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Rebekah Convention a Success.

In spite of the inclemency of the weather and roads the convention was called to order promptly at 2:30 p. m. by Mrs. Edna Tillson, President of the North Eastern Iowa Association. In a very pleasing manner Mrs. Florence Salisbury welcomed the delegation from our neighboring lodges to our city, which was responded to in a very nicely worded speech by Mrs. Mattie Tyler of Decorah. The report from the various officers present showed the Rebekah Lodges of this district to be in a thriving condition. Cresco Rebekah Lodge has lived up to the motto, "I Grow," by having taken in fifty members in the past twelve months. After a pleasing talk by Mrs. Josie Cutting of Decorah, Assembly Warden of the state of Iowa, one of the board of instruction, Mrs. Lea Washburn from Mason City, gave a very instructive talk and also an exemplification of the secret work, after which Past Grand Master, E. W. Cutting of Decorah was called upon for a speech. He responded in his usual forceful and convincing manner, and his remarks showed him to be truly a Past Master.

The business meeting being open an invitation was extended by Usona Rebekah Lodge No. 458, Burr Oak, Iowa, to meet with them next year, and the invitation was gladly accepted. The following officers were elected as Association officers until after the next meeting.

President—Mrs. Minnie Gates.
Secretary—Mrs. Smith.
Treasurer—Mrs. Peacock. All are members at Burr Oak, Iowa. After the usual question box the meeting closed.

At 6 p. m. a sumptuous banquet was served at the M. W. A. hall to 150 members and guests; at the same time they were entertained by delightful music. At 7:30 p. m. the Rebekah Degree was exemplified to a class of five candidates by Usona Lodge of Burr Oak. The team of twelve ladies and their captain put on their work in so pleasing a manner that they were frequently applauded by the audience. As soon as the work was completed ice cream and wafers were served, after which they all went to the M. W. A. hall for the dance and a social time. From the remarks heard the convention was considered an entire success by all, and all seemed to have an enjoyable time.

Business School Improves Equipment.

The Wisconsin Business University which boasts of 8,570 students now employed, writes us that they have closed a deal with the Remington Typewriter Company for \$4,400 worth of new machines—a complete, new equipment. The W. B. U. now has one of the very finest all around training equipments. They also furnish a list of seventeen students recently sent to positions in Wisconsin, Michigan and Idaho.—Adv.

Library Hours During Chautauqua.

The librarian of the public library asks us to announce that the library will be open on library days during Chautauqua week from 4:15 to 7:30 p. m.

Dr. Robertson's Explanation

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Connolly's Manager Foe of Saloons.

The Moon law put twenty saloons out of business in Dubuque and thirty out in Davenport, "And, in view of that record," says the Waterloo Tribune, "that man Connolly had the nerve to hire Moon to run his Des Moines headquarters!"

OUR CHAUTAUQUA

Just a Word to the Citizens of Cresco and Vicinity.

The Chautauqua begins next week Wednesday, June 17th. Have you purchased your season ticket?

A city or community gains reputation as being a good place in which to live, not alone from its being a good business place, but from its being a social and educational center as well.

The Cresco Commercial Club, the members of which are the business and professional men of our city, put up the necessary guarantee to bring the Chautauqua to Cresco this year. They did this believing it was wanted here in Cresco, that it brought to our city a high class of entertainments at a low cost. Men of national reputation will speak to us, high class musical organizations will be here and entertainers will appear on the platform, making up a sum total of a full week's entertainment that will be amusing, instructive and elevating. No one that has the time can afford to miss a number on the program. Parents should see that their children attend.

Season tickets are now on sale with the business men, and they will appreciate your getting your tickets early. Season tickets \$2.00 and \$1.00. Just think—14 cents a program for high class entertainments; 7 cents a program for the children.

Buy your season tickets this week.

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Good Roads in Moving Pictures.

The Iowa state highway commission is trying to co-operate with local officials throughout the state in every possible way to advance the cause of good roads. The Cresco Commercial Club has arranged for a good roads meeting on next Saturday at 2:30 p. m. at the Cozy theater. At that time J. S. Dodds, a state highway engineer from Ames will speak on the subject of "Better Highways." He brings with him a moving picture film and lantern slides to illustrate the subject.

The meeting is free to all—every person interested in good roads—and we all should be there. Mr. Appleby, the proprietor of the Cozy theater gives us the regular matinee hour for the meeting and says those who attend may expect an extra film that will add spice to the meeting.

