters are to be at Mason City. The officers are: President, J. E. Gildner; vice president, E. J. Newton.

Col. George H. Morgan, of St. Paul, who has been appointed inspector of cavalry of the Iowa National Guard, reached Des Moines yesterday to take up his work. He will be in Iowa City last night. He takes the place of Capt. Geo. J. Oden of the Fifth cavalry, who is with his company down on the Mexican border doing guard duty.

UNITE MUSICAL EVENTS.
Home Concert of College Glee Club in Connection With May Festival.

Special to Times-Republican.
Grinnell, March 24.—The annual home concert of the Grinnell College glee club has this year been bought out by the Grinnell Music Festival as a social affair with concerts by the New York Symphony Orchestra, will make up the program for the music festival, May 6, 7 and 8. The famous orchestra, headed by Walter Damrosch, will number its full strength of over seventy pieces in its two concerts here and will be the largest orchestra that has ever appeared locally.

Another number on the festival program will be the appearance of the college Oratorio Society in Haydn's "Creation," accompanied by the orchestra and assisted by the festival works.

Performance will be directed by Prof. G. L. Pierce, head of the Grinnell school of music.

TRAIN CREWS RUNS AFFECTED.
Less of Rock Island to M. & I. Interlocking of Steam Line.

Special to Times-Republican.
Montezuma, March 24.—The lease made by the Rock Island to the Muscatine and Iowa City Railroad Company transferring the Muscatine branch has an effect that works a hardship upon many families.

Eight train crews are involved. The passenger runs between Montezuma and Muscatine have been much sought after. Substantially 200 miles per day and home every night sounds good to railway employees. J. Bennett Harding has always had the desire to have the run leaving Muscatine every week day. For several years he had the opposite run. He finally was able to obtain the desired run only to have the

line leased within two other points upon the system so as to preserve seniority and pension rights. This means that in the neighborhood of thirty men will move to some other point and claim a position from some other employee who ranks below them. This means a still wider circle affected by the change.

Some of the station agents have been with the road since it was constructed. They are eligible to a pension but in order to retain their rights they will have to move. Station foremen will move too. As many of these people have their own homes it means much to them to have their work taken away from them. An occasional employee plans to remain with the new company. They have been given thirty days to announce their intentions. All the train men have been changed.

The new company took over the road on Sunday. At present the service west of Riverside is to be steam but connections are made at Riverside with the electric cars.

All the train men, are new to the line, there has not been time to work out a system satisfactorily. The result has been that all trains are running late. Empty water tanks, empty gasoline tanks on the new cars, engine troubles, long waits for connections have all aided in the unsatisfactory service. An accident to an engine that might have been temporarily repaired by an experienced engineer caused one train due here at 9:30 p. m. to arrive at 10 p. m. the next day. Seventeen passengers waited all night in a little Junction depot. The employees are not members of the trainmen's organization.

Williams News Notes.
Special to Times-Republican.

Williams, March 24.—Miss Gracia Erickson of Evanston, Ill. who is working in the Tenth congressional district for the Iowa Equal Suffrage Association, spent Saturday and Sunday in town in the interest of the association. A mass meeting which a large number of both town and country women attended was held at the city hall Saturday afternoon and after a splendid address by Miss Erickson, a township league was organized, with Mrs. Theodore Johnson, of Williams, secretary, Miss Ethel Johnson treasurer, Mrs. R. T. Johnson publicity manager, and Mrs. Bossenberger press reporter.

Mrs. Olive Thompson has purchased from Ralph Mallory, the lot on which the Fairmont cream station is located. Mrs. Lucy Fiddler is moving back from Chicago this week and will occupy the house once owned by her mother.

Raymond, the 10-year-old son of Ross Skilbred, is very ill with a fever.

News of Aplington.
Special to Times-Republican.

Aplington, March 24.—H. Arends and wife are parents of a baby girl, Marian Gertrude, born March 17.

Miss Jennie Dreyer, who has been visiting friends at Des Moines the past week, returned home Tuesday.

Miss Marguerite Austin is recovering from the measles.

The Presbyterian congregation will hold their regular services in the Church Sunday. During the past two weeks they have been having the floor painted and new carpets laid.

Mr. Fred Sherman, of Burlington, visited relatives here the past week.

Mr. John Dreyer is having a new porch put on the front of his residence.

To Dedicate Dubuque School.
Special to Times-Republican.

Dubuque, March 24.—The new \$100,000 school of Sacred Heart parish in Dubuque, will on Sunday be dedicated with impressive ceremonies. Archbishop J. J. Keane, of Dubuque, will deliver the principal address but there will be addresses by several other prominent personages, some of them from out of the city.

Chamberlain's Tablets Doing Good.
Mrs. F. F. Smith, Gloverville, N. Y., writes to the manufacturers of Chamberlain's Tablets as follows: "I feel it my duty to write to you and tell you the good your tablets are doing me and many others that I have told about them. For over three years I have been troubled with liver trouble. I have been under the doctor's care most of the time, but have not found anything that has helped me as much as Chamberlain's Tablets." Obtainable everywhere.—Advertisement.

Ferrets to Clean Trenches.
Ferrets are the latest to be enlisted on the side of the entente powers. The British government has just closed a contract for 800 ferrets to be sent to Flanders, to kill the enormous numbers of rats infesting the British trenches. "Rat squads" are being organized. The demand for ferrets is becoming so great that the price has risen from 25 cents to \$1.25.

WONDERFUL TALE OF AN ACTRESS

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Dayville, Killingly, Conn.—"I shall be glad to have every woman know what I know about using Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Although I am only 24 years old, I have suffered for the past eight years. I hated the doctors, for a doctor told me to give up the stage where I was playing with my husband.

I had bearing down pains, my health failed me, and I could not work on the stage, and wasn't able to keep my baby as I was getting around myself. I was always downhearted and discontented with the world, and only lived for the sake of my little girl. The doctor said to move to some quiet little town away from the noisy city, and I might be able to live and feel well, so I went to Dayville in November. At that time I was so sick I could not walk around, and my husband kept house and I stayed in bed. One day in January I read your advertisement in a newspaper, and I sent for Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and started taking it. Within two weeks time I was a different woman. I could get around, and felt so good that it was a pleasure to do my household work. I felt contented and happy, and now am the picture of health, and am wanted to return to the stage. We appreciate my health as the most precious thing on earth."—Mrs. H. L. KILMERY, Box 25, Killingly, Conn.

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Gas Range Catechism

How to Clean and Care for the Gas Range

The principal cause of destruction in the rusting out of the sheet metal parts used in the construction of the range. This is noticeable when lighting a burner, especially the oven burner. When the oven lining is cold, this moisture will condense, and gradually the sheet metal will assume a rusty color. Such rusting may be prevented by the following instructions.

First—The door of the oven should be left slightly open for a few minutes after the burners are lighted.

Second—Oven linings are best protected from rust by the application of oil, or grease free from salt. When the range is in constant use, the top burners and all the cast iron parts are best protected by wiping off with the dish cloth, after washing the dishes, in the same manner as one would wash the frying or broiling pan.

Stove blacking should not be used to "brighten up" the burners, as the small burner parts easily become clogged, and thus prevent good combustion. When the top burners do become obstructed from any reason, they are best cleaned by being boiled in strong soda water, carefully rinsed, wiped dry.

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