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**LOCAL NEWS ITEMS.**  
 Misses Bess and Laura Dorbyshire of Washington are visiting at the home of Miss Verna Stahl, 120 North Holt street.

Mrs. Y. T. Van Nieuwal of Pella has returned home after visiting with Mrs. W. A. Starkey 414 North Market street.

Rev. E. W. F. Holler, pastor of the Denton Street chapel has been elected one of the temporary clerks at the Iowa synod of the Presbyterian churches in Des Moines.

Mrs. Michael Riley and children, 519 East Fourth street, left yesterday for a visit with relatives in Knoxville.

W. J. Berry, justice of the peace, has gone to Sioux City where he will attend the grand lodge of the Odd Fellows. He will not return until Saturday. Seneca Cornell is also representing Ottumwa Odd Fellows at the grand lodge.

Revs. J. Walsh of Albia and Henry Hogan of Fairfield, are assisting at the mission at St. Patrick's church.

Miss Loula Johnson of Marshalltown arrived yesterday for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Clara Johnson, 919 East Second street, and to attend the Blix-Johnson wedding.

Mrs. James Smith, 404 Church street, is visiting friends in Avery for a few days.

Mrs. R. B. Baughman and son Richard, 718 North Wapello street left yesterday for Winnepig Canada via Des Moines, where they will visit relatives for a few days. They will make their future home in Winnepig.

Miss Gertrude Pohlson, 524 North Jefferson street is in Avery where she will visit relatives.

Miss Effie Peck, 714 South Elm street, left yesterday for Coalfield where she will make an extended visit.

Miss Bessie Hoffstutter of Eldon has returned home after visiting in Ottumwa for a short time.

Miss Clarissa Hahn, 617 East Fourth street, left for Burlington yesterday afternoon to visit with her sister Miss Minnie Hahn.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Vaughn of Selma were in the city today on their way home from a trip through the west. They visited their son Elmer in Billings, Montana, for a week.

Mrs. Earl McElroy of Eddyville returned home today after a short visit in Ottumwa.

Mrs. Clay Gudge, formerly of 916 West Main street, left this morning for Des Moines, where she intends to make her future home.

Miss Ruth Thayer of Marshalltown has returned after a short visit with her sister Katherine at St. Joseph's academy.

Mrs. Thomas Signal of Eddyville has returned home after visiting relatives in this city for a short time.

Mrs. H. A. Kinnaman of Keokuk is visiting at the home of H. P. Mudge north of the city.

Miss Esther Gillen of Lockridge has returned home after visiting Mrs. Otto Gillen, 331 McPherson avenue.

Better prepared than ever to take care of you in footwear. Dress shoes, work shoes, warm lined shoes, shoes for style, shoes for comfort—then the price is less. Church Shoe Co., South Side.

Miss Anna Jones, 409 West Woodland avenue, is visiting for the day in Bloomfield with friends.

Mrs. Martha Fraser of Monmouth, Ill., returned to her home yesterday, after visiting her sister, Mrs. T. J. Phillips, 126 West Fourth street. Mrs. Phillips, who has been ill for some time, is somewhat improved.

Mrs. Harry Burdock and two children of Albia visited in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Cheadle and

**GOV. HERBERT HADLEY OF MISSOURI WILL SPEAK IN OTTUMWA OCT 24.**

Governor Herbert Hadley of Missouri will speak in Ottumwa Thursday, October 24, in the city park. This information was received late this afternoon by County Chairman Adelbert Christy. Governor Hadley will arrive on Burlington No. 10 at 7:13 o'clock Thursday morning from Omaha, and will remain here until 3 o'clock in the afternoon, when he will leave for the south on the Wabash. Arrangements for the reception of the distinguished Taft campaigner will be completed this week.

The coming of Governor Hadley will be welcomed by the voters of this section of the state. The county chairman and his associates feel greatly pleased at their success in securing him. The chief executive of Missouri is an orator of unusual ability, and his speech here will be heard with the keenest interest by all.



The officers of the Wapello County Farmers' institute, and all committees appointed for the forthcoming meeting of the organization, are urgently requested to meet at the Commercial association rooms next Saturday, Oct. 19, at 1:30 o'clock. Important business is to come before the officers and committee members, and all are expected to attend.

daughter Miss Corinne, 203 North Wapello street, have returned home after a two weeks visit with their son and brother, Clarence Cheadle in Springfield, Ill.

