

ANNOUNCEMENT

I will be a candidate for the office of Clerk of the District Court on the Democratic primary ballot, June 7, 1910. Geo. Phillips.

ELDON

Chas. S. Bierce of Albia was in the city Monday and Tuesday this week. The residence of Harvey Sloan in East Eldon burned Saturday night, from a lamp explosion. The goods in the lower story were saved but everything in the upper story burned. Loss about \$1,000 covered by insurance.

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Mr. and Mrs. Abe Rainsberger of the west side visited with Mrs. Rainsberger's mother Mrs. L. Middleworth. Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Chord, who have been visiting their nephew, Geo. Chord and family returned to their home in Oskaloosa today.

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RUSSELL PUPILS GRADUATE FRIDAY

EXCELLENT PROGRAM WILL BE GIVEN IN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Russell, May 19.—(Special.)—The graduating exercises of the Russell high school are to be held in the Presbyterian church on Friday evening, May 20. The following program will be given: March, rendered by the composer, Mrs. C. Smith. Invocation—Rev. D. J. Shenton. Cornet solo—Lloyd H. Mikesell. Oration, "Man a Conqueror"—Arthur B. Murray. "Oration, "Character"—Estella R. Marshall. Music, piano duet—Harriet DeLano and Helen Verts. Oration, "Country Life in America"—Soddy J. Kinmouth. Oration, "The Preservation of our Forests"—Ethel R. LaFollette. Music, vocal solo—Hazel Werts. Oration, "Success"—Edith C. Boyd. Oration, "The Dread White Plague"—Eva F. Linebaugh. Music, violin solo—Mrs. Arthur Sangston. "Oration, "Child Labor"—Emma B. Plympton. "Grit"—Helen B. Whitsey. Presentation of diplomas.

\$500 AN ACRE FOR IOWA LAND.

Small Tract at Charles City Changes Hands at Record Price.

Charles City, May 19.—Two very important real estate deals took place here this week by which the Hart-Parr company came into possession of the R. M. Townsend farm of nine acres, paying slightly over \$500 per acre, or \$4,500. This did not include any improvements. Mr. Townsend retaining two and a half acres with his residence and other buildings. The Hart-Parr company also purchased nineteen acres from Charles Bowers, paying \$9,000 for the same.

Death of Iowa's Little Man.

Statford, May 19.—Peter Swedlund, who was called Iowa's small man, and one of the smallest men in the United States, passed away at this place at the home of his mother, Mrs. Emma the home of the age of 46 years, 4 months and 24 days. He had always enjoyed the best of health until the last few years, when he began to fall gradually and a temporary indisposition brought on heart trouble, which caused his death.

Deceased was born in Hardin township, Webster county, Iowa, December 17, 1863.

As he grew to manhood he failed to develop in size. At the age of 21 years he traveled for about a year with a circus. In the spring of 1896 he moved to Stratford with his mother and until the last few years frequently made visits to the various stores in Stratford. His exact height was about 38 inches and he weighed about fifty pounds.

Albia Has Junior Class Play.

Albia, May 19.—(Special.)—The class of 1911 will give the annual Junior play at Ring's theater, Friday evening, May 20. The play chosen this year is "Phoebe's Romance." The cast has been carefully chosen and the class feels that the play will reflect great honor on it.

Commander Julius A. Pratt Post No. 443.

Mr. Isaac Cook, Commander of above post, Kewanee, Ill., writes: "For a long time I was bothered with backache and pains across my kidneys. About two months ago I started taking Foley Kidney Pills and soon saw they were doing just as claimed. I kept on taking them and now I am free from backache, and the painful bladder misery is all gone. I like Foley Kidney Pills so well that I have told many of my friends and comrades about them and shall recommend them at every opportunity."—Clark's Drug Store.

Electrifiers for Earham.

Earham, May 19.—This town of 1,000 population has installed the electric lighting system for the business district, and it is believed to be the only town in the United States of the size to be illuminated in this way. Twenty electricians of three to five globes each have just been established on the main street, making it a flood of light.

