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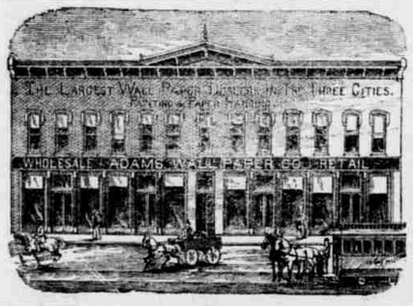

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CLIMBING HIGHER.

The Ninth Grade Graduation this Afternoon.

Interesting Exercises at Harper's Theatre—The Programme—President Thomas' Address.

The annual commencement exercises the ninth grades of the Rock Island schools were held at Harper's theatre this afternoon at 2:30. The stage was beautifully arranged, the national colors being visible everywhere and neatly interwoven with the flowers of nature. The floral gifts of the graduates were arranged in the form of a bank about the edge of the stage. President Thomas, of the board of education, presided. The graduates, whose names appeared in yesterday's ARGUS, had seats in a pyramidal form on the stage. The programme of exercises included:

March, Kate Studer; prayer, Rev Kerr; chorus "God is Ever Good" school; recitation—Make the Best of Everything Mamie Erhhorn; trio Vacation Song school; piano duet, Hattie Tremen and May Walker; recitation, The Rising of '76, Fred Green; trio; recitation, Ride of Jennie McNeal, Blanch Warren; violin, piano and flute, Alfred Bear, Oscar Schmidt, Tully White, Sam Darrow, Will Totten; calisthenics; recitation, Unappreciated Efforts, May Schindler; trio; recitation, Patriotism, the Great School Lesson, Clarence Spaulding; chorus, My Native Land, school.

Following this came the presentation of certificates of promotion by Mr. T. H. Thomas, president of the board of education, who spoke as follows:

Pupils of the Ninth Grade:

In behalf of the board of education I congratulate you in having completed the course of study prescribed for the ninth grade, which entitles you to certificates of promotion to the Rock Island High school. Before presenting these certificates to you, I desire as a business man to call your attention particularly to our excellent high school and to impress upon your minds with all the force I can command, the great advantages to be derived from a higher education; and I believe that any one of you who has the opportunity to enter our high school and does not embrace it will regret it when too late.

Recently some of the ablest, self-made business men of our country have been giving careful thought to this subject: "Is higher education a benefit or a detriment to the youth of our country?" This question has been discussed thoroughly by such able men as Carnegie, Depew, Law, Hewitt and others. Mr. Carnegie says in an article entitled, "How to Make a Fortune:" A graduate has not the slightest chance, entering at twenty, against the boy who swept the office or who begins as shipping clerk at fourteen. To refute this idea a large number of self-made business men have sprung to the defence of higher education, and certainly the weight of experience and evidence is against his views. Mr. Depew says: "My observation leaves me to direct the contrary opinion. I never met a self made man who did not believe he had been handicapped, no matter how great his success, by deficiency in education." Mr. Hewett says: "If you ask my opinion upon the value of an education. Quote me as saying, if I were offered a fortune without education, or education without a fortune, I should unhesitatingly accept the education." Mr. Colby says: "I admit that a man may succeed in banking or business without education, but I earnestly believe that if two men of equal ability start together in the race, one an educated man and the other without an education, the educated man will win every time in the long run." Mr. Ives says: "That a man of ability educated is better, no matter where he may be placed, than a man of ability uneducated."

In conclusion I hope the opinions of these able men as to the great value of education will induce everyone of you who can to enter our high school. I now have the pleasure of presenting to you your certificates of promotion.

The little people all discharged their parts well, and especial credit should also be given Mrs. Darrow for the pains taken in the training of the instrumental quartette.

A JUNE BLOW.

A Furious Wind Causing Much Damage to Trees and Buildings—Boats Hugging the Shore.

We have been getting today the fragments of the ominous wind clouds that passed over the city last night and threatened us with destruction. It is apparent that a cyclone has been scattered before reaching the earth as the wind which has been blowing through our whiskers at the rate of fifty miles an hour today at intervals, if coming in one solid blast would surely have annihilated us. Great trees in Court House and Spencer squares and all over the city have been blown down, buildings shaken, windows broken and various damages done. The tin roof on McCabe's building was ripped up like so much pasteboard, and but for the heroic work of James Thompson in binding it down, it would no doubt have done great harm, for it threatened to fall into the street.

The river has been worse than squally. It has been on a perfect rampage all day. The packet Mary Morton, the Verne Swain, and even the ferry have been hugging the bank, fearing to go out on the high seas. The excursion to White Sulphur was necessarily abandoned. A barge belonging to the C. J. Caffrey got away below the city, and was blown up stream four blocks and across to the Iowa shore, and the wind was so high the Caffrey did not care to go after it.

