

GOOD WEEK IN FIELDS

TEMPERATURE ABOVE SEASON-ABLE AVERAGE DURING PAST SEVEN DAYS.

MUCH PROGRESS MADE IN SOWING CROPS

Seeding of Spring Wheat and Oats Well Advanced—Plowing For Corn in Progress—Fruit Buds Remain Almost Dormant—Time to Spray.

Special to Times-Republican. Des Moines, April 19.—The weekly weather and crop bulletin notes that the last week was exceptionally favorable for farm work.

The high temperatures and drying winds during the first part of the week put most of the ground in the northern part of the state in good working condition and much seeding of spring wheat and oats was done.

Fruit buds are still nearly dormant in the northern part of the state, but are in an advanced stage in the southern counties and a few days will bring them into bloom.

GRINNELL CO-EDS ELECT.

Miss Lois St. John, of Muscatine, President of Self-Government League.

Grinnell, April 19.—Miss Lois St. John, of Muscatine, is the new president of the women's self-government league at Grinnell.

With the new administration the board will continue its work along and other front promise a good crop of bloom.

Self-government by the women has been established at Grinnell for four years and the important feature of the system as it works here is its direct contact with all activities in which women participate.

Miss St. John, the new president of the league, is the most popular girl in the college.

BOUQUETS FOR THE MEN. Voters to Be Reminded of Suffrage Amendment Election, June 5.

Des Moines, April 19.—May Day is to be most fittingly celebrated by the Iowa suffragists.

There will be a scattering of the suffragists to the fields and meadows prior to May Day to gather the wee modest violet, and the spring daisies that they may be sent on their momentous journey to the homes of men.

Only a Matter of Time until the use of foods which lack certain nutritive elements supplied by the field grains, will result in decreased mental and physical activity—often ill health.

There is one food that supplies in splendid proportion these vital mineral elements—phosphate of potash, etc.—so necessary for keeping one physically and mentally vigorous.

That food is Grape-Nuts

Made of whole wheat and malted barley, it supplies all the nutriment of the grains, is long baked and rendered partially pre-digested—a wonderful energizer of body and brain.

"There's a Reason" for Grape-Nuts Sold by Grocers everywhere.

GETS FAVORED RATE

FORT DODGE CEMENT COMPANY BENEFITS BY RULING OF RAILROAD COMMISSION.

QUIHER DISSENTS FROM MAJORITY FINDINGS

Claims Rate is Discriminatory Against Other Companies in Same Line of Business—Consolidated Schools of State Recently Increased by Three—Manufacturers Slow to Report.

Special to Times-Republican. Des Moines, April 19.—By a 2 to 1 ruling the state railroad commission has approved the continuance of a special rate on crushed rock from Gilmore City to Des Moines as asked for by the Fort Dodge Portland Cement Company.

The Fort Dodge Portland Cement Company gets a rate of 55 cents per ton over the M. & St. L. road from Gilmore City to Des Moines, a distance of 101 miles, which is 20 1/2 cents lower than the regular rate.

Several democrats filed yesterday, however, as follows: For representative, John L. Brown, Rose Hill, Mahaska county; Otto Whitthauer, Exira, Audubon county; C. C. Cronbaugh, Marengo, Lowa county; For senator, A. L. Broxton, Maquoketa.

W. F. Kopp, of Mount Pleasant, filed nomination papers yesterday as candidate for the republican nomination for congressman from the First district.

N. W. Hubel, of Little Sioux, filed as a republican candidate for the nomination for railroad commissioner.

Republican candidates for nomination as representative who filed yesterday were as follows: George Wilton, Cherokee; Fred G. Turner, North English; Edward J. Moore, Eldon; Joseph H. Anderson, Thompson; James F. Page, Des Moines; Chris Erickson, Inwood.

Republican candidates for nomination as state senator who filed yesterday follow: Wilfred P. Dawson, Aurelia; Byron W. Newberry, Strawberry Point; Ben J. Thompson, The Three Spigot; of Marengo, filed for the nomination of district judge.

Special to Times-Republican. Chapin, April 19.—Easter will be observed by special services at both the Congregational and Methodist churches.

Mrs. William Donaldson planned and carried out a surprise party in honor of her husband's birthday anniversary. The men of the party presented Mr. Donaldson with a memento of the occasion, and a two-course luncheon was served.

J. M. Godfrey, the new druggist, has arrived with his car of drug supplies, and household goods.

Considerable interest and antagonism has been aroused among the land owners on the north and east side of town on account of the Amberg ditch that has been partially surveyed in West Fork township.

Jewell News Notes. Jewell, April 19.—Will Laking, of Elsworth, captured a den of seven baby grey wolves near Mud Lake.

Mrs. Christina Lee sold her house at auction for even \$1,200 to A. H. Danielson. Farmers have nearly all their oats seeded and are getting ready to plant corn.

When you take Chamberlain's Tablets. When you feel dull and stupid after eating. When constipated or bilious. When you have a sick headache. When you have a sour stomach. When you belch after eating. When you have indigestion. When nervous or despondent. When you have no relish for your meals. When your liver is torpid. Obtainable everywhere.—Advertisement.