Woman Shot By Her Son.

Cumberland, May 19.—Mrs. Joseph Engle, living two miles west of Cumberland, was accidentally shot by her son, Roy, while aiming at a target and pulled the trigger just as Mrs. Engle stepped around the corner of the house. The ball entered the left shoulder, glanced around the bone and came out backed of the arm.

Slashed With a Razor.

Wounded with a gun or pierced by a rusty nail; Bucklen's Arnica Salve heals the wound. Guaranteed 25c. F. B. Clark.

FLORIS.

Mr. Emil Jeanne was an Ottumwa caller Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Horan are the proud parents of a son, born recently. Roy Houk visited his cousins, Ray, Stewart, Ada, and Florence Wood Sunday.

Hobart Fitzgerald called on Ray Wood Sunday.

Edd Rhyne is making his future home at Wes Deennings.

Miss Myra and Georgia Tindell called on Mr. Ray Wood Friday.

Walter Wood is spending his vacation at the Skirvin home.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Jeanne one day last week.

Herman Wood called on Ray Fitzgerald Saturday.

John Dunning was an Ottumwa caller Thursday.

BIBLE STUDENTS AT MASON CITY

STATE ASSOCIATION WILL HOLD SPLENDID SESSION JUNE 21-24

Mason City, May 19.—The Iowa State Bible School association will hold the state convention, June 21 to 24, at Mason City, Iowa, (the Queen of the Midwest). Arrangements are being perfected to take care of all who attend. Every school in the state should send a delegate and all who can possibly do so ought to attend this convention of Bible school workers, not alone for the inspiration afforded, but a visit to this great, growing city will do you good. The convention will be held in the Congregational church. The following talent is assured: W. A. Brown, International Missionary Secretary, Chicago. Mr. Franklin McElfresh, International Teacher Training Secretary, Chicago. Mr. Herbert Moninger, Editor Standard Publications, Cincinnati, Ohio. Mr. J. H. Meredith, Music Publishers, New York City, to have charge of the music.

FAIRFIELD.

Trustees gymnasium on the Parsons campus, will be the scene of the graduation exercises of two educational institutions next month. The college seniors will receive their diplomas on the morning of June 9th, but the high school commencement will be held at the same place a week earlier. Several other exercises of Parsons commencement will also be held in the same building.

The sacraeure sermon to the high school seniors will be preached in the auditorium at Chautauqua Park on May 29 by Rev. G. W. Burch of the Christian church.

Julius R. Lippman has purchased the Lyric theater from the former owner E. U. Peasley and has already taken possession. He plans several additional shows that are now being presented.

All public school pupils will be given a chance to vote for a name for the new ward school building that is being erected. A list of names will be presented by the board and from this list the pupils will select the one for the building.

The High Cost of Living.

Increases the price of many necessities without improving the quality. Foley's Honey and Tar maintains its high standard of excellence and its great curative qualities without any increase in cost. It is the best remedy for coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough and all ailments of the throat, chest and lungs. The genuine is in a yellow package. Refuse substitutes.—Clark's Drug Store.

BONAPARTE.

Miss Bertha Perkins of this place and Orwin Brewster of Ft. Collins, Colorado, were married in Keosauqua Thursday, May 19th. Rev. Charles Perkins officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Brewster departed Friday for Ft. Collins, Colorado, where their future home will be made.

John Hooper, M. J. Smith, Lem Henry and A. W. Palmer spent Friday night in Keokuk.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Derr went to Eldon Friday for a visit with Mrs. Derr's parents, William Haywood and family.

Will Hill was called to Green City, Mo., Thursday by the serious illness of his mother.

Mesdames E. C. Smith and Phil Whitley returned Friday evening from Albia where they had been attending an E. O. convention.

Miss Maude Proper attended the graduating exercises in Farmington Friday evening.

