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METHODIST CHURCH WILL BE DEDICATED SUNDAY, APRIL 20

Dedication Services will Extend Through One Week--
Pipe Organ Recital

Dedication services for the newly remodelled Methodist church will begin a week from tomorrow, with the morning service and continue through a period of one week. The dedication services proper will be held April 20th. The church is finished throughout and has been in use since the first Sunday in March, although at that time the basement was not quite complete. Bishop Shepard of Kansas City will deliver the dedicatory sermon, and will be here both morning and evening.

The program for the week as outlined at present is as follows.

SUNDAY, APRIL 20

Bishop W. O. Shepard of Kansas City will deliver the morning and evening sermon. Special music will be arranged for.

MONDAY

An evening of original productions. Chanut musicians will furnish a portion of the evening's entertainment and several original poems will be read. Among them are poems by J. M. Cavaness, Karl Jones and Esther Clark. Guy Gardner will play a clarinet solo, one of Thurston Lieurance's own compositions. Miss Elith Bideau, vocal solo, Mrs. Olive Buchanan, pipe organ, Miss Elizabeth Klein, organ. T. A. Jeffers, solo, the Methodist Male Quartette.

TUESDAY

Pipe organ recital in evening by Edward Kreiser of Kansas City.

WEDNESDAY

Short addresses on "Christian Fraternity" by the pastors of the various churches of the city. Followed by a reception in the church parlors by the official board.

THURSDAY

Lecture, "Civic Righteousness," Ex-Governor St. Johns.

FRIDAY

Addresses, "Christian Education" by J. H. Hill, President of the Emporia Normal and W. F. A. Slight of Baldwin.

SUNDAY

Bishop McIntyre of Oklahoma City will deliver the morning sermon, Professor G. F. Ream of Baldwin, the evening address, and Rev. C. W. Odum of Cherryvale will address the Epworth League.

CONCERT A SUCCESS

Miss Theodora Arlander and her brother Lawrence Arlander delighted an audience that filled the Swedish Baptist Monday, with their concert. Miss Arlander is a gifted musician, being not only a pianist but also possesses a pleasing soprano voice. Mr. Arlander plays the cornet and violin and sings well in a baritone voice.

The program consisted of piano solos, cornet and violin selections and vocal solos by Miss Arlander and Mr. Arlander. The two are starting on a weeks tour and will give six concerts during the time.

SEWER ORDINANCE PASSED

The ordinance relating to the apportioning of the cost of four sewers, were passed at Friday's meeting of the Commission. Three of the sewers are in the first ward and one in second. All connect to the Main Sewer finished in January. All four of the sewers are completed.

H. P. Campbell has taken the position of manager for the Dunning Drug company.

THE NEW JAIL FOR WOMEN PRISONERS

Will Have Some Conveniences
—Work to Commence
Immediately.

George Copley, the contractor, who secured the contract to build, or rather to remodel, the city jail so that there will be quarters for female prisoners is nearly ready to commence work on same. He is waiting for some material which had to be purchased from Kansas City and on its arrival will put the work under way, expecting to be in the thick of it by the first of next week.

The old jail is twenty by thirty feet and its furniture consists of an iron cage with a few old mattresses, beds, and stove. The quarters for women prisoners will have a few conveniences added to the necessities. The room will be the same size as the one on the ground floor. The walls will be of brick and the floor of reinforced concrete. A coat of hard finished plaster will add to the warmth and appearance of the room. Lavatories and a comfortable bed are included in the furniture of the room and add a civilizing touch.

A plan of partitioning off one end of the room and making it a "strong room" for violent or mentally affected prisoners, is on foot. This would be more sightly and equally effective with the iron cage which would otherwise probably be built.

Country Roads Decided On

The board of county commissioners, composed of B. B. Fitzsimmons of St. Paul, Fred Alexander of Chanute and R. A. Butler of Centerville township, adjourned late Thursday evening after a full four day's session. During this time a greater portion of the time was taken up in a study of the country roads. As originally planned several months ago seemed unsatisfactory to a certain extent, and the commissioners were confronted with many protests. Just before adjourning the board decided that the road as originally located was alright with two exceptions. The road running straight into Erie from the south was changed to run one mile west and the road that originally equally divided between Stark and Kimball was changed so that the road runs straight into Stark.

L. Russell et al. presented a petition for a bridge to be constructed on the north county line between Neosho and Allen counties. The commissioners had too many other troubles this month so the petition was passed up for future consideration.

