

MINISTERS NAMED.

The M. E. Conference of Central Illinois Ends.

NEW PRESIDING ELDER COMES HERE

Rev. F. W. Merrill retained as Pastor of the First Church—The Other Assignments—A Section of the Rock Island District—Matters of Interest.

The fortieth annual session of the Central Illinois conference ended at Peoria last night. It proved the most notable conference in the history of the organization in point of attendance, spiritual results, enthusiasm and interest, and in point of the nature of the business considered. It was notable from the fact that great issues were at stake—great issues were discussed and voted upon. The matter of changing the make-up of the conference from seven districts to five was an important change, one that required long debate and consideration on account of the matters involved. The change affects all the conference and all ministers of the conference.

The conference is now composed of Kankakee, Peoria, Galesburg, Normal and Rock Island districts, leaving out Macomb and Streator districts.

H. D. Clark is still presiding elder of the Galesburg district. R. B. Williams is appointed to the Kankakee district. M. V. Crumbaker, of the Macomb district, is transferred to the Rock Island district; J. W. Haney, of the Streator district, is transferred to the Normal district, and C. O. Culloch is continued as presiding elder of the Peoria district. Thomas Doney, of the old Normal district, is given the First church, Kankakee, and G. J. Luckey, of the Rock Island district, is made pastor of the Omega church, while M. A. Head, so long presiding elder of the Rock Island district, is transferred from Kankakee to the First church at Watseka.

The Rock Island district appointments are as follows:

M. V. Crumbaker, presiding elder, Rock Island.

Aldo—A. M. Stocking.

Atkinson—Herman Coolidge.

Bradford—R. W. Ames.

Buda—J. P. McCormick.

Cambridge—J. D. Calhoun.

Colonna—W. J. Ward.

Galva—G. C. Shaffer.

Geneseo—H. K. Metcalf.

Hampton—J. A. Alford.

Illinois City—To be supplied.

Keithsburg—S. P. James.

Kewanee—L. F. Cullom.

La Fayette—J. F. Bliss.

Milan—C. S. Moore.

Millersburg—H. C. Birch.

Moline, First Church—J. S. Cummings.

Moline, Second Church—To be supplied.

Neponset—J. Q. Adams.

New Boston—C. F. Crane.

Orion—Supplied by A. A. Waters.

Pink Prairie—Supplied.

Port Byron—E. H. Alford.

Preemption—G. W. Cling.

Reynolds—S. P. Archer.

Rock Island, First Church—F. W. Merrill.

Rock Island, Ninth street—Supplied.

Rock River—E. W. Thompson.

Sheffield—Philip Gaither.

Sunbeam—G. W. Perego.

Taylor Ridge—J. E. Green.

Tiskilwa—J. F. James.

Viola and New Windsor—R. T. Ballou.

Woodhull—C. T. Cady.

Other appointments are: A. A. Waters, professor of Hedding college, Orion quarterly conference; J. G. Evans, president of Hedding college, member of Abingdon quarterly conference; Richard Haney, conference evangelist, member of Monmouth quarterly conference; B. W. Baker, president Chaddock college; M. P. Lackland, professor Illinois Wesleyan university, members Normal quarterly conference; I. O. Mallory, chaplain Illinois State reformatory, member of Pontiac quarterly conference; W. D. H. Young, district superintendent Children's Home society, member Normal quarterly conference.

Rev. M. M. McCreight, formerly of Milan and Reynolds, goes to Mazon in the Kankakee district, and Rev. Henry Brink, formerly of Rock Island and county charges, goes to Melvin, also in the Kankakee district.

The next conference is to be held at El Paso, Ill.

U. S. Appointments.

The following appointments for the ensuing year have been made by the annual conference of the United Brethren church:

Galesburg District—Amos Rigney P. E.

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Cuba Circuit—N. M. Douglas.
Gilsen Circuit—J. E. Barr.
Glassford Circuit—H. Essex.
Henderson—H. J. Lindsay.
Pleasant Valley—M. Weigle.
Roseville—M. White.
Seaton—O. L. Wilson.
Sherrard—Nettie Moore.
South Grove—J. P. Kester.

CITY CHAT.

Style, fit, quality, price—Zimmer.
Niche Michigan peaches cheap at Long's.

Take the R. I. & P. to Springfield Thursday.

It costs but \$2 for the round trip to Springfield Thursday.

Black silk sale all this week—read big ad. of Young & McCombs.

Save a dollar by getting a pair of our men's \$2 shoes. Dolly Bros.

