

Why She Should Vote

"Do you believe in women holding office?" "Sure I do. Some day I'm going to run my wife for congress on her knack of introducing bills into the house."

How about that spare room? You can rent it through The Courier classified columns - one-half cent per word each insertion; minimum rate, 15c.

In Memoriam

Mrs. W. A. C. Brown. On the evening of September 19 at the Michael Reese hospital in Chicago, occurred the death of Mrs. Minerva Brown, wife of W. A. C. Brown, who resides north of the city.

Minerva Whitcomb, the daughter of Farman and Nancy Fox Whitcomb, was born on their homestead in Center township, July 31, 1853.

She attended the Center school north of the city which at that time had no superior in country or town in southeastern Iowa. At her funeral were present five of her schoolmates.

She was married December 23, 1875, to W. A. C. Brown, who took his bride to his farm north of the city where they lived. To them were born two children, a daughter, Alice, and a son, Frank, who died in infancy.

Those of her family who survive her are her husband, her daughter, Mrs. Walker Proud, a granddaughter, Martha Louise Proud, and a sister, Mrs. Melissa Shepherd of Chicago. The little granddaughter was the joy of Mrs. Brown's heart.

As a girl her sunny disposition and charming manner made her a favorite at school and in the community. These characteristics combined with her Christian faith made her loved by all who knew her.

The passing of her noble life was as beautiful as her living one - quiet and peaceful. Her loss will be felt most keenly throughout the community.

ably known, are members of Grand Hope lodge No. 66, O. E. S., and are graduates from the Eldon high school and have lived here most of the time since. They expect to take a trip to northern Minnesota overland soon.

The members of the Methodist church held the annual supper at the Moose hall Wednesday evening, September 27, for members and their families. A bounteous feast was enjoyed and the evening's entertainment was good.

Rev. W. J. Trimble of the Free Methodist church left this morning for Morning Sun where he has accepted a call.

Mrs. Joe Schmitz, northeast of town, was hostess to the Just Us club Wednesday afternoon. The rooms were beautifully decorated in autumn leaves and flowers. The afternoon was spent socially, all members being present but one.

The members of the Just Us club entertained their husbands and children at a picnic last Sunday up the river near the Nupp home.

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IOWA ENGINEERS ARE LANDING JOBS

Iowa City, Sept. 30.—All Iowa university graduates in engineering are now supplied with good jobs and more jobs are going a-begging. This is the announcement of Dean W. G. Raymond.

Among those from whom reports of their whereabouts have been received recently are: Tom Riley of Iowa City, now in Cedar Rapids; Virgil Rowe of Sioux City, with C. N. Finley, civil and landscape engineer at Sioux City; Horace Matson of Wapello, with Minnesota Steel Company of Duluth; W. R. Workman, Iowa City, with Pittsburg-Des Moines Steel company at Pittsburg.

Two graduates are with the Lovell Construction company at Minneapolis. They are C. M. Greer of Clio and Clifford D. Franks of Cedar Rapids.

Fred G. Hall of Barnes City is with the Illinois Central at Wilson, Iowa. H. W. Hartman of Austin, Minn., is at Springfield with the Illinois state highway commission. George Bries of Marengo is acting county engineer of Iowa county. Robert E. Earl of Elgin is with the Turkey River Power company at Clermont, Harry J. Corcoran, with the United States engineer corps at Grand Rapids, Mich. Frank A. Wahlgren of Keokuk, with the Oklahoma Gas and Electric company of Oklahoma City. Albert W. Volkmer of Burlington is with the Davenport Light and Power company.

BRAVATIA ON TRIAL. Mason City, Sept. 30.—Salvatore Bravatia has been placed on trial in the district court here for the murder of Tony Manacolis in a bunk car here last June.

The state charges that robbery was the motive for the crime. The body was found on the floor of a bunk car.

CAN'T FIND DOCTOR. Sioux City, Sept. 30.—Dr. Leonard DeVore, wanted in connection with the death of Mrs. Katie Nichols, 80 years old, at Sioux City early this week, is still at large, despite efforts of authorities to apprehend him.

WEST POINT. Ben Brink is attending the state fair at Springfield, Ill. Henry Polimiller who is attending school at Burlington was an over Sunday visitor with her parents here. Miss Dot Gutekunst was also a visitor at the Kreikenbaum home.

Word has been received here of the serious illness of Mrs. N. K. Alderdice of Burlington. Her sister Miss Regina King and brothers Dan and John King are in the city.

Mrs. Mary Youngberg is making preparations for the erection of a new seven room house on her farm east of town.

A miscellaneous shower in the way of a surprise party given by the lady members of St. Mary's church choir to Miss Aelaide Strotleman at her home Monday evening. Miss Strotleman's marriage to Gerhard Snaadt will take place Wednesday Oct. 4.

Miss Millie Fogge has been visiting her sister Mrs. Leo Loving at Ft. Madison.