R. N. Allen was appointed superintendent of the Allen levee in Lincoln township.

FELL AND BROKE HER HIP

Grandma Moore, mother of Mrs. John Wells of this city is reported to have fallen and broken her hip last Wednesday. Mrs. Moore had a bad fall about a year ago and at that time sustained severe injuries. Mrs. Moore is now living at Rest although she made her home in Chanute for some years.

A GOOD OIL WELL

An oil well that is reported as a forty or fifty barrel producer was shot for G. W. Johnson, four miles south west of town Saturday. Twenty seven feet of oil sand was found. The gas sand was drilled through several feet above the oil strata.

The correct treatment for scalds, burns, cuts, wounds, sores, lumbago, rheumatism or neuralgia is BAL-LARD'S SNOW LINIMENT. It is healing, penetrating and antiseptic which is every thing that is needed to effect a complete cure. Price 25c, 50c and \$1 per bottle. Sold by D. B. Hickey.

Emil Switzer Dragged Under Disc Plow Suffers Terrible Injuries

One of the most horrible accidents that occurring lately in the vicinity of Chanute happened to Emil Switzer, working for R. L. Frissey two miles southeast of Vilas Thursday afternoon between four and five o'clock when his team hitched to a disc plow became frightened and ran away, dragging Switzer under the plow and injuring him terribly. Great gashes were cut in his head, his body is a mass of bruises and when he was found most of the clothes had been torn from his body.

The loss of blood was tremendous and his condition is critical.

The gashes on his head and face are long and deep, the skull being laid open at more than one point. Not a part of his face escaped the disc. The plow was a riding disc and when the horses commenced running he was dragged over the front of the plow almost under the horses heels. Mr. Switzer is about twenty six years of age.

The accident caused considerable excitement in the neighborhood of Vilas and as a result four physicians and two nurses were summoned from this place. The call led to a rumor on the street that a railroad wreck had occurred.

GAS RESERVOIR MATTER DROPPED

City Engineer Pratt, at Friday afternoon's meeting of the City Commission, presented the plans and specifications of a Phillips' oil firm for containing a reserve supply of gas. The firm offered to supply the gas to get in a number of tanks with tanks who made a specialty of manufacturing gas reservoirs and goods in that line. The firm submitted two propositions to reply the inquiry. One was for a large gas reservoir of the telescopic variety of four parts, cost \$77,000. The other was for a cylindrical tank which would hold five hundred thousand feet of gas at a pressure of fifteen pounds, which would be practically a million feet at the distributing point on a basis from four to eight ounces cost \$40,500. The amount of money required was so much to be spent to do anything with the matter at present. Commissioner Johnson said that inasmuch as the source of gas was not settled, or whether there would be a sufficient amount of gas to justify the spending of that amount of money. The matter would, in his opinion, be best dropped completely for the present at least.

COPELY WILL BUILD THE JAIL

E. E. Long and George Copley were the only two contractors who bid on the building of the new jail. Mr. Copley filed his bid at \$875. Mr. Long at \$995, and both came under the engineer's estimate as it was an even \$1000. Mr. Copley's bid being the lowest he will be given the contract after the necessary formalities have been arranged.

PAINS IN THE STOMACH

If you continually complain of pains in your stomach, your liver or your kidneys are out of order. Neglect may lead to dropsy, kidney trouble, diabetes or Bright's disease. Thousands recommend Electric Bitters as the very best stomach and kidney medicine made. H. T. Alston, of Raleigh, N. C., who suffered with pain in the stomach and back, writes: "My kidneys were deranged and my liver did not work right. I suffered much, but Electric Bitters was recommended and I improved from the first dose. I now feel like a new man." It will improve you, too. Only 50c and \$1. Recommended by All Druggists.

Inspect County Road

The Board of County Commissioners Fred Alexander, R. A. Butler and B. B. Fitzsimmons traveled the county road from Shaw to Erie by motor Tuesday to inspect them and ascertain the necessary repairs to be made and the culverts that are needed.

G. T. Every went to Parsons Sunday attended the funeral of his brother-in-law Thomas Graham. Interment was made at Labett.

COUGHS AND CONSUMPTION

Coughs and colds, when neglected, always lead to serious trouble of the lungs. The wisest thing to do when you have a cold that troubles you is to get a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery. You will get relief from the first dose, and finally the cough will disappear. O. B. Brown, of Muscadine, Ala., writes: "My wife was down in bed with an obstinate cough, and I honestly believe had it not been for Dr. King's New Discovery, she would not be living to-day." Known for forty-three years as the best remedy for coughs and colds. Price 50c and \$1. Recommended by All Druggists.