Get collars and garnitures 33 1/2 per cent discount at Young & McCombs.

F. P. Welch reached home this morning from Indiana and Chicago.

John Volk, Jr., departed last evening for Alexandria, Va., to enter college.

\$1.25 silk velvets, all colors, this week 85 cents a yard, at Young & McCombs.

John A. Nofsker has returned from his visit to Boston and other eastern points.

New seasonable goods at J. B. Zimmer's. Now is the time to examine and compare.

The greatest line of boys' and youths' shoes can be had at Dolly Bros' at the lowest prices.

Mrs. Elizabeth Krell and son, Julius, leave for Wheeling, W. Va., tomorrow morning on a visit.

John Fitzpatrick, general agent of the Vandalla line, is in the city conferring with railroad officials.

Fred Hildebrand has awarded the contract for erecting a cottage in Columbus park to M. E. Nelson.

Go to Holbrook's and have him shade that new house of yours. He has goods and prices to suit you.

Free! Free! Waist and skirt lining with Gold Medal black dress goods all this week at Young & McCombs.

Tickets for the excursion to Milwaukee are on sale now at the C. M. & St. P. depot, Twentieth street.

The Improvement Guild of Trinity church will meet at the rectory Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

It will pay you to attend the carpet sale at Holbrook's this week, 103-105-107 East Second street, Davenport.

Gen's Scotch edge, calf Bala, English shape, double sole, very swell, \$2.98—looks like a \$5 shoe—The Boston.

Grand concert this evening at the First Baptist church. Admission only 25 cents and 15 cents. Tickets at the door.

All of the fall underwear is in. Inspection invited. You know the prices, always the lowest, at Young & McCombs.

Enamel shoes, Scotch edge, calf lined, double sole, English shape, \$4—greatest value ever offered; see if you believe—The Boston.

A fine array of musical artists at the First Baptist church this evening. Admission only 25 cents and 15 cents. Tickets at the door.

J. B. Zimmer, the old reliable merchant tailor, is still to be found at the corner of Star block, Eighteenth street and Second avenue.

You can see Springfield and the state fair for \$2 by going on the R. I. & P. excursion Thursday morning at 4:30, and returning the same day.

"Bloomers" for men? Oh, no! let the ladies monopolize them. Ordinary, well-fitting pantaloons for men will do. I have some choice patterns. Prices right. Hoppe, the tailor.

For \$2.98 you get the swellest shoes for your money you ever saw—and great wearers, too. Call and see them—won't cost you a cent. The Boston.

Silver or gold, 16 to 1, or any other way, so its good, suits me, when it is tendered in payment for an overcoat or suit of clothes. Bring it (the money) along. Hoppe, the tailor.

A lively Sunday row in Rudolph Oberlander's Railroad avenue saloon, Moline, resulted yesterday in Mayor Swenson revoking Oberlander's license.

Say! boys, I'm making some "swell" corduroy vests. Mouse colored, old gold, indigo blue, seal brown, etc. You want to see them. I'll just quote the price—\$5. Hoppe, the tailor.

There was a light frost this morning, but it did no damage to vegetation. Tonight it is predicted the temperature will be higher, but there will be no extremes either way, say the weather experts, for a few days.

Isn't it about time for the people to get tired of poor, cheaply made clothes and realize again the old standard fact that the cheap goods are the most costly and the best is the cheapest? J. B. Zimmer, the tailor.

Some of Dr. Houser's lectures will be illustrated with fine stereopticon views, purchased by him in London during a recent trip abroad. The calcium light stereopticon used by his operator is one of the best in this country.

It is now about twenty-five years since J. B. Zimmer commenced the

tailoring business in this city, and he has been by far more successful in this line than any of his competitors. You know the reason. A word to the wise is sufficient.
A fire broke out on the roof of the Burtis opera house, at Davenport, last evening at 5:45 o'clock. The cause of the fire was unknown, but it is supposed was from a spark from a chimney. It was discovered very soon, fortunately, and did not have a chance even to burn through the roof before Harry Somers had turned in an alarm from box 7 at the Kimball house, and the firemen were there with a stream on. It was but a few minutes afterward that the "out" taps were sounded and the danger of a conflagration was over.



KNOWLEDGE

Brings comfort and improvement and tends to personal enjoyment when rightly used. The many who live better than others and enjoy life more, with less expenditure, by more promptly adapting the world's best products to the needs of physical being, will attest the value to health of the pure liquid laxative principles embraced in the remedy, Syrup of Figs.