**You're Coming Here to Buy Hats.** before long unless you have already done so. It's the logical thing for you to do considering the attractiveness of the service and the merits of the hats.

Our hats at \$2.98, \$3 and \$4 are the best expression we can find of hat service. Our best beaver shapes \$5. Don't pay \$6.50 to the north siders for this hat when it can be bought here for \$5. (You see, our expenses are about one-fourth what theirs are.)

We have other beautiful hats in the new shades, the best work of the American hat makers. The price is always lower than the lowest.

Mrs. James McDonald,  
 404 Church Street.

**THINK SERIOUSLY BEFORE YOU VOTE FOR A CHANGE.**

Labor and capital are employed, good wages prevail, people are getting ahead, they are buying and paying for their homes; there never was a time when so many people owned their own homes and there never was a time when it was so easy for them to get a home and pay for it. No man twelve years ago had any idea that at this time farm-lands and farm-products would be as high as they are now. Remember this: the election of either Wilson or Roosevelt will bring a change, and every thinking man knows that any change will be for the worse. What benefit can anyone expect to derive from a change?

There is one man who will benefit by a change. That is the man who has a mortgage on your home or your farm. If the tariff is lowered it will lower the price of farm products and lessen the amount of labor. Then when the interest can not be paid, the man who holds the mortgage will get the place at a great deal less than it is worth.

That is the record of panics, if you have ready money and are anxious to foreclose mortgages that you hold or expect to get, then you are in shape to enjoy a panic; if you owe money or have to work for a living, you can't afford to take any chances. Are you going to better your condition by a change?

**TAFTS ELECTORAL VOTE.**

Reports from all parts of the country show that President Taft is gaining ground. The claims of strength in Iowa by Wilson and Roosevelt men have been shown to be without foundation and Iowa is now credited safely in the Taft column. The action of Governor Deneen and Governor Hadley of Missouri of quitting Roosevelt and joining heartily in the Taft campaign, with the strength of their state organizations back of them, place Illinois and Missouri in the Taft column. Reports from other states show the same drift. How encouraging the outlook of republican success is at this time is shown by an official forecast issued by David W. Mulvane, western director of the republican national campaign, and Joseph B. Kealing, in charge of the organization work. In this forecast Taft is given a certain majority in the electoral college. The official claim of the Taft managers is as follows, not one state being conceded to Col. Roosevelt:

"At this time there are 119 electoral votes which justly may be classed as doubtful, and for these the friends of the president and Governor Wilson will contend energetically. For Mr. Taft

there are 280 electoral votes which are reasonably sure, and 132 which seem to be sure for Mr. Wilson. In the struggle for the doubtful vote, therefore, a big advantage is with the president, for Governor Wilson must not only have all the doubtful votes but fourteen of those credited to Taft.

"Careful investigation shows that the following states may be set down in the Taft column:

Connecticut	7	New York	45
Delaware	3	Ohio	24
Idaho	4	Oregon	5
Iowa	13	Pennsylvania	38
Illinois	28	Rhode Island	5
Maine	6	Utah	5
Massachusetts	18	Vermont	4
Maryland	8	Washington	7
Michigan	15	Wisconsin	13
Missouri	18	Wyoming	3
Montana	4		
New Hampshire	4	Total	280
New Mexico	3		

"There is no certainty at this time that Governor Wilson will carry any state in the north except California and South Dakota.

"The following are the states which Governor Wilson is likely to carry:

Alabama	12	North Carolina	12
Arkansas	9	South Carolina	9
California	13	South Dakota	5
Florida	6	Texas	20
Georgia	14	Virginia	12
Louisiana	10		
Mississippi	10	Total	132

**Several Doubtful States.**

"Several nominally republican states are doubtful because the third party may take enough votes from the republican ticket to leave the democrats with a plurality. Republicans, therefore, place these states in the doubtful column:

Arizona	3	New Jersey	14
Colorado	6	North Dakota	5
Kansas	10	Oklahoma	10
Kentucky	13	Tennessee	12
Indiana	15	West Virginia	8
Minnesota	12		
Nebraska	11	Total	119
Nevada	3		

This forecast is made at a time when the drift is distinctly toward President Taft. The Taft majority in the electoral college will grow as some of these doubtful states fall in line.

