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FRIENDS PAY LAST RESPECTS

FUNERAL SERVICES OF CAPT. J. G. HUTCHISON WERE VERY IMPRESSIVE.

REMAINS LAID TO REST

T. D. Foster and Major A. H. Hamilton Eulogize Old Friend in Feeling Manner—Crowds at Church and Cemetery.

Numerous friends from every walk of life surrounded the interment of Capt. J. G. Hutchison yesterday afternoon. Both young and old, the quick and the halt, business associates and fellow workers, his former employes, his fellow members of the bar, and men of business, who with him, have worked for the welfare of the city, were present. Lastly, his cherished comrades following the same flag for which he, with them, fought in the nation's cause, all gathered in the First Presbyterian church to do honor to the one they esteem most. It would be hard to house a more representative concourse of Ottumwa people than was assembled to pay their last earthly token of respect to him who lived and worked among them for nearly half a century. Testimony of the worth of the man and of the esteem in which he was held by his fellows was both spoken and mute. Eulogy by two old friends sufficed to show that the race they esteem most is the race of the cause in which he fought, whether to win or lose, was well run and nobly fought.

Many at Church. The service was held in the First Presbyterian church, of which the decedent was a member, and was begun upon the arrival of the remains at 3 o'clock. In anticipation of the service, throngs of friends and admirers of the man whose day would soon be reaped by mother earth, filled the auditorium of the edifice and lent by their presence to the respect and high regard in which the deceased was held. The church was sombre in funeral decorations in which varied kinds of flowers, ferns, etc., were strewn and piled in great wealth, lending fragrance to the church and by their sweetness produced the feeling of calm and peace to settle on all present.

At the hour of 3 o'clock the funeral party arrived at the church, led by Reverend W. C. Hengen, rector of the Trinity Episcopal church, and Dr. R. Ames Montgomery, pastor of the First Presbyterian church. The honorary pall bearers, Major A. H. Hamilton, Samuel Mahon, T. William McNett and J. H. Harper, followed by Capt. J. G. Foster, followed the active pall bearers, J. C. Jordan, C. W. Comegys, Allen Johnston, W. C. Overman, Charles Bachman and C. E. Boude; following whom came the widow and relatives. A processional was played by Mrs. Margaret Stevens during the entrance. Rev. R. Ames Montgomery began the service with a short scripture reading, saying: "I am the resurrection and the life." Following the pastor, Rector W. C. Hengen offered prayer and a quartet composed of Mrs. John Hughes, Mrs. Ernest Daggett, Mrs. Margaret Stevens and Mrs. C. E. Peirce sang "Lead Kindly Light." A scriptural reading appropriate to the occasion was then read by Dr. Montgomery, at the close of which Mrs. C. E. Peirce sang "Face to Face."

Eulogizes Friend. Dr. Montgomery introduced T. D. Foster at the close of the hymn and began by the friend. He prefaced his remarks by quoting the Bible story of Peter, the fisherman, saying, "Let down thy net for a draft." The speaker then began away back in 1874, when on May 26 of that year he met the decedent for the first time. He told of the ship "Algeria" leaving Liverpool, England, on that date with a motley array of passengers much the same as is common crossing the sea. He related how it is often the case that people traveling aboard the same vessels never meet others or form friendships, and again how sometimes some do meet and form the strongest of friendly ties—the kind that last forever after. The latter was the friendship that sprang up between the speaker and Capt. Hutchison, and between the wives of each, who were with them on the same ship in a manner in which the friendship thus formed grew undiminished he told very feelingly, reviewing much that is now buried by years and events. He told of his coming to locate in this city, which was primarily through the loyalty of Capt. Hutchison to Ottumwa.

Was Hospitable. Visits were made by Mr. Foster to Ottumwa and the Hutchison home was the place of stopping while here. "He dropped all work and gave his whole time to my entertainment," said Mr. Foster, "and when my family first came to Ottumwa, it was at the Hutchison home that they were first made welcome, and the welcome ever accorded me by this friend was of the real and feeling kind. Sweet hours of intercourse in which we learned to know each other, were often held between us."

