

Semi-WEEKLY COURIER

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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Mrs. Stella Morrow, 714 West Fourth street, has returned from a visit in Urlic, Mo. While there she attended the golden wedding of her uncle. A. White, of Luray, Was., has arrived in the city to make a visit at the home of Mrs. Bosworth, 718 Center avenue, and with friends in Agency. Mrs. D. Newell, 151 South Elm street, and son, Dr. W. C. Newell, have returned from a ten days' visit in Chicago and Rochester, Minn. Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Linton, 207 West Park avenue, have gone to Guernsey and Deep River for a week's visit with relatives. Martin Schwarzenbach has gone to Omaha for a short visit. Miss Nadine Dingeman, 719 West Second street, leaves tonight for a week's visit in Excelsior Springs, Mo. Frank Simons and Bessie Huff, Roy Black and Nellie Hughes have been granted marriage licenses in the district court. Miss Anna Dwyer, 210 North Marion street, is a patient in St. Joseph's hospital. Mrs. Daisy Clark of Lacona is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. W. Louderback, 1751 Mabel street, and other relatives and friends. Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Hudson of Hambl, Mo., are guests at the S. M. Birney home, 229 West Fifth street. Mrs. Royal Bunch and children of Chicago, who have been visiting at the Birney home for several weeks, have returned home.

MISSOURI PLANS

BIG DAIRY MEETING

Hannibal, Mo., Oct. 2.—Five speakers who propose to help the Northeast Missouri Industrial and Agricultural association put this section of the state on the dairy map, are to be here for the big dairy meeting to be held October 10 under the auspices of the organization. The speakers will be W. S. Mathews, commissioner of the state food department of Illinois; E. G. Bennett, state dairy commissioner for Missouri; Prof. J. C. McDowell, agriculturist, Dairy Division, Bureau of Animal Industry, Washington, D. C.; F. F. Chamberlain, promoter of Calif Club Idea, Brighton, Ill., and F. W. Merrill, Dairy Development Department, De Laval Separator Company, Chicago.

Many Praise the Treatment Given by

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Mr. Scott of Salem, Iowa, says: "Dr. Bonham cured my wife of a very bad case of piles without chloroform. She is very thankful." Seb Smith, Ottumwa, says: "I was cured after suffering for twenty years and had suffered everything." John Sharp of Selma, Iowa, says: "I was cured of piles without chloroform or much suffering." H. M. Chidester of Albia, Iowa, says: "I was cured of a rupture I had for forty years." Mr. L. Goodwin Oswald, Albia, says: "I was cured of a very bad rupture by Dr. Bonham. I am much pleased, please me if you want to know about it." Charles Lowe of Mystic says: "My little girl is cured of umbilical rupture after taking four treatments."

Chronic diseases of all kinds are treated and cured by modern methods. Electricity and mechanical means are used in many cases.

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BATTLE CREEK SPEECH BITTER

ROOSEVELT TAKES PRESIDENT WILSON TO TASK ON HIS LEADING POLICIES.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 2.—The most bitter arraignment of the Wilson administration in the present campaign came from ex-President Roosevelt at Battle Creek, Mich., where he charged that Mr. Wilson's weak foreign policies has disgraced the United States in the eyes of the world; that the Adamson law has been passed "partly from fear and partly for political favor," and that the president is teaching "the drugging of our souls with the narcotic of meaningless phrasemongering."

He referred to President Wilson as a "man of words" and to the republican presidential candidates as "a man of deeds."

Speaking to the thousands of persons packed into a circus tent, Colonel Roosevelt charged that President Wilson "sacrificed the national honor of the United States" because he feared to pay the price for upholding it. He characterized President Wilson's "European and Mexican policies as 'cowardly' and as 'following the lines of least resistance.'" "I have been asked what I would have done if I had been president when the Lusitania was torpedoed," he shouted the speaker. "I would instantly have taken possession of every German ship interned in this country and then I would have said: 'Now, we will discuss, not what we will give, but what we will give back!'"

