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## I WAS READING

about a man who said to his wife: "How is it you told the census man you were 30; when I married you a year ago you said you were 22?"

"My, but how time flies when you are happy."

That's right. But a woman never ages and a man is as old as his liver. Are you living or just existing? Do you intend to build a new home or rejuvenate the old one? In either case you'll want our Lumber. Come in and mix it with us.



BEN THE BOOSTER

—WITH—

C. S. Alexander

### Old Settlers' Picnic!

The second annual Old Settlers' Picnic will be held Tuesday, June 17th, at the A. E. Bents' grove. A good program is being prepared, notice of which will appear in next week's papers.

Don't miss this annual gathering. Come with well filled baskets and have a grand, good time and a hand shake, and visit with the friends of Auld Lang Syne. Make your plans now to be with us the 17th of June.

COMMITTEE.

### Yes Undoubtedly.

A Commercial Club means well; the trouble is they try to fly too high for the length of their wing feathers, and soar too much in the interest of one class and one section of the city only, and the ones that receive no benefit help to pay the freight. DAD.

### Shake Off Your Rheumatism.

Now is the time to get rid of your rheumatism. Try a twenty-five cent bottle of Chamberlain's Liniment and see how quickly your rheumatic pains disappear. Sold by Fred Lowry.

### School Report

For term ending May 30, 1913. Number enrolled 8. Average daily attendance 7. Those neither absent nor tardy first month: Emma Zobeck, Lillian Biwer, Louise Zobeck, Anton Chihak, Thomas Zobeck and Inez Biwer. For second month—Lillian Biwer, Inez Biwer.

MARY CHIHAK, Teacher.

### Lawn Mower Grinding.

I have bought out Ohmacht & White's lawn mower grinding outfit and will be pleased to have all the customers call at J. L. HENLEY'S bicycle shop, 113 S. W. 2nd St.

### Nursery Stock.

Will make special prices this spring on evergreens—all varieties, all sizes and in any quantity; also a full line of apple trees, small fruits, and everything in the nursery line. 33rd JAMES H. UPTON, Cresco, Ia.

### First Lutheran Church.

Rev. Larsen will preach his last sermon in Cresco at 10:45 a. m. Sunday, in the Norwegian language.

### ASSUMPTION SCHOOL.

Program of Commencement exercises to be held in the Armory, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, June 10th and 11th.

TUESDAY, JUNE 10th.

Chorus: Anchored.....Vezale  
The Assumption School Orchestra under the direction of Miss Ruth Connolly.  
Chorus: The Rally.....S. T. Paul

Operetta—Snow White and The Seven Dwarfs.  
SCENE I—Queen Mother, spinning and singing.  
SCENE II—Snow White despondent, seated at a table. Queen Step-Mother orders Carl the huntsman to take Snow White to the woods and kill her.  
SCENE III—A Festival on the occasion of Snow White's sixteenth birthday.  
SCENE IV—In the Forest.  
SCENE V—A room in the house of the Seven Dwarfs.  
SCENE VI—The grounds near the young King's palace.

### CHARACTERS.

Queen Mother.....Genevieve Zender  
Queen Step-Mother.....Thelma Wanless  
Princess Snow White.....Mildred Brennan  
Prince.....Cecilia Laub  
Carl, the huntsman.....Mary Bickford  
Arbutus.....Margaret Daly  
Danodil.....Rosalia Reilly  
Forget-Me-Not.....Gertrude Glass  
Violet.....Irene Mullen  
Dwarfs.....Helen Owens, Katherine McFush, Bernice Zender, Beatrice Woods, Marion Ruddy, Helen Pecco, Anna Grace McNally.  
Chorus of Forest Children; Soloist, Mary Milz  
Chorus of Minims.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 11th.