Then, too, as a business man, the character and the qualities of the decedent were pictured by Mr. Foster. Likewise his church relations and the Christian side of his character were painted in glowing colors by his friend, who attributed to the decedent the hand of friendship shown in enterprises in which both worked for the common good of all. It would be hard to picture a more feeling tribute of friend to friend than was paid in memory of Capt. Hutchison by T. D. Foster, who closed by saying it is not



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good bye, but good night, till we meet again.

Hamilton Gives Eulogy. Reviewing the long acquaintance of the two men who were comrades under the same flag, and who were both factors in the growth of Ottumwa from its village days to the present time, venerable Major A. H. Hamilton, himself 82 years of age and sturdy as an oak, arose and related much that the decedent had labored to accomplish. He reviewed many of the important events in the life of the decedent, his fight in the cause of temperance, his ability as a lawyer, his sterling qualities as a man and his bravery to fight in a cause he thought right, whether to win or lose. The career of Capt. Hutchison in the halls of the legislature, his work in purifying the voting system and his campaign for governor when prohibition was the platform and defeat met the candidate, all were gone into by the speaker. Becoming eloquent in his remarks, the venerable old soldier said: "This man's immortal soul is richer today for having fought and lost than to have refused to make the fight. He never surrendered in failure when fighting for what he conceived to be right. His conduct in life speaks loudest and truest of his real Christianity."

Addressing a few words of consolation to the widow, he said: "He is but gone on a short visit and will meet you in due time on the other side."

Soldiers at Grave. Dr. Montgomery then led in prayer and a hymn sung by the quartet concluded the service. At the close, the remains were viewed by the friends present as they marched out of the church. At the Ottumwa cemetery where the remains were interred, a short service was held in which Rector W. C. Hengen consigned the remains to mother earth to await the resurrection. The funeral party was met upon entering the cemetery by the members of the G. A. R., who, leaving in advance of the party, on street cars, fell in behind the relatives and later at the grave, with the employes of the J. G. Hutchison wholesale grocery, opened ranks and let the funeral party pass through to the grave.

Companions C. W. Fraker and B. C. Ward of the Iowa commandery of the Royal Legion, both of Des Moines, attended the funeral of Capt. J. G. Hutchison.

BARBER DISAPPEARS

F. L. Shaffer, Groom of a Few Weeks, Runs Away and Bride is Prostrated. Boone, April 13.—(Special).—F. L. Shaffer, who was married two weeks ago, has disappeared. He is a barber and Sunday morning went to his shop, swept out, shaved himself and has not been seen since. The wife is prostrated over her loss.

SEEK SUPPOSED SUICIDE

Des Moines Police Think Mrs. Bertha Watkins in Fit of Despondency Has Jumped Into River. Des Moines, April 13.—(Special).—Mrs. Bertha Watkins, daughter of Dr. J. W. Beck, for years corner of Polk county, disappeared yesterday and the police have been searching the river for her body. She had been despondent of late and relatives wear that she has committed suicide.

Name Sigourney Teachers.

Sigourney, April 13.—At the school board meeting held here all the present teachers were re-elected for the ensuing year. The following are the teachers elected: Cap E. Miller, superintendent; Mabel Paull, principal high school; May Keirns, Della Patton, Florence Freeman and Margaret McCulloch, assistants in the high school. Geneva Stuck, principal south ward, Florence Boegel, principal north ward, and Lide Stevens, Martha Haflner, Berie Isobaker, May B. Jackson, Susie Downing, Henriette Namur and Anna Gibbons, grade teachers. Mrs. Metta Minter, music teacher. The salaries

were fixed as follows: Cap E. Miller, superintendent, \$1,300 per year; principal high school, \$80 per month; four assistants in high school at \$70 per month each; principal south and north wards at \$50 per month each and music teacher \$40 per month.