The indications are that there are to be more storms before an entire cessation.

Spencer Square.

Mr. Fred Weyerhauser has instructed Commissioner Jackson, of Spencer square, to purchase something ornamental for the square to conform to the fountain, and Mr. Jackson leaves for Chicago in a few days to select a design. Commissioner Jackson has let a contract for the cement walk in the center. It will be of black and white blocks alternating and with the words "Spencer Square."

Weather Forecast.

U. S. SIGNAL OFFICE, Washington, D. C., June 5.

For the next 24 hours: Storms all over the country.

AT THE ALTAR.

A Brilliant Wedding at the German Lutheran Church—Mr. Herman Hansgen and Miss Mamie C. Schroeder Married.

In the German Lutheran church last night occurred the marriage of Mamie C., daughter of Ald. William F. Schroeder, to Herman G., eldest son of Mr. Chas. Hansgen. The church was packed and many were unable to gain entrance to the edifice. The Misses Emma Schroeder, (sister to bride), Amelia Hansgen and Annie Steinhauer acted as bridesmaids, and Messrs. Charles Buncher, Fred Schuck and Fred Copp as groomsmen.

At 8 p. m. the bridal party proceeded to the altar where Rev. C. A. Mennicke pronounced them man and wife. It was an impressive scene. The bride wore a cream colored mohair dress, bridal veil and carried a bouquet of white roses. The bridesmaids were dressed very becomingly. Emma Ehrhorn and Emma Greve acted as pretty flower girls.

Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Hansgen and their relatives repaired to Alderman Schroeder's residence on Elm street where the wedding supper was spread and a reception followed. Afterward there was a season of music lasting into the morning hours. It was the one regret of Ald. and Mrs. Schroeder that their house room was such that they were obliged to limit their invitations to relatives. Among the visitors were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Schroeder, of Stillwater, Minn., and Mr. G. Happel, of Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

The following are some of the presents received:

Silver tea set, Miss H. Browner, Miss A. Steinhauer, Mr. F. Schuck, Mr. H. Simmons; silver castor, Fred Eckerman and August Borchelt; set silver tea spoons, Mr and Mrs John Mueller, F. Mueller, Mr. and Mrs. Griess, Mr. and Mrs. C. Schneider; set silver table spoons, Mr. and Mrs. John Bleuer; set silver knives and forks, Mr. and Mrs C. Shillinger; fruit spoon, Mr. and Mrs. John Schroeder, Stillwater, Minn.; silver salt and pepper bottles, Mr. and Mrs. Griess; silver butter knife, silver sugar shells, Mr. and Mrs. C. Schneider; one fruit set, Mrs. Chas. Buncher and son; three oak rockers, (plush), Mr. and Mrs. C. Engle, Mr. and Mrs. C. Schoessei, Wm. Ganser; patent rocker, Mr. and Mrs. Zimmerman, Geneseo; Ill.; bed room set (oak), bride's parents; dome lamp, Mr. and Mrs. Will Shillinger, Iowa; chamber set, Mr. and Mrs. L. Cramer; china tea set, Mrs. E. Beck; water set, Fred Snitczer; set dining room chairs, Mr. and Mrs. L H. Frink; center table, (oak), Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bleuer; toilet set, Mr. and Mrs. E L Selle; willow rocker, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Applequist; one set of lace curtains, Mr. G. Happel; $25 in gold, Mr. C. Baumgartner; three carpets, groom's parents; sugar shell, Miss Crawford; chenile table cover, Mr. and Mrs. J. Schoessel; dozen tumblers, Mr. and Mrs. A. Bruett; table scarfs, linens, etc., stove and cooking utensils, groom's parents.

Among the presents also was a hand-painted placque presented by Mr. and Mrs. Walter Small, of Los Angeles, Cal. The placque is quite a novelty, being a cross section, half an inch thick of an orange tree. Upon this section oranges, blossoms, leaves and stem are painted. The easel is made of orange twigs, all excellent work.

Mr. and Mrs. Hansgen will make their home above Hansgen's grocery, on Twentieth street, and will be at home to friends and visitors after June 10th.

Midday Alarm.

The alarm of fire at one o'clock this afternoon, which in the face of the furious wind filled all who heard it with the gravest apprehension, was caused by the discovery of flames in the roof of a kitchen attached to a house, at 500 Fifteenth street, occupied by Andrew Boehler. The fire was subdued with a loss of not over $20; the cause was a defective flue. After the fire was out the always willing kid made the bells on various hose houses rattle for half an hour. Such are the privileges of the city having a volunteer department.