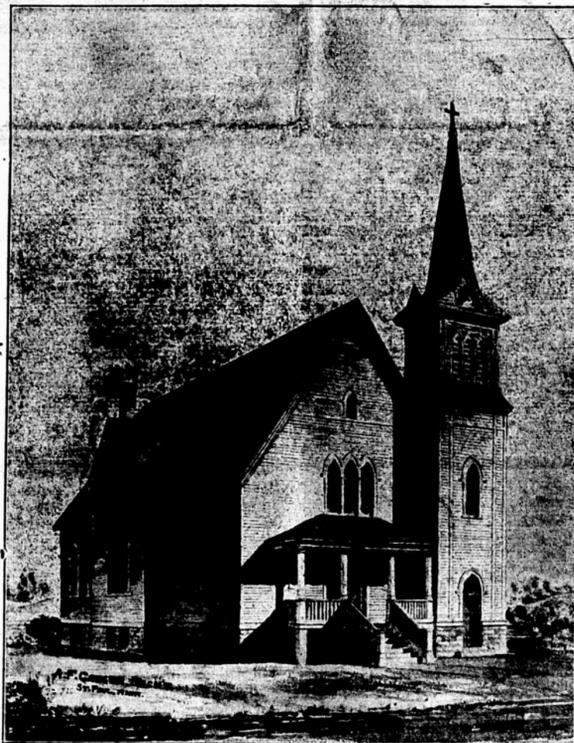
Don't fail to hear J. S. Dodds next Saturday afternoon at 2:30 p. m. at the Cozy.

G. A. R. Encampment.

The 40th Annual Encampment of the Iowa G. A. R. will be held in Burlington, June 16-17-18. At the same time the Woman's Relief Corps and the Ladies of the G. A. R. will gather in the same city. Every preparation for their entertainment has been made. The parade is set for the afternoon of Wednesday the 17th. The 25th and the 45th Iowa will hold regimental reunions on this occasion. Comrade H. A. Field of Grinnell, Iowa, of the 45th, requests all survivors who cannot attend the reunion to write him. This Encampment (there will not be many more) is worth a visit by all who can come.

Jack for Service.

Lydon's big 6-year-old black jack will make the season of 1914 at White's barn. He is the type that sires \$300 mules. 41tf.



Orleans Lutheran Church Dedicated Last Sunday.

The new and beautiful Orleans Lutheran church, 6 miles east of Cresco, was dedicated last Sunday with imposing ceremonies. At 10:30 sharp the corner stone was laid by the pastor, Rev. H. Figenbaum, after which the dedication service began. Rev. O. Ottersen, of West Salem, Wis., Rev. I. B. Torrison, of Decorah, Ia., Rev. D. C. Jordahl, of Ridgeway and the former pastor, Rev. Lauritz Larsen, of Brooklyn, N. Y., assisted Rev. Figenbaum in the solemn service.

Rev. Larsen preached the sermon and dedicated the church. An audience of 750 people filled the spacious building to its utmost and many could not get in. An offering to missions amounting to \$235.00 was received. At noon dinner was served free of charge to one and all in the church basement. The afternoon service opened with singing the hymn, "Glorious things of thee are spoken, Zion city of our God," after which Rev. I. B. Torrison gave a short but eloquent address on the subject: "The church and her children." Rev. Lauritz Larsen delivered a very eloquent and instructive address on: "The church and the young people," and Rev. Jordahl spoke on "Our Home Mission." In Rev. Figenbaum's closing remarks it was an-

nounced that the church had cost over \$12,000—the site not included—and that no debt rested on the building but quite a little surplus fund was left. Architect Mr. A. F. Gauger, of St. Paul drew the plans and Geo. Gill, of Cresco was builder. The building is of Gothic architecture and is modern throughout. Besides the church auditorium and the necessary halls, there is a pastor's study, a ladies' parlor, a Sunday School room, young peoples' assembly room, dining hall, kitchen, etc.

The church furnishings were given to the church by the Ladies' Aid Society, and the beautiful art glass windows were given by the young people. The altar painting, which was painted by the artist, Mr. H. Gausta, of Minneapolis, was given by Mr. and Mrs. O. Hovey. The communion service was presented by Miss Agatha Anderson, and the candle sticks and crucifix by Mrs. Gertrude Iverson, of Cresco. The altar cloths were the gift and handiwork of Miss Bertha Nelson, and the chancel chairs were given by Mrs. Steen Henderson. The clock was presented by Mr. Wesley Swenson, of Cresco. The vote of all was that the Orleans church was indeed one of the finest churches in Winnebago County.