This utterance received wild applause. "Miscalled Eight Hour Legislation." "Further on in his speech he said: 'I ask you to test the character and courage of Mr. Hughes and Mr. Wilson of comparing their attitudes as regards the demands of the railway brotherhoods, which culminated recently in the miscalled eight hour legislation at Washington. 'I equally abhor both the white terror and the red terror, and I will stand as stoutly against one as against the other. We have seen in this country few things more disgraceful to our representatives and more ominous for the future of the nation than the spectacle of the president and congress of the United States being required to pass a certain bill before a certain hour at the dictation of certain men who sat in the gallery with their watches in their hands threatening ruin and disaster to the nation if there was the smallest failure to satisfy their demands. 'I believe in labor unions. I believe in the eight hour day as the general rule toward which we must strive; but I recognize that special needs must be met in special industries; and that in all such cases there must be very careful consideration of all the conditions before final action is taken. 'The case at issue is pre-eminently one that comes in the category of those that can be settled only after careful investigation and full consideration of the many conflicting elements. I believe in the eight hour day on most of the industrial grounds as the ideal toward which we should strive. I believe in wages being just as high in any business as is compatible with square treatment to the other parties in interest. But if the government is to intervene in order to secure shorter hours and better wages it must do so only after full knowledge and not merely under the duress of threats. 'There must be one law to be applied to these cases and to be yielded to by all alike. To yield to the threats of a great organized body of workers is just as evil and cowardly a thing in a public man as to yield to the influence of representatives of great organized capital, and in the long run just as dangerous to the country. 'Roosevelt's closing words were a plea for Hughes's election. 'I appeal to my fellow citizens that they elect Mr. Hughes and repudiate Mr. Wilson because only by so doing can they save America from the taint of gross selfishness."

OBITUARY

Amanda Belle Kennedy.

Mrs. Amanda Belle Kennedy, wife of Abram Kennedy, died at her home on the Rutledge road, at 10:40 o'clock, Sunday morning, October 1, 1916. Funeral services will be held from the residence Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. Thomas J. Carr officiating. Interment will take place in Ottumwa cemetery. The pall bearers will be: William Downey, Smith Herold, Lewis Green, Ben Woodfork, W. J. Wenson and Anderson Williams.

Mrs. Susan Anne Rutledge.

Funeral services for Mrs. Susan Anne Rutledge, who died Thursday evening, were held from the residence 311 South Ash street this afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. C. A. Field presiding. Interment took place in Ottumwa cemetery.

Mrs. N. K. Alderdice.

Funeral services for Mrs. N. K. Alderdice, who died at her home in Burlington, Saturday morning, were held in West Point at 9 o'clock this morning, from the Catholic church, interment taking place there.

JURY EXAMINES M'DANIEL HOUSE

St. Joseph, Mo., Oct. 2.—A detailed examination of the McDaniel premises was made by the grand jury called to investigate the killing of Mrs. Harriet Moss McDaniel, whose husband Oscar D. McDaniel, prosecuting attorney, is being held on a warrant charging first degree murder. Examination of witnesses began this morning. Following the postponement of the prisoner's preliminary hearing until tomorrow, it was evident that the defense would exert every effort to force the state to have a hearing at that time.

Twenty-Five Years Ago

— From The Courier Files —

September 30—

The Hardsoc Manufacturing Co. has purchased from the Thompson-Houston Electric Co. of Chicago, William Bowen, state agent, an electric light plant for the new factory in West Ottumwa of seventy-five light capacity. In its foundry the company will use one of the new ribbon feed arc lamps which is especially designed for being used in connection with the incandescent apparatus and operated from one dynamo. This company is thus being prepared for a large output as it will be able when this plant is installed to run extra time if necessary.

October 1—

The latest union talked of is a boot-black union, the object, as one boy, evidently a leader, was overheard to express it, being to "shut the kids out."

October 2—

The First Congregational church, after undergoing extensive repairs and improvements, will be open for services next Sunday, morning and evening. It is expected that Rev. Dr. Archibald, a former pastor, will preach a part of the day.

October 3—

The national pastime will be revived by a performance next Tuesday afternoon when Ottumwa and Fairfield will cross bats. The following will make up the team: Orelup, Joanes, Bailey, Peterson, Hughes, Newman, Walker, Keefe, Rorhans, with Orelup and Hughes as a battery. The game will be called at 3 o'clock and will no doubt be witnessed by a fine audience.

October 5—

Miss Emma Nye, one of Ottumwa's popular teachers, spent Sunday with her parents at Chillicothe.

October 6—

Everyone will rejoice at the prospect of a new bridge and that speedily. The old rickety structure will soon be superseded by a brand new bridge of superior material and workmanship. This has long been needed as it is absolutely dangerous to attempt to cross the old one. At roll call all members were present except Alderman Key-hoe and after the approval of the minutes of the last regular and two adjourned sessions the council proceeded to the consideration and of the petition of J. J. Smith et al for the condemnation and purchase of grounds necessary to open Ottumwa street from Court to Wapello.

A large amount of petty thieving is going on in every part of the city and it would be well for citizens to be prepared to give such visitors a hot reception. The latest occurred this afternoon at the corner of Second and Jefferson streets where several articles of wearing apparel were taken. Two women are suspected of this piece of work.

There has been a peculiar phenomenon witnessed at the premises of H. C. Reese this fall and summer. When the damson plums began to come out on trees in his yard an army of worms made a raid on the trees completely stripping them of the leaves and the plums, becoming decayed, fell off. Shortly after the trees put forth their leaves, blossomed again and the plums had attained the size of small wild plums when the frost cut off their career. Some of the trees are in bloom now, as well as the cherry trees, which have "leaved" three times this summer.

