

BOOSTER BOYS TO DES MOINES

Preparations Are About Completed
by the Older Boys of the Young
Men's Christian
Association.

FOURTEEN WILL GO

And They Are Earnest and Enthusiastic
in Their Purpose to Bring
Next Conference to
Keokuk.

The Booster Boys of the Young Men's Christian Association of Keokuk have about completed their arrangements for their booster trip to Des Moines to attend the conference of the older boys of the association. They are in fine fighting trim and their purpose is to bring the next conference to Keokuk.

The Keokuk boys will leave here on the 3:40 o'clock Rock Island train Thursday afternoon arriving at Des Moines Thursday night, when they will begin at once their campaign in enthusiastic earnestness for having the next conference held in Keokuk. And they feel confident of landing it. The conference will close Sunday night and as the boys will have some spare time Monday morning before catching a train for home, they will utilize the time in visiting the college at Ames and returning to Des Moines, will leave there Monday afternoon for home.

The Keokuk delegation will consist of the following, headed by Ben D. Chapman, boy's secretary of the Y. M. C. A. of Keokuk, Albert Chute, John Hulson, George Hoffman, Albert Jenkins, Wayne Hancock, Jewett Fulton, Jacob Blom, Ben Pelz, Fred Kirchner, Foster McGaw, Gerard Hulskamp, Floyd Selfert and Joe Le Falvre.

The Conference.
Four hundred boys will spend the latter part of the week in Des Moines as the guests of the Y. M. C. A. at the conference for older boys of the association, which is to be held Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

The first session will be held Friday afternoon for the purpose of registration. Following this informal meeting a conference supper will be served in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium room. Later in the evening Judge Selden P. Spencer of St. Louis will deliver an address on "Iowa's Greatest Asset." Other noted speakers will be heard during the conference. The boys will have a big share in the reading of papers during the meeting.

The programme for the three day session is as follows:
Friday—2:30 to 5:30—Registration of delegates and assignments to homes. Y. M. C. A. building, Fourth and Chestnut streets.

6:00—Conference supper.
Greetings and Responses—For the association, J. G. Olmsted, president; for the churches, Rev. O. W. Fifer; for the city, Mayor James R. Hanna; for the boys, Elaine Davidson; response, Claude Stubbs, Waterloo; Iowa state college quartette; Ottumwa high school orchestra.

8:00—Y. M. C. A. auditorium. Public session. Song service led by Tolbert McRae of the Drake conservatory of music. Address, "Iowa's Greatest Asset," Judge Selden P. Spencer, of St. Louis.

Saturday morning—First Methodist Episcopal church, Tenth and Pleasant streets.

9:00—Song service. Address, C. C. Robinson, New York.

9:45—Papers by boys, "Six Years of Work by a High School Association," Howard Smith, Indianapolis. State boy's camp, "A High School Bible Class," Ora Hall, Jefferson; "The Pleasant Hill Rural Work," Emory Miller, Jefferson. An efficient Sunday school class.

10:30—Devotional period, E. C. Wolcott, Sioux City.

11:00—Address, Dr. Howland Hanson, Des Moines.

11:45—Conference photograph.

12:00—Lunch. Delegates will lunch together in dining room of First Methodist Episcopal church.

12:00—Leaders luncheon, Y. M. C. A. Address, E. M. Robinson.

Saturday Afternoon—1:30—Devotional period, E. C. Wolcott.

1:45—Address, "High School Student Christian Movement," C. C. Robinson.

12:15—Group conferences. Boy's department. City and large town high schools. Country work group. Sunday schools. Wage earning boys. Adult workers.

3:30—Recreation period. Basketball, swimming, automobile ride.

Saturday Evening—6:30—Supper. First M. E. church.

First M. E. church (Public session). 7:30 Song service. Address, "Playing a Man's Game," E. M. Robinson.

Sunday Morning—9:15—Adult worker's conference. Y. M. C. A. Delegates will attend church services with their hosts.

Sunday Afternoon—Old Y. M. C. A. auditorium, Fourth and Grand avenue.

2:30—Meeting for delegates and

older boys of Des Moines. (This meeting is for boys 15 years of age and over.) Address, C. C. Robinson.

Sunday Evening—First M. E. church.

7:30—Union meeting. Address by E. M. Robinson.

9:15—Closing service for delegates and leaders only.



A Birthday Party.