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Real Estate Transfers.

Following is a list of transfers of real estate that have been filed with the County Recorder.

Michael Keefe to Frank Hruska, s 150.4 ft lots 4 and 7 irreg. surv. ne ¼, 1-97-14, \$1,800.
J. E. Jackson to Ella Taft Mason, lot 8 blk. 29, Cresco, Iowa, \$1.
Homer Taubman to Clara M. Daubenger, s 3-12 A of n 12.12 A lot 5 irreg. surv. e ½ se ¼, 23-99-11, \$4,700.
Edward J. Lewis to Catherine Klockow, lots 10 and 11 blk. 27, Baldwin's Add., Cresco, Iowa, \$1,500.
John L. McHugh to Orvine J. McHugh, undiv. ¼ unplatted portion of e ½ nw ¼, 23-99-11, w of Elm St., \$1.
John L. McHugh to Orvine J. McHugh, (Q. C. D.) part of unplatted portion e ½ nw ¼, 23-99-11, known as Elm St., \$1.
Geo. L. Brown to Jay L. Tennant, se ¼ and e ½ sw ¼, 2-99-14, \$14,075.
Lloyd Sweet to Roy F. Jones et al, lots 11 and 12 blk. 4, Chester, Iowa, \$625.
Frank E. White to Raymond Glass, lot 10 blk. 16, Cresco, Iowa, \$1.
L. Hall to Anna Hall, w ½ lot 19 and e ½ lot 20 blk. 19, Lime Springs Station, Iowa, \$75.
H. L. Treloar to Walter McClung, ne fr. ¼, 7-100-14, \$10,500.
W. H. Bedford to Della A. Wilcox, undiv. ¼ sw ¼, 25, and se ¼, 26-100-12, \$12,400.
Della A. Wilcox to George C. Frisby et al, undiv. ¼ sw ¼, 25, and se ¼, 26-100-12, \$1.
Daniel Casey to Thomas Frankson, s 75 ft. lot 1 on sw ¼ sw ¼, 6-97-13, \$1.
Gus DeNoyelles to Agnes DeNoyelles, lot 15 blk. 30, Cresco, \$1.
Henry Hewitt to Lena Hewitt, lots 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 blk. 22, Lime Springs Station, Iowa, \$1.
Thomas Gates to Ole Taraldson, 6 ft. off e side w ¼ lot 6 blk. 21, and 6 ft. off e side lot 13 blk. 21, Lime Springs Station, \$30.
Julius Wagner to August Lauck, ne ¼, 32-100-14, \$14,400.
Ira Flagler to A. J. Cray (Q. C. D.) w 5 ft. of ne 30 ft. lot 10 blk. 3, Lime Springs Station, \$1.
C. E. Rash to S. L. Rash, w ½ ne ¼ and e ½ ne ¼ nw ¼, and e ½ se ¼ nw ¼, 18-100-14, \$12,900.
E. Gillette to George L. Champlin, lots 7 and 8 blk. 2 sub-div. blk. 4, Gillette's Add., Cresco, Iowa, \$1.
William Beaman to Joseph Bettis et al, 15 A in ne cor. nw ¼, 10-100-14, \$300.
H. Heinicke to A. N. Wentworth, lot 3 and w ½ lot 4, and w ½ lot 5 blk. 23, Cresco, Iowa, \$2,000.
E. Gillette to Cayton Taylor, lots 5 and 6 blk. 2 sub-div. blk. 4, Gillette's Add., Cresco, Iowa, \$1.
Cornelius Shields to J. H. Crooks, undiv. ¼ lot 15 blk. 37, Elma, Iowa, \$1.
Orvine J. McHugh to W. F. Walsh, lots 5 and 6 blk. 2 of McHugh's North Add., Cresco, Iowa, \$110.50.
Orvine J. McHugh to Mary B. Miller, lots 4, 5, 10, 11, 12 blk. 3, McHugh's North Add., Cresco, Iowa, \$373.95.
Orvine J. McHugh to M. J. McCarville, lots 6, 7, 8, 9 blk. 3, McHugh's North Add., Cresco, Iowa, \$252.60.
Orvine J. McHugh to Henry Carl Bares, lot 3 blk. 3, McHugh's North Add., Cresco, Iowa, \$54.35.
Thomas Cowley to H. L. Spaulding, undiv. ¼ w ½ nw ¼, 12-98-14, \$1.
E. Gillette to William F. Thuerk, lots 9 and 10 blk. 2 sub-div. blk. 4 of Gillette's Add., Cresco, Iowa, \$1.
Sarah Neal to Ellis G. Glass, lot 17 blk. 19, Cresco, Iowa, \$1.
William W. Nichols to J. L. Mueller, w ½ lot 10 blk. 1, Gillette's Add., Cresco, Iowa, \$1.
Ben Offen to Lester Offen et al, n 80 A sw ¼, 31-100-11, \$1.
Ben Offen to W. E. Offen, s 20 A n ¼ nw ¼, 13-99-12, \$1.
Ben Offen to Fannie Mintey, n 60 A n ¼ nw ¼, 13-99-12, \$1.
Carl Hanson to Myron Converse, lot 9 blk. 10, Cresco, Iowa, \$3,200.
Webster E. Peavey (Referee) to Carrie M. Wilkes, n ¼ nw ¼ and sw ¼ nw ¼, 6-98-14, and s ½ se ¼ se ¼, 36-99-15, \$10,275.