Miss Lily Miller and brother Harry have been visiting their aunt Mrs. King at Burlington.

Mrs. Joe Jansen has been visiting her daughters Mrs. Robert Martin and Mrs. Frank Buescher at Burlington.

Carpenters have begun work on the new home for Mrs. Minnie Boxx in the north end of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo Denning have returned from a visit with relatives at Neola and Red Oak, Iowa.

Mrs. John Prinyville of St. Louis is visiting her mother, Mrs. Lampe. Miss Kathryn Schierbrock has returned from a visit with her sister Mrs. George Schaffer at Burlington. Bernard Dierke and sister Miss Rose have been visiting with relatives at Quincy, Ill.

Miss Blanche Burns who is attending school at Keokuk is spending the week with her father here.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Avis and children are enjoying a family reunion at the Avis home this week. All the children are present and include Mrs. John Whitlock and Mrs. John Jordan of Oklahoma City, Okla., Mrs. Henry Whitney of Des Moines; Mrs. E. D. Elliott of Fort Madison; and Mrs. Henry Krimper of West Point.

Mrs. Craig Ellis will have a public sale and with her son Clarence will leave soon to join Mr. Ellis in Michigan where they will make their home. Miss Regina Leyva of Ft. Madison has been visiting relative here.

Professional Cards

DR. A. O. WILLIAMS. Surgeon, C. R. I. & P. Ry. Co.; C. B. & Q. Ry. Co.; O. R. E. & S. Co. Residence, 216 North Jefferson street. Office 120 Court street. Residence telephone 110; office telephone 90. Ottumwa Iowa.

ATTORNEY'S AT LAW. W. H. C. Jaques, Jo R. Jaques, JAGUES & JAGUES, Attorneys at Law, 107 North Court St. Both phones No. 55.

W. D. Tisdale, Geo. F. Heindel, TISDALE & HEINDEL, Attorneys at Law, Phoenix Trust Bldg., South Market St. Ottumwa, Iowa.

C. M. & St. P. TRAINS. No. Going Southwest Depart 25A—Southwest Limited... 1:45 a. m. 31R—Ottumwa to Seymour... 4:45 p. m.

BURLINGTON ROUTE C. B. & Q. No. Going East Depart 12A—Chic. Dubu. Quincy... 1:00 a. m. 32A—Ar. from Des Moines... 10:05 p. m.

KEOKUK & DES MOINES RAILWAY. No. Going North Depart 471B—Des Moines, Omaha... 6:15 p. m. 473B—Des Moines, east and north... 8:00 a. m.

WABASH RAILWAY. No. Going South Depart 2A—Moberly, St. L., K. C... 7:50 a. m. 10B—Moberly and east... 2:40 p. m.

Original Notice. Dated this 9th day of September 1916. In the district court of Wapello county, Iowa, October term, 1916.

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PUBLIC SALE!

Having sold my farm I will sell at PUBLIC AUCTION, nine miles southwest of Ottumwa, and about one mile east of Ormanville, on Monday, October 9 at 10 o'clock a. m.

FOUR HEAD OF HORSES — One gray mare seven years old, weighs about 1900; one bay mare, smooth mouth; one two-year-old horse colt; one yearling mare colt; one mule colt.

TWO MILCH COWS — Two bulls, three two-year-old steers; three two-year-old heifers; ten one-year-old steers; nine yearling heifers; two spring calves. Most of this cattle is extra fat. One brood sow; seven shoats.

Two farm wagons, one spring wagon, one six-foot Deering mower, one corn planter, one steering plow, one brake plow, one cultivator, one steel harrow, two sets work harness, platform scales draws six hundred, one corn sheller, one bob sled, one bull rake, ten tons hay, and many other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS — A credit of ten months will be given on all sums over \$10, purchaser giving a bankable note drawing 6 per cent interest from date. All sums under \$10, cash in hand. No property to be removed until settled for.

LUNCH ON GROUNDS. J. I. KLINGLER, J. H. MYERS, Props. Henry Curry, Auctioneer C. D. Evans, Clerk

Exchange City Property for Farm

I have three Ottumwa properties located within two blocks of downtown district to exchange for a good Iowa farm. These properties are in first class repair throughout. Located in the best part of the city. Always rented and bring in an annual income of \$3,000. This proposition will bear the closest investigation.

Look it over — see

Ralph T. McElroy

Above Cullen's Dry Goods Store, Main Street Phone 19

TO AID IN FIGHT AGAINST TYPHOID

Iowa City, Sept. 30.—Dr. Mark F. Boyd, epidemiologist at the University of Iowa bacteriological laboratories, is assisting the Iowa state board of health and municipal organizations to fight diseases in numerous Iowa towns.

He has devoted six weeks to the investigations of typhoid epidemics and other troubles. At Easterville diphtheria attacked certain homes and typhoid was found at Morris, Baxter and Newton. Dr. Boyd found causes and made recommendations for future prevention to the boards of health in the respective disease centers.

