

REVIEW WORK OF IOWA FEDERATION

CLUB WOMEN HAVE MOST SUCCESSFUL BIENNIAL PERIOD IN HISTORY OF STATE SOCIETY.

WOMEN CONTRIBUTE TO STATE'S ADVANCEMENT

Help in Betterment of Social, Educational and Political Conditions—War Brings New Opportunities and Responsibilities For Women—Iowa Leads Nation in Club Work.

Port Dodge, May 24—A review of the most successful two-year period in the history of the Iowa State Federation of Women's Clubs leading up to the present war and woman's relation to it, "which is inevitably to change all of life for many of us," was given by Mrs. Frances E. Whitley of Webster City, state president, in her report to the biennial convention here.

Services to Be Fixed. Intimating that the details of woman's war service remained to be worked out, Mrs. Whitley said: "We shall set ourselves to the practical and prosaic tasks of food production and conservation which we are told, will make woman's work in the home as valuable and patriotic as man's work on the battlefield. We shall fit ourselves to do every service for the building up of the industries, the manufacturing which are necessary to sustain our forces."

Suggests Divisions. Mrs. Whitley suggested a division of the legislative committee to provide a sub-committee to work solely for woman's suffrage in Iowa, said: "Here is a movement which this organization has endorsed in three successive biennials. "This question will never cease to come up during the legislative sessions until the ballot is given to women."

Saved Library Commission. The women were said to have saved from elimination the state library commission and the state reformatory and farm for women.

Churchmen Greet Harding. Audience Rises and Cheers When Governor Appears to Speak. Des Moines, May 24.—Governor W. L. Harding was given an ovation at the state convention of the Churches of Christ yesterday. The audience rose when he appeared on the platform, clapped and cheered and sang a verse of "America."

Bank Buys Home Bonds. Ames, May 24.—After ten days of spirited bidding the Ames National Bank purchased the \$75,000 bonds to be issued by Story county for the purpose of erecting a new county home. The bonds carry 4 1/2 per cent interest, payable semi-annually, and the bid of the Ames banking house saved the county about \$1,500.

Children Cry for Fletcher's

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GIVES FARM TO COLLEGE.

Friends School at Okaloosa Receives Gift of \$20,000.

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NEWS OF GREENE.

Special to Times-Republican. Greene, May 24.—Mrs. Mary Landes underwent an operation at the hospital at Rochester the first of the week. She has been in poor health for several months.

Mrs. Ed Lockwood went to Colfax Wednesday where she will receive treatment for rheumatism. She was accompanied by Mrs. Jordan, of Sheffield.

H. C. Teeple is enjoying a visit from his sister, Mrs. Johnson, of California.

Mrs. W. G. Moon has returned from Rochester, where she has been for some time with her son Will, who underwent an operation a few weeks ago, but who is now getting along nicely.

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LIQUOR SMUGGLERS FREED.

Dry's Lose First Test Case of "Bone Dry" Law at Davenport. Davenport, May 24.—Defeat was the portion of the opponents of booze in the first test of the bone dry law here when Justice Phil Daum held Mark Van Horn and Floyd Wilson not guilty of transporting liquor within the state or of failing to label the packages.

Van Horn and Wilson were arrested by Davenport police last Monday at the approach to the government bridge for violating the traffic rules prohibiting motor vehicles from passing one another while proceeding on the bridge.

When the police searched the auto they found a large quantity of whiskey and beer stored away in the rear seat. Informations were filed before Justice Daum charging the defendants with the commission of the two separate offenses—first, transportation of intoxicating liquor within the state to one not holding a permit and, second, for failure to mark or label the packages or vessels containing the intoxicating liquor correctly.

Van Horn pleaded not guilty and declared as their defense that they were transporting the liquor into the state from Rock Island for their own personal use.