SUPREME COURT IS BUSY

Many Decisions Handed Down by the High Tribunal in Session at Des Moines. Des Moines, April 13.—(Special).—Supreme court decisions Tuesday were as follows:

C. S. Blackett, appellant, vs. S. B. Zeigler, Fayette county, reversed. Botelbun Land & Loan Co., appellant, vs. Henry Hintze, Scott county, affirmed. Ed Fitzgerald vs. Peter Flanagan, appellant, Allamakee district, affirmed. Daniel Shea, appellant, vs. Catholic Society of Webster City, Hamilton district, affirmed. Charles P. Deutschmann, appellant, vs. Mrs. M. Kuntze, Mills county, affirmed. Grant Thornburg vs. C. D. Doolittle, appellant, Hamilton county, affirmed. City of Waterloo vs. Waterloo, Cedar Falls & Northern Railroad Co., appellant, Black Hawk county, affirmed. Brown & Bennett, appellants, vs. Judge Powers, certiorari from Carroll county, modified and affirmed. Jane Graham, appellant, vs. J. Z. McKinney, Polk county, reversed. E. V. Tuttle vs. Fred Buntin, appellant, Carroll county, affirmed. Henry Frey vs. J. T. Stangle, appellant, Carroll county, affirmed.

Keokuk County Spelling Contest.

Sigourney, April 13.—Every rural school in Keokuk county will be represented at a spelling contest to be held at the high school in Sigourney next Saturday. A list of 1,000 words will be used and has been prepared by Superintendent McVicker and already almost every school has named its representatives. The coming contest has aroused much rivalry among the rural schools.

Corydon Wants Waterworks.

Corydon, April 13.—The citizens of Corydon at a special election voted that bonds be issued to the amount of \$45,000 for the purpose of installing a water works and sewer system, by a vote of 644 to 84.

Gets Harvard Scholarships.

Iowa City, April 13.—Kenneth Colgrove of Cedar Falls, a post graduate student at the University of Iowa, has been awarded a Perkins graduate scholarship at Harvard University. He will enter the eastern institution next fall.

Grinnell Men's Meetings Successful.

Eddyville, April 13.—(Special).—The five young men from Grinnell college who have been holding meetings in the Congregational church the past week have returned to their duties at Grinnell. Much interest was created and the boys won many friends, who hope that they may return to Eddyville in the near future.

Injured by An Explosion.

Wilton, April 13.—Adam McCoy, residing six miles north of Wilton, was painfully injured while blasting stumps Saturday. He was using dynamite and had a dynamite cap in his pocket and also a bunch of keys. He picked up a log and evidently rested it against his pocket, and by the friction and pressure on the bunch of keys and the cap, caused an explosion which tore a large hole in his groin. Mr. McCoy will be laid up for at least a month.

Hollanders Erect a Church.

Eddyville, April 13.—(Special).—The Hollanders began excavating Monday for the new Dutch Reformed church which will be erected in the north part of town. They will erect a very neat

church, which will be a great improvement for Eddyville. The contract was given to contractors from Pella.

BLOOMFIELD.

Miss Ethel Kelso is taking a month's vacation. Chas. Edwards is taking her place at the National bank. Mr. Morgan of Hutchinson, Kans., returned home Monday from a short visit at the Steelton home. Mrs. Frank Traverser served luncheon to a few friends Sunday evening. Ed Ingersoll and family spent Monday at the Steelton home. Mrs. John Hull of Ottumwa. Mrs. Gordon Davis of Carbon spent Tuesday in this city. Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Davis were in West Grove Tuesday on business. Work will commence this week on the Golden Prosser home on the old Bunnell farm south of town. Mrs. Roy Swinney of Troy is very ill with pneumonia. She came here to visit her father, Mr. Shaw, who was ill and while here contracted pneumonia. Mrs. Julia Saunders has commenced work on her new home on the lot across from S. L. Berry's residence. Methodist choir practice will be held Saturday night at Ellsworth Rominger's. Mrs. Allen Stansberry of Gilman, Ia., is visiting her mother Mrs. Frank Geunsey who is ill. Mr. and Mrs. Ole Bandel of north of town left Tuesday for Ottumwa where she will visit this week with her mother, Mrs. M. Boles. Mr. Bandel returned Tuesday evening. Mrs. Mattie Mills who lives southwest ten miles in Ottumwa Tuesday. Jim Swift is visiting this week with his son W. E. Swift of Ottumwa. Miss Angie Ashworth who has been visiting the University of Iowa, after her brothers Jim and Lee returned to her home in Downing, Mo., Tuesday. Miss Fay Beauchamp returned to Iowa City Tuesday, where she is attending the University of Iowa, after spending a week's vacation in Chicago and with her parents in this city. Mrs. Alva Hunt of Pulaiki was in Bloomfield Tuesday on business. Miss Hazel McFarlane returned Tuesday from Hutchinson, Kans. where she was called on account of the sickness of her mother. Mrs. Fletch Stansberry and grand daughter Helen Cambro visited Tuesday with the latter's mother, Mr. Blanche Cambro. Frank Leon and wife visited Sunday in Ottumwa.