Ottumwa now boasts of a cross street two miles long. It is Wapello and when completed will furnish a handsome boulevard.

BOYS ON WAY TO HUNT FIND BODY

Fairfield, Oct. 2.—The remains of Peter Carlson, a well known Fairfield man, were found Sunday morning hanging to a tree in the Stever pasture about five miles west of this city by some small boys who were on their way to the woods to hunt. The gruesome find badly frightened the boys who hurried to report it to the nearest farm home. Officers in Fairfield were communicated with and hurried to the scene but it was evident that Mr. Carlson had been dead sometime.

The man who resides with his family on West Washington street had ruled been at home since Friday at which time he told his wife that he was going to Ottumwa. He had been despondent lately and had been drinking. When he did not return home on Saturday relatives thought that he was still in Ottumwa and were not greatly alarmed over his absence.

Mr. Carlson was well known in Jefferson county and had previous to coming to Fairfield a few years ago operated a farm just east of this city. He was an unusually hard working man and had only recently purchased him a home here. He was about 65 years of age and is survived by his wife, one son, Carl Carlson of this city and two daughters, Mrs. Larkin Bowermaster who lives in Wyoming and Miss Clara who is at home.

CHARITON MAN FOUND DEAD BY YOUNG SON

Chariton, Oct. 2.—Max Rothchild, who but recently opened a general store a short distance from the Burlington depot, committed suicide some time Saturday forenoon at his place of business. He and his wife and two children, a son and a daughter, had been spending a few days in Des Moines, attending the celebration of the Jewish New Year, and the father and son came home Saturday morning, arriving here at 2:30 a. m. The boy went home with a friend to stay all night. The mother and daughter went from Des Moines to Ottumwa for a visit with relatives. Yesterday forenoon when the store was not unlocked, the son upon returning home and being unable to gain admittance, gave the alarm and an entrance to the building was forced. The father was discovered dead sitting in front of a gas stove, with both burners open. The windows and door cracks had been stuffed with paper. It was evidently a case of suicide. No reason can be given as he was apparently doing well in his business. The family came here recently from St. Joseph, Mo.

THOS. TEAS, SINGER AND EVANGELIST, DIES

Chariton, Oct. 2.—Thos. Teas, one of Chariton's well known residents, died at his home in this city on Saturday, after an extended illness with kidney trouble. Funeral services, conducted by Rev. Goodsell, were held at the M. E. church this afternoon at two o'clock, after which interment took place in the Chariton cemetery. He is survived by his wife and five children: Bert, of this city; Charles of Ward; Will of Montlon; Joseph, who is in the United States army and Mrs. Myrtle Hoskins of near Oskaloosa. Mr. Teas was a preacher in the M. E. denomination and filled several different pulpits, being engaged in evangelistic work when his health failed. He was also a fine singer.

IOWA CITY INTERESTED.

Iowa City, Oct. 2.—A group of local business men embracing George Sussel, J. O. Schulze, D. A. Reese, H. H. Rohret and J. M. Mazard, are interesting themselves in the proposition of an interurban railway line between Burlington and Keokuk along the Mississippi river. They have just returned from a trip to these two cities and over the territory between them and are now considering facts and figures on the proposition which was discovered in going over the ground.

A 75TH ANNIVERSARY AT FAIRFIELD CHURCH

Fairfield, Oct. 2.—Members and friends of the First Presbyterian church of this city are engaged in week's celebration because of the seventy-fifth anniversary of the organization of the church in this city. A most interesting program has been arranged and special music will be heard at each service.

The celebration began on Sunday morning when Rev. A. H. Mosser, D. D. the pastor, gave a history of the church in Fairfield from the beginning down to the present time.

In the evening Rev. J. G. K. McClure, D. D. of Chicago, president of the McCormick Theological Seminary delivered a sermon, to a large and appreciative audience. Parsons college students and friends are especially interested in this service and were present in large numbers.

The program for the remainder of the week is as follows:

Tuesday, Oct. 3, 6:30 p. m.—Congregational supper and social hour in the basement of the church.

Wednesday, Oct. 4, 7:30 p. m.—Prayer meeting under the auspices of the Men's Booster club.

Thursday, Oct. 5, 7:30 p. m.—The annual meeting of the church to which all members of the congregation are invited.

Friday, Oct. 6, 7:30 p. m.—Preparatory service.

Sunday, Oct. 8, 11 a. m.—The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper.

7:30 p. m.—Evening worship, "What of the Future," Rev. A. H. Mosser.

REPUBLICAN DAY AT DAIRY CONGRESS

Waterloo, Oct. 2.—Republican day at the dairy cattle congress at Waterloo on October 3 is assured. Iowa party leaders are entering enthusiastically into preparations for making this the greatest republican rally in the west.

