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COUNTY FAIRS BREAK RECORDS

ATTENDANCE AND RECEIPTS PAST SEASON LARGER THAN EVER BEFORE.

NINETY-THREE FAIRS SHOW LARGE NET PROFIT

Expenses Also Show Increase—Six Cities Hold Expositions Which Were Not Listed Last Year—Twelve Fairs Go Out of Business—Enlargement of Exhibits.

Special to Times-Republican. Des Moines, Dec. 10.—County fairs surpassed all records this past season in attendance and receipts.

The ninety-three county and district fairs held in Iowa this past fall had a total attendance of 1,345,000 people or an increase in total attendance of over 72,000, as compared to last year.

Show Large Net Profit. The ninety-three fairs also show a net profit of \$1,111,588, compared to \$78,474, from ninety-nine fairs in 1916.

The towns and cities which held fairs in 1916 but did not hold a fair this year were New Hampton, Nashua, Spencer, Charles City, Hampton, Victor, Anamosa, Morning Sun, Ottumwa, Sewell, and Clive.

There was an increase in the total number of exhibitors when all departments are considered. There was a reduction in the number of horses, cattle and swine exhibited but an increase in the number of sheep and poultry.

ELKS COMMITTEES NAMED

President Frailey Announces Appointments for Coming Year.

Dubuque, Dec. 10.—The following appointments on committees of Elks which were made by the newly elected president, Joseph E. Frailey, at a special meeting of the State Association of Elks Officers, were made public by State Secretary Bert Forgrave, upon his return to this city.

Committee on National Defense—J. Lindley Coon, Newton; Julius Pecht, Oelwein; E. Lorton, Keokuk; John T. Ford, Fort Dodge; A. J. Peeney, Iowa City.

Committee on Laws—Henry Thenen, Davenport; W. R. Hayes, Mason City; M. F. Healey, Fort Dodge; Richard Leggett, Fairfield; Oliver Longueville, Dubuque.

Advisory Committee—George W. Scott, Davenport; Maurice Connolly, Dubuque; George Reddick, Iowa City; Sherman T. M'Gara, Waterloo; Lloyd Maxwell, Marshalltown; John E. McDonnell, Des Moines; Charles T. Ligh, Davenport.

Auditing Committee—Walter McKee, Des Moines; Leon Morrison, Creston; Roy Wolfe, Keokuk; F. M. Jones, Estherville; D. Heaps, Boone.

Credentialed Committee—J. F. Cole, Oelwein; George Gardner, Perry; W. A. McKee, Atlantic; Paul Richard, Red Oak; J. Petry, Charles City.

Distribution Committee—John F. McDonnell, Des Moines; Charles L. Leigh, Davenport; H. B. Maynard, Waterloo; J. U. Samsis, LeMars; Earl Ferguson, Shenandoah.

Grand Lodge Committee—M. D. Cooney, Dubuque; Arthur L. Rule, Mason City; James Murtagh, Waterloo; C. C. Bradley, LeMars; E. C. Webster, Fort Madison; E. D. Brand, Grinnell; H. B. Maynard, Waterloo; Joseph Freilly, Fort Madison.

Committee on relations of other state associations—F. H. Carter, Ottumwa; George E. Hill, Burlington; L. B. Whitney, Decorah; H. B. McCoy, Oskaloosa; J. C. Huggins, Centerville.

Big Brother Committee—George Reddick, Iowa City; F. D. Letts, Davenport; Charles Woodmansee, Des Moines; James J. Doty, Shenandoah; C. L. Ingledue, Marshalltown.

COLLEGE CHURCH DEDICATED.

Special to Times-Republican. Ames, Dec. 10.—Iowa Presbyterians dedicated a handsome new church at the west gate entrance to Iowa State College which is to be devoted mainly to the service of the hundreds of Presbyterian students who are enrolled in the college.

The church trustees, who came from four teen different towns and cities of the church, followed a dedication service formal address Sunday by Rev. C. H. Purmort, of Des Moines, moderator of the Iowa synod, and Rev. A. B. Marshall, president of the Omaha Theological Seminary.

In the evening there were many post-dedication addresses by representatives of the Presbyterian work in various colleges and universities.

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work. Dr. Innes has given nearly all of his time for the past six years to the upbuilding of this interesting church and has visited hundreds of communities in the state to present its needs. The church is organized to recognize its obligations to the state as a whole because it is serving young people from all communities of the state.

STORY DISTRICT COURT OPENS

December Term Convened, With Judge Wright Presiding. Special to Times-Republican.