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BONAPARTE.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Schneider of Chicago spent Sunday here with Mrs. Schneider's parents Conrad Henkle and family. Mrs. Kate Bell of Keokuk spent Monday with her parents William Wilson and wife. Mrs. James Laten of Oskaloosa arrived Sunday to attend the funeral of her mother Mrs. Serilda Parish. Stanley Meek who is attending college at Iowa City spent Sunday with relatives here. Mrs. Ned Alderice and son arrived Monday for an extended visit with her mother Mrs. M. King north of town. Miss Hazel Middleton who has been visiting friends and relatives here returned to her home in Ottumwa on Monday. Mrs. Anna Meredith has been seriously ill at her home here with blood poison. R. E. Meek and wife of Keosauqua spent Sunday at the C. Henkle home. Mr. and Mrs. Aus Macklin left Tuesday for Pasadena, Calif., where their future home will be made. Mrs. Robert Boyce of Osborn, Kans., arrived Monday evening for a several weeks' visit at the Ed Voightlander home. Geo. Fahr of Oskaloosa spent Sunday with his family here. Miss Elsie Rekopch of Des Moines came Saturday, called here by the serious illness of her sister Mrs. Anna Meredith. Joe Buss of Keokuk attended to business matters here Monday. Charles Keasling, Sr., deputy county auditor has removed his family to Keosauqua.

CANTRIL.

Christina Peterson was born in Sweden February 27, 1845 and died in Lebanon April 5, 1910, aged 65 years, 1 month and 10 days. She was united in marriage to John Froid August 18, 1867. Her husband came to this country in 1870 and lived 5 years in Chicago then came near La Harpe, Ill., where they lived until about four weeks previous to her death, when they moved to Lebanon. The funeral services conducted by Rev. L. Lloyd Tennant were held in the M. E. church at Lebanon on Friday at 2 p. m. Henry Clark gave his lecture "Play Ball" at Cantril Monday evening. On account of the graduating exercises at the M. E. church Friday evening April 22nd, the district superintendent will not preach at the third quarterly meeting but will hold the conference and business session Saturday at 10 a. m. at the church. Miss Blanch Kelter is teaching a spring term of school near Stockport. Poke Huff of Stockport visited in Cantril over Sunday. John McBeth is seriously ill with throat trouble at the Palace Hotel. Will Harlidge visited his parents in Cantril over Sunday. The work on Jno. Cretcher's brick lock has begun and it will be occupied by the Moore hardware store when completed. The baccalaureate sermon will be preached by Rev. Tennant at the Christian church next Sunday evening. Mrs. Tennant has returned from Oskaloosa much improved in health. Dr. Jones returned Monday from Des Moines.

FARMINGTON.

Mrs. H. L. Morris and son Paul, of Hammond, Ind., who have been visiting relatives here for the past two weeks, returned home Friday. Miss Ellen Daly of Council Bluffs is the guest of Mrs. C. F. Doelling. Gilbert Armstrong of Allerton visited over Sunday at the home of his aunt, Mrs. Julia Cleave. Mrs. P. S. Miller and little daughter of Corydon are visiting Mrs. Miller's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Bryer. Supt. L. S. Owen and Misses Kate Mathews, Eddalee Morse and Louise Michael attended the Teachers' convention in Ottumwa last week. Mrs. S. D. Boler and daughters, Dollie and Bessie, of Burlington, are visiting Mrs. Boler's parents, Dr. and Mrs. G. R. Neff. Albert Willett died Friday morning of heart trouble at his home in East Farmington. The deceased was sixty-nine years of age and had been in poor health for several months. Mr. Willett was born in Indiana and came to Iowa with his parents when he was a child, locating on a farm near Mt. Sterling, near which place he has spent the greater part of his life. He is survived by his widow and three children. Funeral services were held Sunday at Story Chapel, with interment at Thompson cemetery. Mrs. Wm. Beard and daughter Ada of Versailles, Mo., are visiting Mrs. Beard's brother, John Lightfoot. Mrs. John Ware returned Thursday to her home near Big Mound. Her daughter, Mrs. Margaret McCord of Stockport, accompanied her.