Three of the leading republican leaders in the United States will speak. Senator James Wadsworth, Jr., of New York will be the principal speaker. Senator Wadsworth is a farmer by proxy, so is entirely familiar and in sympathy with all great agricultural movements. He comes direct from Gary, Ind., which is his only stop this side of New York. This will be his first speech west of the Mississippi river and the only stop in Iowa. He will leave on the following day for a western tour, making stops at Omaha, Neb.; Denver, Colo., and Portland, Ore. Senator Jimmie Wadsworth as he is more familiarly known, was in the senate 20 years ago and has proven himself to be one of the leading republican leaders in the United States. He is one of the strong men of the nation.

W. L. Harding, candidate for governor, and Congressman Burton E. Sweet of Waverly will be the two other speakers of the day. These three men have been secured through the influence and activity of the state central republican committee.

Iowa, Waterloo and the dairy cattle congress are very fortunate in securing these noted speakers and politicians for this day.

ALBIA COUPLE ARE MARRIED THREE TIMES

Albia, Oct. 2.—A license to wed was issued by the clerk of the court to Dixie S. Peppers and a lady here. This is the third time this couple has been married to each other, and four times that Mrs. Peppers had been married, having married D. S. Peppers last spring.

HOSPITAL IS FULL.

Iowa City, Oct. 2.—There are 125 nurses in the university hospital and sixteen nurses in the homeopathic training school, or a total of 141 in the university. The university has at this time over 300 patients, over a hundred of these being children who are here by virtue of the Perkins law. Almost all the available room in the hospital is taken but there is room for a few more patients in the homeopathic hospital.

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IOWA CITY MAN IS TO HUNT FOR ELK

Iowa City, Oct. 2.—B. E. Manville, an Iowa City business man, will leave today for Montana to hunt elk for the museum of the University of Iowa. He will be accompanied by Wesley Kubi-cek, a senior student in museum training work.

The governor of Montana has given consent to the university for the two men to hunt in the famous Jackson's Hole region or elsewhere in the state game preserve until they can obtain a bull, a cow and a calf. Mr. Kubi-cek will prepare the animals for shipment back to Iowa City where Homer R. Dill, director of museum exhibits, will mount them in a habitat group similar to those of moose, deer, bison, mountain goats and mountain lions which have already been secured. The hunters will spend about two weeks on the trip. They will go by rail to Cody and travel from there with pack horses. All expenses will be paid by Mr. Manville.

This enterprise marks the beginning of a plan by which university authorities hope to obtain many valuable specimens for the museum at little cost to the state. Other Iowa hunters of big game will be offered the cooperation of the university upon their agreement to turn over the animals killed. In each case credit will be given on the identification cards in the museum to the men who procured the specimens.

EVARD IS NOMINEE.

St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 2.—I. N. Evard, dean of Missouri Valley college at Marshall, has been chosen as the re-

FIREMEN BURNED BY AN EXPLOSION

Waterloo, Oct. 2.—Assistant Fire Chief Martin Burke and eight other firemen were seriously burned in a fire which followed the explosion of gasoline at the Bon Ton cleaners. The firemen emerged from the building as living torches and other firemen turned the hose on them to extinguish the flames. Burke's injuries may prove fatal. The explosion of gasoline ignited women's garments and other inflammable articles.

EMPLOYEES UNDER CIVIL SERVICE

Des Moines, Oct. 2.—Every city employ in Des Moines will be put under civil service this month, it was announced by Councilman Ben Woolgar. The announcement following filing of charges that members of the so-called "booze squad" of the police department had been cooperating with various bootleggers.

THUNDER BREAKS GLASS.

Dunlap, Oct. 2.—Dunlap was visited by the most terrific thunder storm in the memory of the oldest inhabitant. A curious phenomenon accompanied it. A plate glass window in one of the town's largest stores was broken into innumerable pieces from the concussion of the thunder.

PHOTOGRAPHS TELEGRAM.

Sioux City, Oct. 2.—W. L. Harding's campaign managers have made public a photograph of a telegram from John C. Kelly, editor of the Sioux City Tribune, to Robert Hunter, state senator from Sioux City, March 30, 1911, opposing a five mile liquor bill then pending.

COUNCIL HOLDS SHORT MEETING

The regular council meeting was held this morning, at which some of the monthly reports of the departments were heard. The report from the board of health on contagious diseases was read and filed. The clerk's report of licenses granted since September 23 was heard. Chief of Police Gallagher's report of the month of September was heard. Drunks were of course the chief offenders, thirty-three of them appearing in police court. The city engineer's plat and schedule for paving on West Woodland avenue was approved and October 23 at 10 o'clock was set as the time for objections. Property assessments against property owners for sewers on North Fellows avenue and East Williams street were adopted as read.

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