**PROGRESSIVE RALLY OCT. 22**

Dr. Charles Talmage of Boston, will sound the keynote speech of the progressive party campaign in Wapello county at the Garrick theater Tuesday evening, October 22, at 7:30 o'clock. A cordial invitation is extended to the public to be present and hear this platform speaker. Dr. Talmage is in great demand, and the committee feels fortunate in securing him for a speech. The Fifty-fourth regiment band will give the program.

The announcement cards of the meeting include the following invitation:

"Everybody without regard to past or present party affiliation is invited to attend this political meeting. If you are for Roosevelt and Johnson you should attend as there will be much instructive information given and you will profit by being present. If you are a republican and against Roosevelt then you should want to come and get your bearings for the campaign. If you are a Roosevelt democrat we can count on you. If you are a democrat opposed to Roosevelt come and get right on real live progressive issues. Whatever you are come and hear him. You will be welcomed and highly entertained by Dr. Talmage's wonderful political address. You do not pledge fealty to the progressive cause by coming. We want the most ardent administration admirers to be present, and the Wilson democrats will receive the glad hand."

**RECTOR CASADY TO GO TO PUEBLO**

Des Moines, Oct. 18.—Rev. Thos. Casady, rector of the St. Mark's Episcopal church has resigned to accept the rectorship of the church of the assumption at Pueblo.

**UNION MEN READY FOR FINISH FIGHT**

Des Moines, Oct. 18.—Union men of Des Moines gave notice last night that they were ready to begin a finish fight against the business men's league. To this end a meeting is called for tonight at which representatives of all the unions will be present. One of the first acts of the union was the open business sessions to all comers.

It is not the present plan of the leaders to initiate a strike of all trades, but to secure a fund to make the fight for the teamsters union, which at present is out on strike.

**CHAMP CLARK SPOKE TO CROWD**

**LARGE THROG GATHERED IN CITY PARK TO HEAR SPEAKER OF HOUSE IN ADDRESS.**

**DISCUSSED TARIFF**  
 Blankets and Typewriters With Sewing Machines Referred to in Address; Gratitude Inspired Iowa Visit.

The local democrats are happy over the successful rally held yesterday afternoon at which the principal of the house representatives, who in his preface to the address of more than an hour in the city park said that his coming to Iowa in this campaign was out of gratitude to Iowa for her support of him at Baltimore. Notwithstanding the disappointment of delay due to the change in the plans that scheduled the speaker for an earlier address here and a few hours longer stay in Ottumwa, the pleasure manifested in the many that filled the city park and stood on the steps and in the federal building, library and court-house led one to believe that the disappointment was forgotten after they saw the distinguished visitor and heard him talk. People of all political creeds, different colors and sexes were in the audience which was thoroughly orderly and pleasing to the speaker whose voice from continued and much speaking in the open was quite hoarse. This was not a hindrance, however, after he got well underway and his voice soon carried well over the crowds. A large and jubilant crowd were at the station and accompanied by State Chairman Reed, County Chairman Canny, Candidate Sant Kirkpatrick and several prominent local democrats, the speaker was led from the train by the reception committee to waiting autos where they boarded and led by the Fifty-fourth regiment band paraded east on Main to Green street, thence north to Second and west past the headquarters to Court street and the city park. J. Smith introduced the speaker and urged upon the crowd to keep good order on account of the hoarseness of the Mr. Clark in order that he be heard by all.

In the course of his remarks Speaker Clark urged his hearers to vote for Sant Kirkpatrick for congress because said he, "I want his support when they elect the next speaker." He also asked that the voters remember the candidates for legislature in order to secure a democratic senator from Iowa.

He related the story of the two Irish men one of whom had an eight day clock which would run eight days without winding and was asked by the other how long it would run if wound. This was used to illustrate what might have been had he received the nomination at Baltimore, for he stated that in the several states that he has visited on his campaign his receptions have been gratifying and he wondered how he would have run had he been the nominee. His speech was free from anything offensive to his political opponents and he referred to the campaign of 1884 between Cleveland and Blaine which he stated was the nastiest in the history of our elections. "This campaign is different," said he, "and I doubt if any scandal could be brought up with any of the candidates the chief figure in it." He spoke his regret at the shooting of Mr. Roosevelt and said that no one but a madman would do such an act, and expressed the hope that Mr. Roosevelt might soon recover.