PATIENT CLIMBS DOWN WINDOW VINE

Iowa City, Sept. 30.—A patient at the University hospital, clad only in her night robe, escaped from a second story window, in her delirium, and started to clamber down the ivy vines clinging to the hospital walls.

Nurses, detecting her promptly, seized her, but could not draw her back, and a big crowd gathered below, attracted by her screams, came to the rescue of the hospital staff and captured the fugitive when she descended. She was not hurt, but her delicate ladder might easily have precipitated her 20 feet to the ground, had it failed to hold.

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Found

PICKED UP—MALE HOG, YEARLING, E. B. Shurt, R. No. 1, Ottumwa

Wanted

WE WANT TO TELL YOU HOW TO turn your old clothes into beautiful and durable rugs. Write for particulars. Bloomfield Rug Works, Bloomfield, Iowa.

WANTED TO FURNISH PAINT FOR your house and barn. Parks Drug Store, corner Main and Court.

WANTED TO EXCHANGE FOR WAPello county farm. Improved income city property. Renting for \$95.50 per month. Roberts & Roberts, Box 13, Ottumwa, Iowa.

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ELDON

Miss Dick Tennant who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. E. J. Moore, left for Oskaloosa to visit her parents.

Miss Violet Roberts went to Ottumwa to spend the week end with friends.

The Eldon high school band under the leadership of Prof. H. P. Trumbo made quite a showing Thursday in their new uniforms in the parade at Fairfield reunion.

They were met by the Unkirk band at the station and were taken up to the square, where they gave an early morning concert.

They marched and played in the industrial and educational parades at Fairfield and were highly applauded.

They were treated royally by both the Fairfield and Burlington bands and thoroughly enjoyed the day, returning late in the evening.

Mrs. J. A. Bundy and son, Paul are spending the week end in Washington with her parents.

Misses Sadie Cunningham and Bernice Moore have returned home from Fairfield, where they were guests at the Chas. Vogel Hastings has returned home from a visit in Burlington, Kansas with her sister.

Miss Mary Enyart and Marvin Haywood went to Fairfield to attend the Old Settlers' reunion.

Mrs. Chas. Stein of Ottumwa is here visiting at the Mrs. Louise Burns home.

Miss Gladys Cowan of Des Moines arrived for a short visit at the Elmer Finney home.

The teachers all returned home from the convention Friday evening.

Mrs. Harve Enyart and Setta Gelf went to the reunion in Fairfield Thursday.

Mrs. Leb Kimes, Sr., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ed Allendor, in Fairfield this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Eshelman returned home from Trenton, Mo., Wednesday evening.

Miss Lora Friend is visiting relatives in Pittsburgh, Kas.

Miss Maude Stephenson, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stephenson, was united in marriage to Thomas A. Moore, second son of Mr. and Mrs. John Moore, at the bride's home Wednesday evening, September 27, at 8 o'clock. Rev. Mr. McBlain of the Methodist church officiating. Royal Stephenson, a nephew of the bride, played the wedding march, while the couple unattended came down the steps into the living room which was beautifully decorated with cut flowers.

The ring ceremony was used. After the ceremony Royal Stephenson rendered several beautiful piano selections. The bride's gown was of pale night shade green tulle trimmed with chiffon and shadow overlace. She carried a corsage bouquet of pale pink bride's roses. A dainty two course wedding supper was served on trays by Royal, Dow, Harold and Lee Stephenson. The guests were the brothers and sisters of the bride and groom and their families and Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Alberts and family, there being about forty in all. Mrs. Ralph A. Long of Davenport was an out of town guest. Mr. and Mrs. Moore are both well and favor-

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Mrs. Walter Harlan will be hostess to the L. L. G. club Friday afternoon.

Mrs. C. R. Swanson of Albia is here visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ferrel, Mrs. Nanie Ferrel and daughter and Mrs. W. P. Ferrel, Sr. and son of New London spent Sunday with Mrs. Carrie Ferrell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Rollie Moore and son Mr. and Mrs. C. Vaught and son motored to Ottumwa Saturday evening.

Miss Helen Thoma who has been confined for several weeks with typhoid fever is able to be out again.

\$800 HORSE STOLEN.

Missouri Valley, Sept. 30.—Horse thieves are suspected of having taken an \$800 bay horse belonging to P. L. McKain.

BRINGING UP FATHER



BY GOLLY-IT'S NICE AN' QUIET HERE- I WISH IT WUZ LIKE THIS AT HOME-



GOOD MORNIN' AN' GOOD NIGHT!



TROW UP YOUR LUNCH HOOKS!



SAY-HAVE A HEART-WHAT'LL I TELL ME WIFE WHEN SHE FINDS ME MONEY IS GONE?



TELL HER YOU WUZ HELD UP!



I CAN'T-I TOLD HER THAT LAST NIGHT-



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