Nevada, Dec. 10.—District court opened here for the December term today with Judge R. M. Wright on the bench for a term of three weeks. The grand jury reported for organization this morning and the trial jurors this afternoon. The time will not be sufficient to clear up the work of the docket.

While district court has been in session in Story county almost continuously since the opening of the August term, there is now an enormous amount of work ahead and according to a statement of Judge McCall, Saturday morning, it would take practically twelve months of solid court to clear matters up in this county.

In Wright county and Webster county things are in about the same shape and the addition of another judge to the bench of the eleventh district a few months ago has not seemed to materially relieve the situation. Judge McCall just closed a five weeks' term in Wright county and before leaving ordered a special venire of jurors to be drawn for an extra term commencing Jan. 7, at which Judge Fry will preside.

The present term of court will last through the holiday week and the next term will open on Jan. 7, when Judge McCall will open a term of five weeks.

CITY EMPLOYEE ARRESTED.

Dubuque Boy Charged With Uttering Statements of Disloyal Nature. Special to Times-Republican.

Dubuque, Dec. 10.—Joseph Schlueter, of draft age, a clerk in the city engineer's office here, was arrested by United States Marshal Moore on a charge of uttering statements of a disloyal nature. He was indicted by the federal grand jury, which reported Friday, but the fact was not made known until yesterday. Bonds in the sum of \$2,500 were asked and furnished.

The marshal took Schlueter from his work at the city engineer's office late Saturday. According to the federal official he had summoned the young man to present himself at his office about two months ago where he was warned to discontinue his unpatriotic utterances. Apparently convinced by the marshal's warning, Schlueter left but recent reports indicate that he continued his remarks against the government.

At the time of the warning and at the present time, Schlueter denied the allegations, but the overwhelming evidence against him prompted the marshal to hold him. He is said to have declared that any arrests will be made in connection with regard to the conscription of young men for military service was foolish and lauded the achievements of the German military leaders.

PRO-GERMAN PUNISHED.

Man With Teutonic Name Whips Enemy Sympathizer.

Mechanicsville, Dec. 10.—Butcher Schenke took the law into his own hands Saturday and it is not at all likely that any arrests will be made. Proprietor Dolan of a poolroom here is said to have remarked several times that Germany is as good a place to live as the United States.

Dolan was also reported to have said that the Red Cross had a big graft connected with it and that much of its material does not reach its proper destination. Schenke went to Dolan's poolroom to argue him into a better state of mind and claim that Dolan said he "hoped the Kaiser would win the war." Then Schenke struck Dolan, knocking him to the floor senseless.

After some time Dolan came to and then Schenke carried him into the street, set him down and told him he had better get out of town immediately. Dolan is not of German descent, but is a German sympathizer. It is said, while Schenke who is of German parentage, is noted here for his loyal acts and statements.

HOSPITAL CORPS FORMED

Iowa City Gains New Military Unit and Loses Another. Special to Times-Republican.

Iowa City, Dec. 10.—Iowa City gained a military unit and lost one Saturday. The hospital corps—a field unit—was mustered in by Colonel Ragdale of the United States army, with Dr. Frank L. Love, of Iowa City, as major. The 100 candidates for admission were in excellent form physically, and thus the eighty enlisted men were easily secured, with a percentage of 95 per cent of applicants passing the medical examinations.

The lost unit is Company E. I. N. G. Colonel Ralph P. Howell received a communication from the war department to the effect that guardsmen in companies formed since Aug. 1, 1917, will not be taken into the federal service and that the percentage of 95 per cent of applicants passing the medical examinations, and joined to avoid the draft, the company will immediately disband.

Fire Loss at Humboldt.

Humboldt, Dec. 10.—Fire believed to have originated in a defective flue, destroyed the Rollins & Munson billiard parlor and the John Sampson hardware store here. Several hundred persons assisted in carrying some of the hardware stock out of the building before the flames reached it.

The ruined structure was a one-story frame building between stone buildings. It is planned to erect a modern business block on the site. The losses were Rollins & Munson billiard hall contents, \$2,000; Rollins building, \$1,500, and John Sampson hardware stock, \$2,500. All losses were covered by insurance except the billiard parlor.

TO HONOR ELLEN RICHARDS.

Birthday of Founder of Home Economics at Ames to Be Celebrated. Special to Times-Republican.

Ames, Dec. 10.—Five hundred home economics women of the Iowa State College will celebrate on Dec. 12 the birthday of Ellen H. Richards, founder of the home economics movement in American colleges, as their first annual home economics day. As a part of the day's program, Miss Leda Dickens of Ames will present to the home economics division on behalf of the class of 1917 a portrait of Mrs. Richards.