Orvine J. McHugh to Carl Aegler, lots 2 and 4 blk. 4, McHugh's North Add., Cresco, Iowa, \$117.60.

Orvine J. McHugh to W. H. Tillson et al, lot 12 blk. 2, McHugh's North Add., Cresco, Iowa, \$49.35.

Death of Mrs. Herbert Durfey.

The death of Mrs. Herbert Durfey occurred on June 6th, at her home in Selby, S. D., following a long illness from enlargement of the spleen. The remains, accompanied by the husband and children, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Schaefer, and brother Charles arrived Tuesday afternoon and were taken to the Baptist church, where funeral services were held, and then to New Oregon cemetery for interment.

Ruth Schaefer was born Aug. 4, 1887, in New Oregon township, Howard county, and was a graduate from the Cresco High School. At an early age she united with the Baptist church, in which she was an active worker until she moved in May, 1912, to Selby, S. D. On June 26, 1907, she was married to Herbert P. Durfey, who with two little boys remain to mourn the loss of a loving wife and mother. She also leaves her parents, a sister, Mrs. Fred Howard, of Cresco, and three brothers, A. H. Schaefer, of Pasadena, California, C. T. Schaefer, of Columbia, S. D., and H. E. Schaefer, of Cresco.

Card of Thanks.
We desire to return our heartfelt thanks to our friends and neighbors for their kindness and loving remembrance of our dear one at the time of her funeral.

H. P. Durfey,
Mr. and Mrs. A. Schaefer
and Family.

Morgan Rural Church.

Children's day program next Sunday at 8 p. m.

Services at Morgan next Sunday are in the morning at usual hour of worship and sermon at 10:30 followed by the Morgan bible school at 11:30 until 12:30.

We will be glad to see the country folks at church next Sunday. We want the boys and girls to be present at the Bible school. Let us all try and be in our classes next Sunday and have a successful day.

The recital given by Miss Maud M. Aldrich last Monday evening was not as well attended as we hoped for, but the recital was splendid. Miss Aldrich is a reader that could go anywhere and wins laurels. Every one was delighted with the program and we hope to have her again, when the mere announcement of her coming will be enough to guarantee a large audience. The ice cream social following the recital was greatly enjoyed.

Libbey School House.
Rev. Sylvester will speak at the school house next Sunday afternoon at half past two. The Sunday school lesson for the week will be studied and we hope to have a good turnout. Be loyal to the neighborhood church work.

Methodist Church.

Sunday morning at the 10:30 hour will be held the annual Children's day exercises by the Sunday school. A fine program is being prepared and will be enjoyable to all. A baptismal service for children will be held in connection, and parents desiring children baptised plan to be in readiness at that service.

The announcement for the League will be one-half hour later than announced in the Times, meeting at 7:15 and the Union service will be held at 8 o'clock. Note these hours as a correction.

A week from Sunday morning the 10:30 service will be as usual, but the evening services will be taken up in lieu of the Chautauqua program.

Graduating Exercises of School of Assumption.

The annual graduating exercises of the school were held Wednesday evening in the K. of C. hall. The graduates were Ellen Teresa Geraty, Consuelo Loretta Laub and Mary Agnes Walsh. As usual the program was highly pleasing.

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We are handling VanMecklin's Berries again this year. Quality finer than ever. Those wishing case lots, please get your orders in not later than June 18th.

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