Calling Uncle Down. "When I was a youngster," remarked Uncle Braggles, "I was about the best baseball player in this county."

Manufacturers Slow to Report. A. L. Urlick, state labor commissioner, has experienced considerable delay in getting in manufacturing statistics from over the state.

Huber Retires from Board. Newly Appointed Attorney of Hawaii Long Associated with State Schools.

Tama, April 19.—At the meeting of the Tama school board Monday evening, S. C. Huber resigned as member and president of the board because of his early removal to assume his duties as district attorney of Hawaii.

Superintendent H. C. Tindall was re-elected as head of the school at an advance of \$200 a year and all of the grade teachers who were re-elected were re-elected at increased salaries.

Heavy Fines for Bootleggers. Six Men at Perry Assessed Total of \$2,000 for Illegal Sales.

Perry, April 19.—A total of over \$2,000 in fines was assessed against three men and three women bootleggers in the district court at Adel by Judge J. H. Applegate.

William Haddon, Louise Haddon, John Thomas, Mrs. John Thomas, John Yurie and Mrs. John Yurie, all of the mining district in the east part of the county, were the people arraigned. All of them brought their children to court with them, and the appearance of the eleven little tots caused an unusual scene in the court room.

Northern Iowa Items

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FOUR DOCTORS DISAGREED

Pains Disappeared After Use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Wilmington, Del.—"I was suffering from a terrible backache and pain in my side, with a feeling of sinking down, and I was very nervous. I was always tired, and I never could get any sleep. I had four doctors who could not see the trouble, and I had tried all kinds of medicine, but nothing helped me. I got good results and I now feel better than I have felt for years and I am gaining in weight. I can gladly recommend it to all women who are suffering from backache and bearing down pains, and are in danger signals which every woman should heed. Remove the cause of backaches and pains by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, that good old root and herb medicine. Thousands of women have testified to its virtues. For forty years it has been making women strong, curing backache, nervousness, ulceration and inflammation, weakness, displacements, irregularities and periodic pain."

If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. Confidential, Lynn, Mass.

NOTICE OF INCORPORATION. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned have become incorporated under Chapter 1 of Title 4 of the Code of Iowa, and amendatory thereto, and has adopted Articles of Incorporation which provide as follows:

First. The name of the corporation is the Clemons Mutual Telephone Company and its principal place of business is at Clemons, Iowa.

Second. The general nature of the business to be conducted is to construct, purchase, sell, lease, own and operate, authorized telephone, erect lines, equipments and apparatus in connection therewith in the State of Iowa, to purchase, convey and encumber both real and personal property in connection with the corporate business; to buy, sell and deal in telephones, supplies, devices and accessories, to purchase, own and sell stock in other corporations or associations engaged in like business; and to transact such other business as is usual of such corporations of like character or which from time to time may be decided upon by the shareholders, the main business of the corporation, however, is to transmit telephone messages to, from and with its stockholders or with such other exchanges and connections as may be made.

Third. The object of the corporation and for which it is organized is for the purpose of taking over the property of the East Liberty Mutual Telephone Company, an unincorporated association engaged in the business of conducting and operating a mutual telephone exchange and transmitting telephone messages from, to and between the members of such association.

Fourth. The amount of capital stock authorized is \$8,000 divided into four hundred shares of \$20.00 each. No shareholder can own more than two shares of stock at any one time. No stock is to be issued until the corporation has received full payment therefor except in the manner provided by the laws of Iowa. It is understood that in taking over the property and business of the East Liberty Mutual Telephone Company, an unincorporated association, there shall be issued to each member of said association in good standing one share of stock in this corporation for each share held by such member of said association, which shall be considered and treated by this association as fully paid, subject, however, to the approval of the executive council of Iowa as provided by law.

Fifth. This corporation is to commence business upon the receipt of a certificate from the secretary of state authorizing it to do so and to continue for twenty years unless sooner dissolved.

Sixth. The affairs of this corporation are to be conducted by a board of directors consisting of a president, vice president, secretary and treasurer and four directors, and such other officers, including an executive committee, as they may see fit or as may be provided by the by-laws. The president, vice president, secretary and treasurer shall be elected annually and the directors shall hold office for one, two, three and four year terms in order of their original election and shall hold office until his successor is elected, and each director shall be elected and each successor of the director for a term of four years. The annual meeting to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in each year and every director or officer shall be a stockholder, until the named election is above provided the following shall be the officers and directors of the association: President, W. E. Ross; vice president, John Atkinson; secretary, L. H. Ambrecht; treasurer, R. R. Pollock; H. F. Smith, W. H. Bryant, S. K. Eley, E. Butts directors.

Seventh. The highest amount of indebtedness to which this corporation is to subject itself is not to exceed two-thirds of its paid up and outstanding capital stock.

Eighth. The private property of the stockholders is to be exempt from corporate liabilities except to the extent and the manner provided by laws of the State of Iowa and said provision cannot be amended.

Dated at Clemons, Iowa, this 18th day of April, 1916. CLEMONS MUTUAL TELEPHONE COMPANY. W. E. Ross, John Atkinson, L. H. Ambrecht, R. R. Pollock, S. K. Eley, H. F. Smith, W. A. Bryant, H. F. Butts.

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