Miss Helen Sargent delightfully entertained Saturday afternoon from 2 to 5 at her home, 413 North Twelfth street in honor of her twelfth birthday. The following guests were present: Agnes Skyles, Mary Conn, Eva Lafeber, Frances Sansone, Helen Furlong, Anna McAndrew, Mary Landman, Rose Keefe, Mable Joyce, Marie Faber, Margaret Moeller, Katherine Hays, Eloise Peebles, Blanche Sandridge, Anna Furlong, Claesess Fouts, Mary Egan, Mary Loomis, Maria Williams, Margaret Sargent and Eleanor Meeks. Various games were played and music was enjoyed after which light refreshments were served. Winsome Miss Sargent was the recipient of many pretty presents from her friends and the guests reluctantly departed wishing her more birthdays just as happy.

Burlington Party.

Burlington Hawk-Eye: Hotel Burlington has been lovely with young and younger women all the week, but it had never a sweeter or more winsome crowd than last night when a hundred very young people full of the joy of living, responded to invitations sent out by a dozen young girls, and Miss Esther Jacobs and Miss Blake. The light footed young folk scarcely needed the music to dance, indeed it was hard to keep their feet on the carpet until they greeted the chaperones and reached the shining surface of the dancing hall. Light refreshments were served and a number were there from out of town. Among them Miss Mary Collingwood Tucker, of Keokuk, who is the guest of Miss Lillian Barr, of North Seventh street, and Miss Enid Locke, who came home with Jennie McQuillen from Rockford for the holiday, and among the young men were Frank McCullough and Glenn Minard, of Ft. Madison; Messrs. Randall, Seelye and George Smith, of Mt. Pleasant; John Wooten, of Centerville; and Mr. Heaney of Cedar Rapids. Then there was Norman Jones back from Iowa City and Ray McMullin and Clarence Laubenfels from Ames, all of whom were here for Thanksgiving with their relatives.

Cotton Wedding Anniversary.

Last Friday night the friends of Mr. and Mrs. Bert L. Fremmer, of 23 1/2 North Fifth street, arranged a celebration for the couple in honor of their cotton wedding anniversary. Mrs. Fremmer is remembered in Keokuk as Miss Alma Hendricks.

About thirty friends of the couple were present and music was furnished by the Hippodrome orchestra. Supper was served at twelve o'clock and many presents were bestowed upon Mr. and Mrs. Fremmer. After supper dancing was held. The house had been tastefully decorated for the occasion by Mrs. D. A. Baker, a sister of Mrs. Fremmer. C. K. Slade acted as toastmaster and handled the role in a Depey-like manner.

Illustrated Lecture.

The lecture in the high school assembly room on Tuesday evening by Dr. Thompson of Des Moines should attract a very large audience. The subject of the stereopticon lecture is Pure Milk and Model Dairies and is given by the Civic League as a part of their year's study on the subject of pure food.

The hour of the lecture is half past seven and the general public is cordially invited. No admission fee is charged.

Well Known Here.

The following item from the Chicago Record-Herald will be of interest to many friends of the bride:

Miss Julia Harriet McElroy, daughter of Mrs. J. A. McElroy of 4720 Kenmore avenue, was married to Harold Mead Parsons of Palmer, Mass., son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Parsons of Philadelphia, Thursday at Buena Memorial Presbyterian church. Rev. Henry Hepburn officiated. Mr. and Mrs. Parsons will be at home after April 1 in Palmer, Mass.

A Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Sweeney, 525 North Sixth, entertained at a dinner on Saturday evening. Covers were laid for ten.

The Woman's Alliance.

Mrs. A. J. Dimond entertained the Woman's Alliance this afternoon at her home, 718 High street.

Guest of Honor.

Mr. J. A. S. Pollard of Ft. Madison was the guest over Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph J. Ayres, No. 4 Park Place.

Christmas Bazaar.

This week marks the opening of the annual Christmas bazaar season. Almost every church in town holds this annual sale in December.

Married in St. Louis.

Friends in the city of Michael Muller have received the news of his marriage in St. Louis. Thanksgiving

GENEVA CLUB'S ANNUAL BANQUET

To be Held at the Association Rooms
Tuesday Night—A Very Successful
Event Is Expected.

TURKEY AND TOASTS

Interesting Number of Toasts to be
Responded to With Mrs. Harry
J. Reeves as Toast-
master.