Its excellence is due to its presenting in the form most acceptable and pleasant to the taste, the refreshing and truly beneficial properties of a perfect laxative; effectually cleansing the system, dispelling colds, headaches and fevers and permanently curing constipation. It has given satisfaction to millions and met with the approval of the medical profession, because it acts on the kidneys, Liver and Bowels without weakening them and it is perfectly free from every objectionable substance.

Syrup of Figs is for sale by all druggists in 50c and \$1 bottles, but it is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only, whose name is printed on every package, also the name, Syrup of Figs, and being well informed, you will not accept any substitute if offered.

INTELLIGENCE COLUMN.

WANTED—A COOK. APPLY TO MRS. Morris Rosenfeld.

WANTED—AT ONCE, AN EXPERIENCED cook at 749 Twelfth street.

WANTED—A DELIVERY BOY 17 OR 18 years old at Tremann & Son's.

WANTED—A COMPETENT GIRL AT 82 Nineteenth street, for general housework.

WANTED—MEN AT BUFFALO, IOWA, FOR government work on river. \$1.25 per day.

WANTED—A GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSE-work. References required—921 Twenty-first street.

WANTED—25 BOYS. GOOD LIVELY BOYS can earn from 75 cents to \$1 per day. Rock Island Canning company, Seals, Ill. Take Watch Tower cars.

COMMISSION AND AUCTION—ALL KINDS of goods bought and sold, disposed of either at private sale or at auction. Harris & Irvin, 1511 Second avenue.

WANTED—A PAIR OF GOLD-EMMED SPECTACLES in the vicinity of Twentieth street and Second avenue. Finder return to C. Schreiner and receive reward.

\$5 A DAY MADE EASILY BY AGENTS: 50 advertising our goods. No talking required. Write to us, we do the rest. Crown Supply company, 315 Dearborn street, Chicago.

WANTED—A RELIABLE, ACTIVE GENTLEMAN or lady to travel for reliable established house. Salary \$750, payable \$15 weekly, and money advanced for expenses. Situation steady. References. Enclose self-addressed stamped envelope. H. E. Hess, president, Chicago.

NEW MINES DISCOVERED—\$10 AND MORE made daily on small investments by our new and systematic plan and stock speculation. Full investigation solicited. Past workings of the plan and highest references furnished. Send for our free booklet telling how to make money, even on the wrong side of the market; also our daily market letter, what and where to buy. Active representative wanted. A. Gilmore & Co., Omaha building, Chicago, Ill.

GOVERNOR'S DAY AT ILLINOIS STATE FAIR.

Excursion Train.....

Leave Rock Island 4:30 a. m.

Arrive Springfield at 10:15 a. m.

RETURNING—

Leave Springfield 6:00 p. m.

Arrive Rock Island 12 p. m.

In addition to the above a rate of one fare, \$4.95, for round trip is in effect Sept. 23 to 28, limited to return Sept. 30.

Tickets good on all regular trains as follows:

Leave Rock Island 4:30 a. m. 5:55 a. m. 1:45 p. m.

Arrive Springfield 10:30 a. m. 3:10 p. m. 8:30 p. m.

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Never has this department been so full of beautiful effects. We have just placed on our counters as elegant and varied a line of black goods as can be found in this country. Ladies who have seen them pronounce them beautiful and are more than pleased.

We also have many pattern dresses in crepons, silk shotted effects and mohair weaves in black, which must be seen to be appreciated.

Black Goods.

Our black goods department is complete.

Cloaks.

Keep thinking of us on CAPES, JACKETS and FURS. We are ready and they are selling, and this is evidence that we have the line. We feel certain of this, but we will tell you more later.

Colored Dress Goods.

We are ready. They are finer and lovelier than ever. New arrivals will be opened this week which are perfect poems in design and quality; prices have never been so low for such fine qualities. We have hundreds of exclusive patterns and every one of them choice. We can say without any exaggeration that our line of colored dress goods for quality, design and price is not surpassed anywhere. Our wool Henriettes and serges at 25, 29, 39 and 50c, and the all wool French mixture for 29, 39, 49 and 62c are well worthy of inspection. We can satisfy every demand in medium and high grade dress goods.

Special Offer.

100 fine tennis skirts at 19c, worth 35c.
1,000 yards good unbleached muslin at 4 1/2c, worth 7c.
1 case ladies' fleeced underwear at 39c, worth 50c.
75 ladies' wrappers—they are good ones, too—at 39c, worth 75c.
35 pieces wool dress goods, fine article, at 15c, worth 29c.

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Fine Residence Lots in this addition For Sale on Easy Terms.

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