Sacred Chorus: O Gloria Domina.....Lambiotte  
Recitation: The Convict's Violin.....Miss Alethea Ahern

### Comedy—The Eccentric Governess.

### CHARACTERS.

The Governess.....Miss Nellie Geraty  
Mrs. Walker, a wealthy woman.....Miss Mary Walsh  
Carrie and Belle, her daughters.....Loretta Fleming, Mary Nolan  
Jeannette, a French waiting maid.....Miss Consuelo Laub  
Junio, a colored cook.....Miss Alice Glass  
Mrs. Russell and Miss Thomson, visitors of Mrs. Walker's.....Luella Brown, Nellie Daly

Oration: The Development of Art.....Miss Frances Bird  
Recitation: Uncle Peter's Rooster.....Miss Nellie Geraty  
Chorus: Where the Beautiful Rivers Flow  
Recitation: 'Cap'tin Ike'.....Miss Consuelo Laub  
Recitation: The Power of Oratory.....Spalding  
Censor's Recitation: Roses for a Festive Time.  
Oration: Jubilate Deo (Class Motto)  
Mrs. Russell and Miss Thomson, visitors of Mrs. Walker's.....Miss Alethea Ahern  
Graduates' Farewell Chorus.....A. B.

### HONORS.

Diplomas for Four Years' High School.  
Certificates for Grammar Grade.  
Diplomas for Proficiency in Penmanship.

### Piano Recital.

At the home of Miss Lauraine Mead, Friday, June 13th, at 8 p. m., Miss Mead's class of pupils in piano ensemble music, consisting of Mr. Will Darrow, Misses Ione Kakac, Anna Davis, and Gale Grube, and Miss Josephine Bigalk, piano soloist, who will represent Miss Mead and Cresco at the Iowa Music Teachers Convention at Cedar Falls, will give a recital of some of the music they have studied the past year. They will be assisted by the best local talent. An admission of 15 cents will be charged to help the class defray expenses at the convention. Following is the

### PROGRAM

Overture to Zampa.....Herold  
Piano Ensemble Class  
Violin Solo—Air on G string.....Bach  
Miss Helen Kakac  
Rondo, G Major.....Beethoven  
Miss Josephine Bigalk  
B Minor, Unfinished Symphony.....Schubert  
Piano Ensemble Class  
Across the Still Lagoon.....Henri Loge  
Miss Kratz and Mrs. Swenson.  
a. Halleluja Chorus.....Handel  
b. Homage to Verdi.....Duroc  
Piano Ensemble Class  
Reading.....  
Miss Winnifred Webster.  
Awakening of the Lion... de Kontaki  
Piano Ensemble Class

### For Sale Cheap—Best 160 Acre Farm

In Howard county, Iowa, 2 miles from Schley, 5 miles from Lourdes, 8 miles from Lime Springs, 11 miles from Cresco. Good 5 room house, barn, granary, corn crib, windmill, milk house, well fenced, etc. Best half of the old "Reis Farm." Your opportunity! Address,  
Mrs. OLIVIA COCHRAN,  
606 J. Avenue West,  
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Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

### For Sale.

We have a number of Duroc Jersey male pigs, six months old. They are very large of their age. Will be sold at a reduced price if taken at once. We furnish pedigrees with every pig sold. Write or better come and see them. Miss JOSEPH BOUSA & SONS, Rt. No. 2, Calmar, Iowa.

### RURAL SCHOOL COMMENCEMENT.

The annual commencement exercises of the rural schools of Howard county will be held in the court house Saturday, June 7th, beginning at 2:30 p. m. The address to the class will be given by Prof. F. A. Welch. Subject, "A Typical American."

Following is the list of pupils who will receive diplomas.