The Geneva club of the Young Woman's Christian Association will enjoy its second annual banquet at the association rooms Tuesday evening and from the preparations being made and the interest taken in the event it will exceed in attraction and entertainment the initial function.

The menu to be served at the banquet, the novel program of toasts to be presented and the responses to be given are of a very interesting nature and are sure to be pleasing to those present.

Mrs. C. D. Streeter will ask grace at the banquet board after which the guests will be invited to partake of the following substantial and dainty menu:

The Menu.
Roast turkey
Potatoes Green peas
Fruit salad
Rolls Coffee
Brick ice cream
Nut cake

Toasts and Responses.

Mrs. Harry J. Reeves will act as toastmaster.

The talks at the banquet will be a play on the letters forming the word Geneva, the name of the club responsible for the joys of the occasion.

The following toasts are on the program with the names of the ladies to make responses:

"Going and Coming—Fun by the Wayside"—Margaret Williamson.
"Entering in—First Impressions"—Pet Belt.

"Noons—And Other Meals"—Beatrice Williamson.
"Evening—And the Police"—Olive Williamson.

"Visits—During and After Hours"—Meta Kummer.
"Afterwards"—Edna O'Harra.

Alpha Triet Club.

Mrs. Thomas Pond was hostess to the Alpha Triet club today.

FIVE RED HATS FROM THE POPE

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would appoint a new wearer of the red hat and that Archbishop Ireland would receive the honor, but no such announcement was made.

The pope officially announced the appointment of the following American prelates: Rt. Rev. Dennis J. O'Connell, bishop of Richmond; Rt. Rev. Patrick A. McGovern, bishop of Cheyenne; Rt. Rev. Austin Dowling, bishop of Des Moines, and the Rev. Edward J. Hanna, co-adjutor bishop of San Francisco.

FUNERAL RECORD

Winona June Payne.

The funeral of Winona June Payne, the two-weeks-old baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Payne, took place at the undertaking parlors of Hawkes and Holbrook at two o'clock this afternoon where short services were held last evening. The father is employed with the water power company.

Lumber Rates.

[United Press Leased Wire Service.] WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—The Commercial Club of Omaha, Nebr., today filed complaint with the Interstate commerce commission against the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy railroad company, and a number of other western railroads, alleging that the lumber rates from points in Illinois, Arkansas, Louisiana and Missouri to Omaha, South Omaha and Council Bluffs, Iowa, are unjust and unreasonable.

Pensions for Ex-presidents.

[United Press Leased Wire Service.] WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—Pensions for all future ex-presidents of the United States at a rate of \$2,000 a month; their widows at the rate of \$1,000 a month, and all minor children in case their parents are dead at \$200 a month, were recommended in a bill introduced today by Representative DeForest (dem., N. Y.). He also proposed a constitutional amendment fixing the president's term at six years, and making him ineligible for reelection.

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At 9:30 O'clock This Morning of
Bright's Disease—The Home
Quarantined on Account
of Scarlet Fever.

OVER TWENTY YEARS

At Mooar Where He Had Been Employed at the Dupont Powder
Works at That
Place.

There is a sad story of sickness and death coming from Mooar today. George Bogle died at his home near that town at 9:30 o'clock this morning of Bright's disease. The house has been quarantined for several days and continues under that restriction because Joseph, one of his sons, is confined in the home recovering from an attack of scarlet fever.

Mr. Bogle was born at Salem, Ind., April 15, 1857 and came to Iowa many years ago. He has been an employee of the Dupont Powder works at Mooar for twenty-three years, a trusted and reliable workman. He was well known in that vicinity and had many friends who will give tender sympathy to the family in their bereavement and trouble.

The father of the deceased died about thirty-one years ago but the mother, Mrs. Mary M. Bogle is still living and was at the home of her son at the time of his death.

Mr. Bogle is survived by his wife, Mrs. Jennie Bogle, and six children, four boys and two girls.

Arrangements for the funeral have not been made.

CITY NEWS.

—Let us sell you a lap robe. Sherwood—Adv.

—The streets and alleys committee of which T. R. Board is chairman, met today at the Y. W. C. A. following luncheon there. The committee on public health, of which Major Meigs is at the head, will meet this evening in the Industrial Association offices at 7:30 p. m.