L. W. Warner spent Sunday with his family here.

Frightened Into Fits by fear of appendicitis, take Dr. King's New Life Pills, and away goes bowel trouble. Guaranteed 25c. F. B. Clark.

AGENCY.

Miss Murry of Ottumwa visited friends in and near Agency this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Miller left Monday for North Henderson, Ill. for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bolander, Sr., are visiting friends in Illinois.

Aden McDowell has sold his residence to John Reno.

Mrs. Ed. Wise of Bloomfield visited here last week with her sister Mrs. O. C. Shadford.

S. J. Jones who has been sick for some time was taken to a hospital in Cedar Rapids where it is hoped he will greatly recover.

Mr. Truitt, Mr. Bickie and Dr. McEldary were in Des Moines last week. Farmers are about through planting corn but continued cold weather keeps it from coming up as it should.

Watson Enyart has sold his residence to John Giltner and will build a residence on Hazel street.

Mr. Humbert is ill.

What Everybody Wants. which is impossible unless the kidneys are sound and healthy. Foley's Kidney Remedy should be taken at the first indication of any irregularity, and a serious illness may be averted. Foley's Kidney Remedy will restore your kidneys and bladder to their normal state and activity.—Clark's Drug Store;

ALBIA.

W. K. Hardenbrook was at Des Moines the later part of last week and falling as he sprang from a buggy.

Rev. Wm. Porter returned from Indiana last night and will remain at home until after the Synodical meeting of the Association. Presbyterian church which will be held with the Spring Branch congregation the last week in May.

M. A. Baldwin of Milwaukee was transacting business at Albia on Monday.

A marriage license was granted to W. P. Tyrrell, 57, Albia and Mrs. Mary J. Broke, 49, Alunbridge, W. Va.

PYTHIANS CHANGE CONVENTION DATE

GRAND LODGE NOW PLANS TO HAVE CONVENTION OCT. 17-20

Des Moines, May 19.—In order to avoid a conflict with the dates of the military tournament to be held in Des Moines next fall, the committee on arrangements of the K. P. lodges of Iowa will probably change the date of the state convention to the week preceding the tournament. This action was forecasted at a meeting of the committee held last night in the K. P. hall at Eighth and Locust streets. Grand officers representing lodges throughout the state were present at the meeting. As formerly announced, the convention was to have been held from Sept. 26 to 29, inclusive. Later the date of the military tournament was set for the same week. Under these circumstances the committee would be unable to provide hotel accommodations for the 2,000 members of the lodge who will be in attendance. The date of the convention will probably be changed to Oct. 17 to 20, inclusive. Members of the arrangements committee are exerting every effort to make the convention the largest and most successful in the history of the Iowa lodges. A committee from the local K. P. lodges is working in cooperation with the state committee in completing arrangements for the entertainment of the delegates. The local Pythian lodges are Des Moines lodge, No. 68, Myrtle lodge, Park lodge and University lodge. Three local organizations of the Pythian Sisters will also take part in the entertainment of the visitors.

According to reports received at the meeting last evening, there will be 2,000 members of the lodge in attendance at the convention. There are 800 grand lodge delegates and 400 delegates from the Pythian Sisters. In addition there will be hundreds of other members from various sections of the state.

Among the grand officers in attendance at the meeting were the following: J. N. McCoy of Corydon, grand chancellor; Wm. Ferguson of Rolfe, past grand chancellor; James Hunter of Newton, past grand chancellor; John Merckens of Fairfield, grand keeper of records; J. B. Dinwiddle of Hamburg, chairman of the grand lodge arrangement committee, and John D. Stewart of Des Moines, grand trustee and chairman of the local convention committee.

Miss Lena McConnell is visiting at Wm. Elder's.

ROAD CASE IS IN COURT AGAIN

RANDOL-WINTER LITIGATION UP FOR ADJUSTMENT—BUSINESS IS LIGHT.