FREDRIC.

A Union Sunday school was organized in Fredric last Sunday. Henry Wignall was elected superintendent. Thomas Gardner who is over eighty years old is seriously ill at his home. Miss Beulah Dunkin resumed her school work Monday after a week's illness. Miss Gertrude Brown of 315 Keota street, South Ottumwa spent Sunday with her mother Beulah Dunkin, returning to her home on No. 4 Sunday evening. David Duffy has recovered from his recent illness. Lew and Chris Akers with Frank John are shipping walnut timber to the Langton Gun Stock Co., of Des Moines. The many friends of Nancy Moss will be grieved to learn that she has been confined to her bed for several days on account of illness. Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Shields are the parents of a son born April 9. Miss Stella Akers spent a few days with her mother last week resting from her duties as professional nurse. Dr. Robert Griffin and wife of Ellis, Kans., visited with relatives in this community a few days recently. Thomas Bridges of Farmington, Ill., spent several days with his sister Mae and her husband Morrison Griffin recently. Robert Bridges of Green Ridge started last Wednesday for Comstock, Cotland where he will spend the summer. The marriage of William Synhorst who recently bought the S. F. Hinstra farm and Miss Jennie Veestra of Leighton will take place at the home of the bride's parents in Leighton on Thursday April 14. They will con-

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mence housekeeping immediately after the wedding. The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lew McCoy was buried in the Shaner cemetery last Sunday afternoon. Helen Akers spent Friday night and Saturday in Ottumwa. John Vanverburk of Pella will work for William Synhorst this summer. Thomas Bridges with his two sons Roy and Edwin of Green Ridge spent a week with relatives here, returning to their home last Saturday.

ALBIA.

Geo. Ammon has sold his residence on Third avenue east to Wm. Smith and will give possession this week. Mr. Ammon will leave in a short time for Colorado to reside with his children. Rev. H. G. Rice of the First Presbyterian church of Albia will moderate the coming session of the Des Moines Presbytery which meets at Chariton April 12th and 13th. By a special invitation the mixed quartet of the Presbyterian church choir, consisting of Mr. and Mrs. Castner, Miss Henrietta G. Young and O. C. Dallin with Miss Lucile Teplee as pianist will furnish a part of the music for the meetings. Mrs. Emma Allen is erecting a modern cottage on her lot on Second avenue east. The foundation is already done and the frame work will be pushed rapidly. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Fitzgerald of Oskaloosa were over Sunday visitors at the parental H. B. Moore home at Albia. Their daughter Geraldine, while visiting her grandparents the past week contracted the measles and was unable to accompany her parents home. Mrs. Wm. Flockhart and daughter are guests of Oskaloosa relatives during the absence of Mr. Flockhart. Mrs. J. H. Williams is seriously ill with her week.

Will Run Motor Car.

Muscatine, April 13.—(Special).—Following a conference with local business men, General Passenger Agent Leuhr of the Rock Island road has announced that a motor car would be instituted on the Muscatine & Western branch and would run daily from Thornburg to Muscatine and return.

Man Injured by Brick.

Waterloo, April 13.—(Special).—George Hynes, a workman on the Blackhawk bank building was struck on the head by a falling brick. He suffered a bad scalp wound and had concussion of the brain. He was taken to the hospital.

Delegates are Elected.

Waterloo, April 13.—(Special).—Rev. W. Z. Allen and Rev. Tonon of Clarion were today elected as ministerial delegates to the general assembly. Commercial Club Will Help. Oskaloosa, April 13.—(Special).—The Oskaloosa Commercial club at a special meeting appointed a committee of C. E. Sawyer, A. Rosenblatt and G. W. Shockey to have charge of a special census in Oskaloosa. A man will be stationed in every block as an aid to the United States census enumerator.