It was fortunate that Joseph Myers, a fireman, was passing Mr. Andrew Boehler's house when the fire was discovered. He cut a hole in the roof, poured in the water, while the ladies of the neighborhood acted as bucket brigade.

Police Points.

The police were called to the house of a citizen on Second avenue, east of Eighteenth street this morning to affect an arrest for wife beating, but the latter refusing to swear out a warrant no arrest was made.

Two Moline bloods were caught on the outskirts of the city under compromising circumstances about 4 o'clock this morning by Officer Schaab and escorted to the station. This morning they were fined $5 and costs, and put up their watch for security. The financial standing of their families is such that the watch ought to be redeemed, though when caught they had "blown themselves" to such an extent that they had little on their backs beyond their linen.

River Ripples.

The river is rising rapidly.

The Mary Morton came up.

The Reindeer and Louisville passed up.

The Sidney went north during the night.

The stage of the water at noon was 7.50; temperature, 82.

The bridge travel yesterday amounted to: foot, north 481, south 508, total 989; teams, north 545, south 541, total 1086.

The boats down today were the C. W. Cowles, J. K. Graves, Stillwater and C. J. Caffrey each with sixteen strings of logs, the Julia with eight string of lumber, the Salitte and Verne Swain.

The Augustana Commencement.

A large number of people from this city attended the rendition of the oratorio of the Messiah at Knowles hall Moline, last evening by the Oratorio society of Augustana college. It was a grand musical treat. This afternoon an excursion had been planned to White Sulphur on the steamer Golden Gate, but the wind prevented, and this evening occurs Prof. Stolpe's grand concert at Jubilee hall by the conservatory of music and the Augustana orchestra.

This morning the commencement exercises were held at the college from 10 until noon, and were very fine.

THE A. O. H. ADJOURN.

Concluding Session of the State Convention.

Officers for Two Years Elected, Resolutions Adopted, and the Next Place of Meeting Fixed.

The biennial convention of the A. O. H., of Illinois, had its concluding session at the Schnell club rooms last evening, and after adjournment participated in a ball given by the Davenport branch of the society. The meetings here were all secret, but the members report the proceedings to have been of the most harmonious and gratifying nature. Numerous changes were made in the by laws to conform to the national organization. Officers were elected for two years as follows:

State delegate—Lawrence Henley, of Chicago.

State Secretary—J. F. Brennan, of Bloomington.

State Treasurer—Alexander Vaughey, of Seneca.

The committee on resolutions, through John T. Donahue, of Joliet, chairman, reported the following which were unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, We find from the proceedings of the national convention that our order has numerically and financially increased throughout the states and territories of the Union; and

WHEREAS, We recognize this result has been accomplished by the untiring zeal of our our officers.

Resolved, That this convention tender to our officers its thanks for the efficient manner in which they have performed their respective duties.

WHEREAS, This organization has always supported the people of Ireland in their patriotic efforts to attain their God-given rights to make their own laws on their own soil without interference or dictation,

Resolved, That this organization extend to the Irish people our unqualified support, and that we renew and continue our pledge to support the people of Ireland financially and otherwise until they shall gain the God-given rights of absolute independence.

Resolved, That we tender to the Catholic hierarchy in this state our grateful thanks for the many good words of advice and encouragement, and pray their continued advice and encouragement as to further us in carrying out the principles of our organization.

Resolved, That we favor a united organization, and are ready and willing to negotiate with our dissenting brethren; and to that end we do hereby authorize our state officers to use all honorable efforts and make every reasonable concession to bring about united organization so that the principles of our order may be further extended and dissension be a thing of the past.

Resolved, That our unqualified thanks are due, and are hereby extended Rev. Father Mackin, Rock Island, for the words of advice and encouragement given to the delegates to this convention.

Resolved, That we tender to our brothers of Rock Island and Davenport our grateful thanks for the generous treatment we have received at their hands; to the order of Davenport we are especially indebted, and their generous treatment shall be remembered by their Illinois brethren. May they prosper in the future as in the past.

Resolved, That the differences now existing between the A. O. H. in Illinois be left to the arbitration of Arch-Bishop Feehan, of Chicago, Arch-Bishop Ireland, of St. Paul, and Bishop Spaulding, of Peoria.

Decatur was decided upon of the next biennial convention, and the second Tuesday in June, 1892, the date.

BRIEFLETS.

A firstclass cook wanted at Hawthorne's restaurant.

Geo. H. Robinson, formerly with M. Yerbury, is in the city.

Mr. Adair Pleasants left for Ottawa at noon on legal business.

Mr. and Mrs. Mayer Rosenfield have returned from their visit to California.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Sternberg, of Minneapolis, are visiting relatives in the city.