**Was for Himself.**

"I need not tell you," Mr. Clark said, "that at Baltimore Woodrow Wilson was not my first choice for president, but since the people have signified their desire to have him, he now has my entire support. I am not going to take any part in the Taft-Roosevelt fuss. That is merely a family fracas. There are just five candidates for president that I know of, although there may be several minor ones of whom I have no knowledge. They are Wilson for the democrats, Taft for the republicans, Debs for the socialists, Chaffin for the prohibitionists and Roosevelt for himself. But all five are good men. There can be no personal scandal brought against any one of them. This campaign is to be fought on questions of public policy. I would persuade all people to be democrats, but I would not abuse the republicans. They abuse each other enough. A man that would abuse a republican ought to be arrested for cruelty to animals."

The platform speakers candidates stand upon are all too long: the democratic has twenty-three and the bull moose has twenty-four. They are all so long people won't read them, the average mind will only consider one or two great questions at a time. Taft and Wilson both agree on the question of the tariff being the great issue of the campaign. The conservation of natural resources appeals to voters in the west, but not to you men of Iowa; the tariff, however, is a live issue everywhere. The obstacle in the way of a settlement of this troublesome question has been the party names. If you could eliminate the words republican and democrat, everybody in the state of Iowa would vote with the democrats, except the postmasters.

**No Desire to Injure Business.**

"It is absurd to say the democrats want to injure business, this country is ours as much as it is the republicans, and we want to see it prosper. We want simply to cut out the abuses of the tariff. A high protective tariff fleeces the republican voter as well as the democrat."

**Cites Examples.**

The speaker then gave examples of the tariff on certain articles. He said: "On blankets nine feet long, worth not over 40 cents a pound, the tariff is 33 cents a pound specific plus 60 per

**PROF. A. W. STUART'S FUNERAL TODAY**

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thoughts and he completely wove his life into the very fiber and fabric of the educational ideals. His life and activity were sustained by his deep sense of the consequences of God. He was a true sense a religious man, David-like. He served his generation by the will of God and like the ancient Enoch he walked with God and he was not, for God took him."

cent ad valorem. Now you know just as much about it as you did when I began unless you are a school teacher. It means a tax of 18 1/2 per cent, or that on a blanket that has a price of \$2.82 1/2 and is worth only a dollar, you pay \$1.82 1/2 for the privilege of paying more. In 1907 there were imported into the United States just \$40.20 worth of blankets of this description, and the customs officials collected \$60.53. American products may be bought in Europe for a much lower price than is paid in this country. I am opposed to a tariff so high that the manufacturers sell stuff cheaper abroad than at home. Every merchant unconsciously collects this tariff. If he did not, but on the other hand charged a much lower price and then as you stepped out of the door a collector were to tap you on the shoulder and collect the tariff, you would not stand for it very long. The secret of it is you pay the tariff and don't know it."

Mr. Clark took a hard rap at the Payne-Aldrich tariff bill, likening it to the placard that was placed on the back of the horse thief suspect and a limb of a tree, to the effect that he was "very bad in some respects and a slight worse in others." Referring to infant industries, Mr. Clark said some of them were 124 years old, as big as the Kentucky giant, as strong as Sandow and as impudent as old Nick, and it was about time they were weaned. The tariff is so big and it ramifies in so many relations of life that it could be discussed for ten days and they revised it upwards. They got a beating in 1910 and they'll get a worse beating in 1912."

Mr. Clark then proceeded to cite what he termed some of the most flagrant examples of the tariff robbery. "A sewing machine manufactured in this country costing \$40 can be purchased in England for \$18," he said. "I think the wives are entitled to cheaper sewing machines."

"An American made typewriter, the standard price of which is \$100 in this country, can be bought in England for \$65." In concluding, he said:

"Vote the democratic ticket from top to bottom, from president to constable. It will do you good and put a new song in your mouth, for in serving yourselves, you are serving the best interests of the country."