Little of note is being done in district court today on account of the proximity of the end of the term and the docket being practically cleared. The case of Randol et al against Nick Winter et al, was given further thrusting out by the respective counsel before Judge C. W. Vermillion this morning. The final action taken in the case today was the appointment of a commission to survey the road, and the court to run a line establishing the legal bonds of the road over which the legal bonds was brought. A supplemental decree will follow the report of the engineer. The road in question is what is known as the old Agency timber road which Winter fenced and thus caused the establishment of his right to do so to be settled by court. The hearing of motions of various kinds and the settlement of unfinished matters took up the time of the court.

RICHLAND.

Geo. Goodrich was a Fairfield visitor Wednesday.

Barclay Jones of Oakville visited relatives here Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. E. V. Mathews of Wayland was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Jones Monday.

Dr. Dodds went to Des Moines on Tuesday to attend the Medical association.

Miss Lottie Bally came up from Brighton to remain a few days with her parents.

Mrs. Grover and son Guy have returned from Pleasant where they visited Mrs. Grover's son who is in the hospital and report him improving.

Miss Edna McCarty of Ollie visited the first of the week with Miss Lottie Rupp.

Dr. Schnell of Mt. Pleasant will deliver the address to the graduating class.

America Rebekah Lodge No. 10 had history work Monday night and took in six new members.

H. J. Hoogenakker and wife went to Guthrie Center where they will take up their residence Tuesday. They shipped their household goods Wednesday.

Henry Bruns, E. E. Steele, N. W. Callister, Wm. Callister, Mr. Lovedy, J. W. Smith, Dr. Irwin, Dr. L. L. Foot, John Green and Frank Eck went to Fairfield Monday evening to attend a special meeting of the Masonic order.

Frank Bristow of Brighton visited here with his mother Wednesday and Thursday.

BLACK HAWK.

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of Sigourney. Recently Mr. Dickey sold it but before he could make the transfer it became necessary to perfect the title by a quieting title suit. The title to this land came through one James Sinclair, Sr., who at one time owned it. Mr. Sinclair was a bachelor and died seven or eight years ago. One of the defendants is James Sinclair, Jr., who appears to the action by his guardian and claims that he is the illegitimate son of James Sinclair deceased. Each side of the case is represented by four attorneys and very inch of the ground is being contested. Wade Kirkpatrick, C. L. Dean and J. B. Haben from Hedrick were interested spectators at the district court on Monday.

H. P. Newton from Keota was a Sigourney business caller on Monday.

Curtis Heningger of Martinsburg drove overland Sunday to visit with his brother Attorney C. C. Heninger in Sigourney.

Mrs. Eva Ogden of What Cheer arrived in Sigourney Monday for a visit to her sister, Mrs. Claude Legg.

George Zeigler of What Cheer was a Sigourney business caller on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lefe Bruller who spent the winter in Cashmere, Wash., and other points visiting relatives, came to Sigourney Saturday.

Mrs. Dagle returned from his visit in Wisconsin Saturday.

Mrs. C. W. Mills is here from Keota visiting a few days with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson of Keota visited in Ollie Thursday with their daughter, Mrs. Emaline Reynolds and family.

Jacob Tracy of Pleasant Plain and formerly of Sigourney visited some twenty years ago visited last week in this city with the Wm. Drummond family and others.

Miss Myrtle Farris has gone to Chicago to remain several months.

Mrs. Hamilton and daughter visited the latter part of last week in Bloomfield.

Farnco Bridger of Washington was a visitor at the parental A. F. Bridger home Sunday.

M. L. Snider returned last week from Athol, Kans.

Miss Jessie Wagner closed a successful term of school last Friday with an interesting program and picnic which was enjoyed by a large number of patrons in the township.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Van Waters, a daughter.

The Misses Beatie Jones and Blanch Meschem of Clay are delegates from the Clay Sunday school to the Sunday school convention in Washington this week.

Commencement exercises of the Richland high school will be held at the opera house Friday night May 20. The graduating class is the largest in many years.

Saturday evening May 21st David M. Edwards of Penn college