Rev. T. W. Grafton will preach in the Twenty-ninth street Christian chapel at 7:45 this evening.

The contracting firm of Ohlweiler & Spilger dissolved partnership today. Mr. Spilger will carry on the business.

Dr. C. Bernhardi has been persuaded by his English and German friends to announce himself as a candidate for school director.

At the annual meeting of the directors of the Rock Island road in Chicago yesterday, Mr. R. R. Cable was reelected president.

Chas. E. Leman had his right thumb badly pinched while handling some slabs of Bedford stone on Eighteenth street this morning.

Mrs, Jacob Ohlweiler, Jr., and Mrs. Henry Krell left for Aurora today from whence they go to Chicago. They will be two weeks or more from home.

"Uncle" Jacob Ohlweiler, who has been confined to his house for three weeks, is improving nicely. His physician will allow him out door exercise the first of next week.

The Milwaukee is still transferring at Plum Creek, owing to the washout of the pier there, and Conductor Perrett is still on this side of the creek and Conductor Fuller on the other.

Geo. W. D. Harris, the real estate agent, this week sold to Mrs. M. J. Murphy the Broderick property on Moline avenue consisting of two houses. He also sold to Mr. W. L. Aster for $1,750 Mr. J. L. Adams' residence on Vine street.

The circuit court jury in the case of Coyne against Clough for professional services, rendered a verdict for the plaintiff this morning for $2. The suit was brought for $200, and the defendant practically confessed a debt of $15.

Invitations have been received for the marriage at St. John's church, Clinton, Iowa, Wednesday evening, June 18, of Mr. Elmer Ellsworth Abbott, formerly of this city, and Miss Sara Lucy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. M. Young, of Clinton. Mr. and Mrs. Abbott will be at home at Clinton, July 2.

The North American Savings, Loan and Building Company, of St. Paul, Minn., have organized a branch of their company in this city with Mathias Schnell, J. R. Johnston, Wm. McEniry, W. A. Paul, W. A. Corcoran, M. J. Young, S. B. Stoddard, Jr., and C. G. Gaver, directors. The directors have selected Mathias Schnell, president; J. R. Johnston, secretary; and Wm. McEniry, attorney.

Mr. Thomas Kerr, of Milan, while driving around the corner of Eighteenth street and Second avenue yesterday afternoon, was thrown under his wagon which was loaded with agricultural implements and which capsized in making the turn. The load was scattered along the pavement, and Mr. Kerr dragged considerable distance, but the horses were stopped before any serious damage was done.

Messrs. D. N. Richardson and M. L. Marks, of Davenport, started for Washington last night in the interests of the Hennepin canal. Capt. T. J. Robinson and Mr. A. C. Dart had expected to leave this morning, but Mr. L. S. McCabe received a letter from Congressman Gest in response to a telegram of inquiry as to the situation, saying that there was no immediate need of representatives from Rock Island in Washington, and that the Hennepin canal was not likely to come up in the senate for several weeks yet.

The people of Dubuque county, Iowa, who alone can sympathize with Rock Island in its venerable apology for a court house, have parted company with us, and voted to erect a new temple such as will not be a mockery to justice and good judgement, and henceforth Rock Island county will be alone in the possession of a structure such as is a reproach to pride and disgrace to the community. It will not be long, though, before Rock Island county may have a happy day of reformation in this regard.

The Northwestern Was Ahead.

JANESVILLE, Wis., June 5.—The Northwestern Railway company took possession of South River street at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon with a force of 100 laborers, and by 7 o'clock had completed laying a side track into the heart of the city, thus cutting off the St. Paul company, which had gained the right of way on the same street to within four blocks of the same point.

Meeting of the Rock Island Road.

CHICAGO, June 5.—At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Chicago and Rock Island railway held in this city yesterday, the old board of directors was reelected. Mr. R. R. Cable was re-elected as president. The net earned of the company for the year ending March 31 were $5,163,994, an increase of $676,547 over last year.

Incomplete Returns from Oregon.

PORTLAND, Ore., June 5.—Incomplete returns from all counties in the state give Herman (Rep.) for congress 8,977 majority, and Pennoyer (Dem.) for governor 3,466 majority. It is thought these majorities will be increased by the official counts.

A score of new indictments for buying votes are looked for at Lincoln, Ills. David A. Furr and John James were found guilty Wednesday of the crime, and the former sent to prison for six months and disfranchised for ten years.

To Dog Owners.

Dog taxes for the season of 1890 are now due, and all owners of dogs are hereby notified to provide themselves with checks, which may be had either at the marshal's office or of any member of the police force. PHIL MILLER, City Marshal.

Notice.

The painters and paper hangers are requested to meet at the Taylor house on Friday evening, June 6, on important business.

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