**OBITUARY.**

Mrs. Christine Liebfarth, Christine Dutenhofer was born March 21, 1825, in Ober Ennsigen, Ober Amt Nertigen, kingdom of Wurtemberg, baptized in infancy and later confirmed in the Lutheran church. May 8, 1849, she was married to Franz Liebfarth of the same place and in October, 1849, the young married couple sailed for America, arriving at Lancaster, Pa., until the spring of 1855, when they moved to Iowa, near Ottumwa. Here in Ottumwa she lived the greater part of her life. Since the spring of 1907 she made her home with her daughter, Elizabeth, in Okaloosa, where she passed away October 1, 1912, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. She arrived at the age of 86 years, 6 months and 10 days.

Those preceding her in death were her husband, Franz Liebfarth, and her children, Julia, Amelia, and the twins, Pauline, Christine and Joseph. Jacob Louisa Herрман died April 1, 1911. Those left behind to mourn were Mrs. Maria Graner, Santa Cruz, Cal., G. A. Liebfarth, Chicago, Charles Liebfarth, Des Moines, Elizabeth Liebfarth, Okaloosa, and a brother, John G. Dutenhofer, Lancaster, Pa.

She was one of the organizers of the Ottumwa Lutheran church and was always a very active member in the Frauen Verein.

She was a faithful wife, a loving mother, a true friend, and above all, a firm believer in Jesus Christ.

The funeral services in the German and English languages were held at the German Lutheran church in Ottumwa on October 4, 1912, at 10 a. m., conducted by Rev. F. W. Landick of Hedrick, who was assisted by Rev. G. H. Hansler, pastor of a local church. Interment in the Ottumwa cemetery.—Contributed.

**KIRKVILLE.**

Ernest Shaw was a business caller in Ottumwa Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dawson Funk, Mr. and Mrs. George Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Whitney, Mr. and Mrs. John Parks, Mr. and Mrs. Emery Sanfill, Mrs. Susan Tiffany, Mrs. Wm. Fisher, Mrs. Jonathan Parks and daughter, Mrs. Chas. Sellars returned to Ottumwa Tuesday after a week's visit with relatives and friends here.

Mrs. Minnie McGoethlin of Marshalltown is visiting at the home of her mother Mrs. Pelham.

Miss Jennie Cook of Ottumwa is visiting with relatives and friends here.

Mrs. Wm. Fisher of Ottumwa, Mr. and Mrs. George Whitney of Ashland, Neb., returned Friday after a week's visit with relatives and friends here.

Chas. Stroud returned home Thursday from South Dakota where he has been for the past seven months.

Mrs. Iris and Mary Funk and Mar-

**MY POLICY**

**THIS IS NOT an "unloading" proposition.** Read this through and you will see why. My policy is not simply to sell. I am interested beyond the mere sale. My interests remain side by side with those of the purchaser.

I WANT contented settlers and satisfied buyers. I have a lot of them already, but I want a lot more. On my last excursion in September I had two full carloads of them.

**BEHIND THE SWIGART PLAN,** and associated with me in the work, I have a large, strong, hustling land organization working in unison with buyers and settlers in the development and up-building of this tract.

**THIS IS NOT a "clean-up" and then "get-away" land-selling scheme.** After I hand you your deed, our mutual interests will continue. We will work together. I remain to see the settlers through. I have been identified with this tract for nearly 17 years. What has been accomplished, the settlers there will tell you, and the evidence is there in plain view of all who will look. There has been no bubble boom about it.

**STEADY, SUBSTANTIAL progress** has brought about the present good deed of good farms, good homes, miles and miles of new roads, new fences, producing fields, many good schools, new towns, telephones, etc. It is a remarkable showing when you consider that 17 years ago the district was almost uninhabited, when I acquired the nucleus of the present Swigart Tract from lumberman who had not until then finished their cuts. I have since bought many large holdings and added them to the original tract, and am doing so at every good opportunity. In the past five years this tract has been developing and settling more rapidly than any other new land in Michigan.

**THIS IS NOT a remote, untried, district** where a man goes and has to learn the agricultural possibilities through his own experiences. You can now see what is being actually accomplished. The crops have been tried and proven. I keep agricultural experts on the lands at my Michigan headquarters whose advice is free to everyone and under whose direction my demonstration farm is operated for the instruction of all interested. My faith in the land is further demonstrated by the fact that I am developing in the center of the tract what will be one of the largest fruit orchards in the state of Michigan.