—Two live wires hanging down in the street and endangering the lives of pedestrians and horses last night about five o'clock kept the police busy for a while. One was in front of the Hotel Keokuk and the other was in the alley between Exchange and Johnson streets on Eleventh. Both were repaired in a short while.

—County Clerk Bruce Lake has had several men approach him and ask that their names be placed in the list of names for jury service for the next year. However, Mr. Lake is powerless to act in this capacity in that the names are selected by the judges of election and the clerk records them. The names are placed on slips of paper in boxes and drawn when juries are chosen.

—Several more of the lieutenants in the city plan fund campaign have reported to Treasurer Fulton and many more have signified their intention of getting busy and cleaning up their back immediately. The spirit of the lieutenants is very encouraging to the committee.

—John Theodoropoulos, a prominent Greek lawyer of St. Louis, addressed about 125 of the Keokuk Greek colony at Hawkes Hall last night. His topic was on the causes and effects of the Balkan war and was given the close attention of the audience.

—The streets and alleys committee at its meeting this noon decided to ask a conference with the city council sometime in the near future to discuss the work of the committee with the commissioners and to arrange a plan of cooperation with the officials. M. F. Baker was made secretary of the committee.

—In the story in Sunday morning's Gate City about the police recovering a quantity of stolen wire, the place where the wire was recovered by the police was given as the second hand store on Eleventh and Main streets. This has been found to have been a mistake since the story was written, and the place where the wire was found was at the Bower's store on Main street between Ninth and Tenth.

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TWO KILLED BY DYNAMITE

Workmen on New Road Blown Up
While Thawing Explosive in the
Woods Above Sandusky
This Forenoon.

DETAILS ARE UNKNOWN

Just How the Accident Happened
Probably Will Never be Discovered,
as the Foreman Doing
Thawing is Killed.

An accidental explosion of dynamite killed Louis Zenner, foreman and one of his workmen named Tom, and probably fatally injured a third, named Charles Anderson this forenoon above Sandusky.

The men were working on the road intersecting the lake shore drive and Zenner had a fire bucket in the woods over which he began to thaw out the dynamite in a bucket. The explosion followed.

More details probably will never be known, as Zenner, who was a man experienced with dynamite, was doing the thawing and the other men were standing nearby.

Coroner Fred Korachgen will hold an inquest this afternoon.

PERSONALS.

Miss Ella Frank has returned from Fort Madison where she has been the guest of Miss Evelyn Helling for a few days.

Fred G. Glaser, wife, daughter and mother and Mrs. Ed S. Lofton and son Ed S. Jr., composed an auto party who went to Kahoka yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Walters and son Harold of Chicago are guests at the home of S. B. Stahl, 217 North Seventh street.

W. A. Bridgman, local commercial agent of the Wabash, returned this morning from St. Louis where he spent Sunday.

H. Cresap of Ottumwa is a Keokuk visitor today.

T. G. Hamilton and O. E. Hoskins of Creston are in the city.

Charles Clapper of Ames is visiting in Keokuk.

GOMPERTS HANDS IN HIS PREFERENCE

Wishes Lennon and O'Connell to be
Members of Industrial
Commission.

[United Press Leased Wire Service.] WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—The names of John C. Lennon, treasurer of the American Federation of Labor, and James O'Connell, first vice president, were submitted to President Taft by Samuel Gompers, president and Frank Morrison, secretary of the American Federation of Labor, as suggested labor members of the new industrial commission. John Mitchell of the United Mine Workers, who conferred with President Taft Friday, is believed to be President Taft's choice for the third member.

The nine members of the commission, three chosen by labor, three by employers and three by the president, will be named this week.

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Mrs. Nevada Briggs, the baking expert, says:

"There is just one way to make your cakes rise high and evenly—give them time to rise before a crust is formed and the batter is stiffened by cooking."

"If using a gas, gasoline or oil stove, light your oven when you put the cake in and keep the flame low until the cake has doubled in bulk; then increase the heat until it is evenly browned and will respond to the pressure of the finger. If using a coal or wood range, leave the oven door open until the cake is in; then turn on the drafts and by the time the oven is at baking temperature, the cake will have raised sufficiently."

For rich, moist, feathery cakes Mrs. Briggs always recommends

KG BAKING POWDER

It is double acting and sustains the raise. You can open and close the oven door, turn the tin around in the oven or do anything else necessary, without any danger of making the cake fall.

Try your favorite cake next time with K C Baking Powder and see