The judge cited a supreme court ruling to the effect that the law applies only to railway or express companies, common carriers or other persons engaged in the carrying of business and not private individual acting without consideration and for the purpose of conferring a favor even though he is acting as the agent of the buyer of the goods. The same ruling was applied on the second charge, the interpretation of the law being that it applies only to carriers as cited.

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The loss cannot be estimated at the present time, but it is thought that it will reach at least \$10,000. The loss of the grain will be keenly felt, owing to the shortage of food that exists in the country at the present time. The origin of the fire is a mystery.

The Chicago Great Western night operator happened to look out of his window at midnight, towards the elevator, saw flames spreading from all parts of the building and gave the alarm. Handicapped by lack of fire fighting facilities, a bucket brigade was resorted to, without much impression upon the blaze. As a result the entire building was ruined and the scale house and office which stands near the elevator was also destroyed.

In the elevator were 800 bushels of corn, a number of bushels of oats. This is practically a total loss, as the only use to which the remaining grain can be put is as feed for hogs.

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SPARKS' BROTHER, J. J. SPARKS, IN NEW SHARON.

Bernard Kennedy went to Des Moines on Monday to attend the funeral of Peter Quinn, who was for many years a resident of Grinnell. For a number of years he was the faithful watchman at the Rock Island street crossing on Main.

El S. Morrison has taken a position with J. A. Stone & Co., that he may be with his wife as she slowly convalesces from her serious illness of the past few weeks. The prospects now are that she is on the recovery road.

Miss Mary Frieble has returned to the parental home of Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Frieble after finishing her year of teaching in Hiteam high school. Accompanying her was Miss Ethel Powers, also a Hiteam teacher, who spends a month of her vacation in this city. Both young women are graduates of Grinnell College, class of 1915.

So many baseball players have left the college here that the inter-class games have been discontinued for the rest of the year and the present prospect is that the game will be banished until world conditions are much more favorable towards college athletics.

Miss Edith Wentworth receives the honor scholarship awarded annually by the Ladies' Education Society for good scholarship and qualities of leadership. The scholarship is for 1917-18.

NEWS OF BELMONT.

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Belmont, May 24.—A meeting of the local branch of the Red Cross was held Tuesday at the public library, when some twelve or fifteen new members were taken in. The society now has a membership of seventy.

Clarence Townsend of Belmont, is at Fort Snelling in training at the officers reserve camp.

The Wright county township school picnics will be held during the next two weeks. Every effort has been made to make them the best ever held. A large tent 14x19 feet has been secured for the school exhibit, teachers have programs and school officials have arranged the details for various athletic events.

Mr. Torban, the county agent and County Superintendent Howell will arrange boys' and girls' clubs at each picnic.

The following young men from Belmont are now enlisted in the various branches of the army and navy, and represent Belmont's consignment of men up to this date: Groh, Kenefick, Morse, Wilcox, Burke, Pierce, Hardwick, Rierson, Pitman, Keller, Zook, Ambile, Townsend, Klemma, Dalrymple, Bullis, Snyder and Champlain.

Mrs. Margaret Songstad and Chris and Axel Enzer of Minot, N. D., are visiting with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Senert Enger.

W. J. Morse of Belmont has won his case against the county in the matter of an assessment against him for a drainage ditch. The ditch did not touch his land and would be of no benefit.

W. E. Werts is enjoying a visit from his sister, Mrs. Carrie Barnes, of Pittsburg, Kan. Mrs. Barnes is an old time resident of Belmont, having resided here thirty-two years ago.

NEWS OF ELIDORA.

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Elidora, May 24.—Miss Florence Hudson, aged 54 years, died Tuesday and the body arrived here this morning for burial. Funeral services are to be held in the Bethel church east of Elidora a few miles and burial will be in the Buckner cemetery.

The small acreage in this county of winter wheat is looking fine and the same is true of barley fields. However, in many instances the clover and timothy fields were almost entirely denuded, the ice and extreme cold having a depressing effect on these plants.

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