### GRADUATES

Leslie Wells  
Bernice Owen  
Earl Kelley  
Lola Walker  
Mabel Mow  
Grace Naab  
Robert Logue  
Walter Dell  
Lucy Shields  
Ralph Fellows  
Mabel Graff  
Marie Blackburn  
August Lukes  
Jessie Stevens  
Walter Leinhard  
Dora Ernst  
Emma Skoda  
Adela Novak  
Philip Bird  
Lila Bowden  
Raymond Mintey  
Wilfred Clear  
Loretta Noonan

Luverna Walter  
Archie Playter  
Hazel Bent  
Ruby Stockdale  
Olive Stevenson  
Madge Eldridge  
Ellen Dell  
Frank Moldenhauer  
Eather Banks  
Arthur Michaelson  
Alida Buttolph  
Kathryn Fravel  
Earl Stevens  
Carl Baker  
Bertie Stevens  
Grace Haupt  
Johanna Shimek  
Hazel Halver  
Earl Grabau  
Donald Thorne  
Vera Wilkinson  
Willie De Luhnrey  
Nora Regan

### TEACHERS

Earl Costello  
Lillie Brown  
Alice Pospichal  
Sophie Breitsprecher  
Klara Mitchell  
Grade Makepeace  
Theresa Dynes  
Myra Auringer  
Iva Buttolph  
May Lively  
Cora Dickinson  
Clara Bird  
Mrs. Bertha Shafer  
Sisters of St. Francis, Protivin  
County Superintendent  
ZINA FESSENDEN

Motto: Not how much, but how well.  
Flower: Wild Columbine.  
Colors: Scarlet.

### Death Came Suddenly.

Monday afternoon, at about six o'clock, Edward Beaugard, a resident of Howard Center township, was found dead by his little daughter who was sent to call him from his work to supper. He had been plowing corn and evidently, being subject to epileptic fits, had been seized by one and fallen forward in such a manner that his neck was broken. When found the team was down and badly tangled up in a fence and their harness.

The deceased was about 33 years of age and leaves a wife and three children. They have been residents of this county for about two years, moving from Cedar county, Iowa. The remains were taken yesterday to Topeka, Kansas, where the family have relatives, for interment.

### Florenceville Evangelical Church Notices.

Children's Day services will be held in the Evangelical church near Florenceville next Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock.

The Florenceville Evangelical Ladies' Aid Society will hold an all day meeting with Mrs. L. N. Day in Cresco, Thursday, June 12th.

Mr. Lambert Dressehouse was buried from the Evangelical church near Locust, Monday. The services were conducted by Rev. Day, of Cresco, assisted by Rev. Damero, of Decorah. He was in his 80th year.

REV. L. N. DAY.

### NOTICE TO BIDDERS.

The City Council of the City of Cresco, Iowa, will receive bids for the construction of cement sidewalks and crossings as per specifications on file in the City Clerk's office. Each bid to be accompanied by a certified check for Twenty-five dollars. All bids must be filed with the City Clerk on or before 8 p. m. June 16, 1913.  
E. L. DAVENPORT, Mayor.

Attest:  
A. W. GILLET, City Clerk.

### Farmers Meeting.

A meeting of the farmers interested in the organization of a co-operative society will be held in Woodman hall Saturday, June 7th at 1 p. m. H. W. Bishop, state organizer, will be present. There will be election of officers and reports from committees on articles of incorporation and by-laws.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

## ROYAL BAKING POWDER

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The only Baking Powder made from Royal Grape Cream of Tartar

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### "The Hoosier Schoolmaster" Next Saturday

Supt. F. A. Welch, lecturer and entertainer, at Cresco, Saturday, June 7th.

At 2:30 p. m., Saturday, June 7th, F. A. Welch of Hampton, Iowa, will address the Rural Graduating class of Howard county, at the Court House Hall, his subject being "A Typical American." We are especially anxious to have all patrons of the rural schools hear this whether they have graduated in the class or not. All who are interested in true patriotism will thoroughly enjoy Supt. Welch's addresses to the country boys and girls of the class of 1913.

His monologue, "The Hoosier Schoolmaster," to be given at the Congregational church at 8:00 p. m., is sure to please everyone. The story itself is full of fun, and rendered in the Hoosier dialect in Supt. Welch's artistic manner will prove to be at Cresco, what it has at all other places, a splendid entertainment for both children and adults. Preceding the monologue you will be entertained by Miss Helen Kakac, violinist, and the Cresco Male Quartette.