**IT IS GETTING LATE** in the year. Come now while you still can see the lands to good advantage. Come posied. Write today for full particulars. Address George W. Swigart, owner, 1247 First National Bank Building, Chicago, Ill., or his agent:

**I. N. Branscomb**  
 903 Hackberry St. Ottumwa, Iowa.

spending the past week at the parental home.

Mrs. Jim West who has been visiting relatives in Eddyville returned to her home at Henry, Neb., Wednesday.

The Missionary society of the M. E. church was entertained on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. S. Akers. The subject of the program was Tithing and the subject was treated in an interesting manner by those present. Ice cream and cake were served.

A. J. Chacey and Doyl Chacey of Leavenworth, Kans., arrived in Eddyville Wednesday for an extended visit at the home of the former's daughter Mrs. C. H. Stuber.

Mrs. Ed Shields spent Wednesday in Okaloosa visiting relatives.

The appearance of the Christian church has been greatly improved by a new coat of paint.

Mrs. S. C. Brown spent Wednesday in Ottumwa visiting her sister Mrs. D. C. Brockman.

Mrs. and Mrs. Ratio Davis of Fremont were calling on friends here Wednesday.

**PACKWOOD.**

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Johnson have moved here from Woolson.

Rev. Russell who was called to his home in Libertyville last week will return Tuesday and continue the meeting at the M. E. church which began three weeks ago.

The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist church will serve dinner and supper election day.

The first quarterly conference of the Packwood church was held on Monday and Tuesday, October 15 and 16. Shook addressed the people Sunday night.

Miss Waters, primary teacher, was ill Monday and Miss Grace Moorman filled her place.

Mrs. J. W. Fox returned Sunday from a two months' visit with relatives at Des Moines, Ia.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. F. Jones left Monday for their home at Eldorado after a pleasant visit with their cousins Dr. and Mrs. Chas. Moorman.

W. C. Estes went to Pella Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Litz of Birmingham, Okla., arrived Saturday for a visit with the latter's mother Mrs. Brewer.

Mrs. E. B. Brown came home on Monday from a visit at Woodfield with her daughter at Woodfield.

E. H. Woolums was thrown to the ground while walking near the horses while cutting fodder. One wheel passed over his legs just below the knee, cutting to the bone.

E. A. Miller was on over Sunday visitor at Burlington.

Miss Vivian Bidleman of Thonburg was the guest of friends here Sunday.

**WEST POINT.**

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Krenkenbaum and daughter Ruth have returned from a few days' visit in Burlington.

Miss Helen Wilson visited friends in Ft. Madison Thursday, returning home Friday.

Mrs. Jos. Reinstein and son Carl visited Thursday and Friday with relatives in Ft. Madison.

Mrs. Al Koett and baby of Ottumwa are visiting Mrs. Koett's mother Mrs. Catherine Lohman.

Mrs. J. C. Fliohrer was a visitor in Ft. Madison Friday and Saturday.

Walter Link who is attending school in Ft. Madison spent Saturday and Sunday at home.

Misses Marie McEvoy and Rose Dierker who are attending Ft. Madison high school were home over Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Lampe and Mrs. T. J. Lampe were visitors in Ft. Madison recently.

Mrs. Martha Williamson returned from a visit with her niece Mrs. Peter Kern at Ft. Madison.

Mrs. J. C. Ward of Fairfield was an over Sunday visitor at the Chris Ellenberger home.

**EDDYVILLE.**

Mr. and Mrs. L. Kussart left Wednesday morning for Omaha for a week's visit with Mrs. Kussart's mother. They will also visit relatives in Greeley, Colo. before returning to Los Angeles.

Rev. and Mrs. Whitlock of Kirkville were calling on friends in Eddyville on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ward and little son have returned to Van Wert after

**MAURINE NYE**  
 A PI BETA PHI

Ames, Oct. 17.—Miss Maurine Nye, a graduate of the 1912 class of the Ottumwa high school, was pledged a Pi Beta Phi. Miss Nye is taking a course in domestic science.