Fifteen former women will give a musical comedy entitled "Omet and Ometella," a parody on the play "Hamlet," in which the cast will assume the characters of various common household foods. After the play, Miss Catherine J. Mac Key will deliver an address on "Conservation."

HEATING PLANTS WILL BE TESTED

IOWA STATE COLLEGE TO CONDUCT FUEL CONSERVATION CAMPAIGN IN IOWA.

Probably Fifty of Larger Cities and Towns Will Be Visited—Factory, Municipal, Apartment House and Other Plants to Be Tested to Determine Whether Fuel is Being Wasted.

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Ames, Dec. 10.—At the request of Charles Webster, federal fuel administrator for Iowa, the engineering extension department of Iowa State College will inaugurate next week at Mason City and Algona, a fuel conservation campaign that may include as high as fifty of the leading cities and towns of the state.

Under the direction of R. N. Holbrook, of Cedar Rapids, state deputy of the National Association of Stationary Engineers, a force of six men, operating two job a town, will inspect the furnaces and heating plants of manufacturing concerns, municipal heating and lighting stations, apartment houses, factories and any other place where the service is desired. Each crew will carry a compact, portable testing apparatus.

These men, including some of the leading stationary engineers of Iowa, will investigate the heating plants to determine whether combustion and heating is being carried on in the best possible way. In places where it is not, instruction will be given as to just how it can be done in the way that will best conserve fuel. Large charts containing firing directions will be posted in the furnace rooms of concerns examined.

This service will be open to any town that is desirous of having the service. The work will begin at Algona and Mason City. The work of organization is being carried on by J. Will Parr, acting director of engineering extension, and D. C. Faber, in charge of the technical service bureau of Iowa State College.

GRINNELL BOYS IN FRANCE.

Fifteen Former Collegians Now Serving With Troops Abroad. Special to Times-Republican.

Grinnell, Dec. 10.—Fifteen Grinnell men are now with the troops in France, according to a revised copy of the college files. This represents a very incomplete list as undoubtedly there are many others who are either across the water or on the way of whom no news has been received due to the rigid censorship of all troop movements.

The first Grinnellians in Europe arrived during the early part of the summer and the others have been going as fast as they are released from training camps. Most of the fifteen are now fighting in the front line trenches while a few of their comrades are being coached at camps behind the lines.

Four are doing duty in the aviation corps, one of which is James Norman Hall, who is a member of the Lafayette Escadrille. Three are with the infantry troops of the American expeditionary forces and two are members of ambulance corps.

Following is a partial list of names: Ives Calhoun, Ottumwa, aviation corps; A. E. F. John Smith, ambulance corps; Norman Hall, Colfax, Lafayette escadrille; Frank Fiedler, Ottumwa, with Dartmouth corps; Herbert Tuttle, Grinnell, Marine corps; Ralph Tyler Brooklyn, cavalry; A. E. F. George Oakes, Columbus Junction; Lloyd Gettys, Stuart, Benzel Wagner, Alden, all of the 168th infantry; A. E. F. Dudley Willard, aviation; A. E. F. and Willard Robinson, Anamosa, aviation corps.

ALUMNI RECORD AND HISTORY.

Accurate Record of Iowa Wesleyan Graduates is Published. Special to Times-Republican.

Mount Pleasant, Dec. 10.—Commemorative of the diamond jubilee anniversary of the college, which occurs this year, the Alumni Association of Iowa Wesleyan has just issued today a new alumni record and history, a book containing 500 pages dealing with the personal and collegiate history of the institution. It has been declared by the publishers to be the most thorough, complete and accurate alumni record yet printed by an Iowa college.

Herbert N. Jeffrey, of the class of 1914, is the editor in chief. Ben Hur Wilson, '09, is associate editor and supervisor of the collection of data and printing, and W. H. Evans, '98, is business manager. The book has taken over two years of consistent work to finish. It contains individual data, personal history of minute detail concerning every one of the 1,347 graduates of the college. So painstaking has been the work of the editors during the past two years that there are less than one dozen graduates of the school who have not been finally located and their complete history secured.

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Mrs. W. H. Rodwell, accompanied home her daughter, Mrs. U. G. Whitney, of Des Moines where she will spend the winter.

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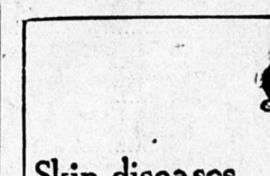
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