Those who have heard Mr. Welch, write of him as follows:

"Prof. F. A. Welch in 'The Hoosier Schoolmaster' will delight every audience which hears him. He is an artist in this monologue."—Judge D. F. Coyle, Humboldt, Iowa.

"Mr. Welch is a very able platform lecturer, and worthy the confidence of the public. I cheerfully recommend him."—Thos. R. Roberts, County Superintendent, Elkader, Iowa.

"His marked ability in impersonation entitles him to rank among those whose names have become very widely known in this class of entertainment. I am very certain that no audience will be disappointed in his presentation."—J. F. Monk, Fort Dodge, Iowa.

"He especially excels as an impersonator, rendering dialect and child productions in such a way as to make you feel that you are listening to the real character and not to a reader. His impersonations from Riley and the 'Hoosier Schoolmaster' are especially good and they readily convince the listener that the Professor is an artist in this line of oratory."—A. B. Curran, Pastor Trinity Methodist Episcopal Church, Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

### Card of Thanks.

In behalf of Memorial Post G. A. R., we wish to thank all who assisted us in the observance of Memorial Day, and especially the owners of automobiles for giving a free ride to the Post and W. R. C. to Oak Lawn Cemetery; to Mr. Neapass and pupils of the Public School for the beautiful bouquets of sweet peas; to the members of the Drum Corps who cheered the hearts of the old soldiers with fife and drum; and to the Male Quartette at the church; and all unite in thanking Mr. Soper for his excellent address.  
S. W. HARRIS, Commander.  
R. R. ROSE, Adjutant.

### County Names.

John R. Waller has been writing a series of articles showing how the different counties in the state got their names. The following is the report on the counties in this section.

Floyd—Sergeant Charles Floyd of Lewis and Clark's expedition in their great tour of discovery in the Northwest in 1804, sent out by Thomas Jefferson.

Cerro Gordo—Battle of Cerro Gordo in the Mexican War.  
Fayette—For Marquis de LaFayette.  
Clayton—For John Clayton, U. S. Senator from Delaware.

Howard—For Capt. John Eager Howard. It was due to him and his troops that the famous battle of the Cowpens was won. He was governor of Maryland and U. S. Senator.

Allamakee—Iowa Historical Society says named for Allen Makee, an early trapper in that section. "Haines' American Indian" says it is an Algonquin word meaning thunder.

Chickasaw—For Chickasaw tribe of the South.  
Winneshiek—For Chief Winneshiek, Chief of Winnebagoes.—Decorah Republican.

### Weather Crop Bulletin.

For the week ending June 1, 1913. Des Moines, Iowa.

The last week of May brought a marked improvement, and the weather conditions during the week were ideal for field work and the germination and growth of vegetation. Excessively high temperatures and almost continuous sunshine prevailed, with no rain after Monday noon except a few light, local showers on Friday morning. Rapid progress was made in planting corn, and 80 to 85 per cent of the crop is now in. The early planted is up and shows a good stand. Cultivation is in progress in many fields, but there is considerable plowing yet to be done on low wet ground. With a continuance of the warm, dry weather practically all of the corn will be planted by the close of the coming week, but if wet weather prevails the acreage will be considerably less than last year. Winter wheat and rye are heading in southern and rye is in blossom in central counties. All small grain, grass and clover are making rank growth. Potatoes and garden truck are doing nicely, and fruits are promising.

GEO. M. CHAPPEL,  
Section Director.

### For Sale or Rent

The property known as the City Shoeing Shop with complete set of tools. Located south of the court house. This is fine property. If you are looking for an investment in Cresco, here is your chance. Don't overlook this.  
ANDREW SMITH,  
38 Phone 267 Cresco, Ia.

### Millinery Sale!

Beginning May 29th and continues one month. Special bargains in trimmed hats. Over Petersen Bros. Hardware Store. Mrs. IVERSON.

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