RECEIPTS DOUBLE THE DISBURSEMENTS

Quarterly Report of City Clerk Amyx Shows \$103,755.06 Receipts and \$51,974.05 Expended.

The quarterly report for the three months from January 1 to March 31 according to the figures of City Clerk Amyx is a good one, and shows that at the end of the first year of Commission form of government the financial affairs of the city were in excellent condition.

A large amount of money was received from the County Treasurer as the share of taxes paid. Gas bills have been heavy and have brought considerable money into the city treasury. In a total of \$103,755.06 have been received. The largest items of expense and disbursement have been for gas purchased and paying off bonds, as well as salary labor and material. The year ended with the bank balance standing at \$66,857.59.

SPECIAL TRAIN FOR LITERARY CONTEST

The High School Faculty have made arrangements with the Katy for a special train service from Parsons Friday evening for the literary contest that will be held there that evening. The new train service of the Katy on this part of the division enables the crowd to go down at 6:45 on the regular train. That puts them into Parsons at a quarter of eight. There will be two coaches which will be attached to the regular freight train and will leave Parsons shortly after the contest, so that there will be no necessity of staying over night. The high school hopes that there will be many outsiders take advantage of this special train service to attend the contest.

The contest is an annual affair and one in which Chanute, has heretofore carried off the honors. There will be contests in music, declamation, essay and debate.

NOW IS THE TIME TO GET MARRIED

After May 1st a physician's certificate plays an important part in the marriage line.

The first day of May the new law requiring people who desire to marry to present a physician's certificate to the probate judge before he can issue a marriage license, will go into effect. Those contemplating marriage can save themselves considerable inconvenience, not to mention expense of course, by getting their marriage licenses this month rather than after May 1st, June brides are as a rule numerous; this year April might be a good month, on account of the physician's certificate.

HALF A HUNDRED WITNESSES ON HAND

The case of Tom Scantlin of Stark charged with disorderly conduct and the use of abusive language came up before Justice Locke of Erie Monday. The case was an unusual one for a justice court from the stand point of witnesses. The defendant had subpoenaed forty three witnesses and the state six. The case was disposed of in short order and there was little use for the witnesses. The judge decided that Scantlin was to go free as the evidence submitted had not showed where the offense was committed, whether in Neosho or Allen county or some place else.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Sechrist of St. Joe, Mo., are in town for a few days. They will move here shortly and live at 620 West Main street. Mr. Sechrist is the senior member of the firm of Sechrist & Caylor, that recently purchased The Manhattan.

Sarah Mildred Wilmer Here May 15

A Sixth Number Added to Lecture Course--Will Interpret the Drama.

The Lecture Course Association has been able to secure Miss Wilmer for the evening of May 15th, as the sixth number of the years lecture course. It was originally the plan of the association to have five numbers and then a surprise number was arranged for. However, Miss Wilmer had to break her engagement which was scheduled this winter on account of poor health and the "surprise number" filled in for her entertainment. Since then the Association has made arrangements with her whereby she will fill her contract on May 15th. Miss Wilmer is known as one of the greatest interpreters sent out by the Lyceum, and her entertainment is expected to be one of the best, if not the best of the whole course.

She will appear at The Hetrick. The extra number is presented for the season's patrons without extra expenses to them except for the reservation of seats. The usual plan will be followed for the rest.

JIM JOHNSON WEDS ERIE GIRL

James Johnson, who formerly lived in Chanute but is now of Erie, was married Sunday night at nine o'clock at the Presbyterian parsonage at Erie to Miss Ada Kyle also of Erie. Only the ministers' family was present, as none of the young couple's friends were aware that the wedding was to take place Sunday evening.

Mr. Johnson and his bride are making their home for the present with the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Kyle until they can complete arrangements for going to house keeping.

Mr. Johnson is well known in Chanute and has many friends here. Miss Kyle is also known to a number of persons in Chanute as she has visited here a few times.

BROKE THIGH BONE

Robyn Carter, the seven year old daughter of Arthur Carter broke her thigh bone late Saturday evening but is now resting well and is getting along nicely. Mr. Carter is employed at the City office and was driving home about six o'clock Saturday evening. Robyn saw him coming and ran to meet him. She could not stop before reaching the buggy, and Mr. Carter was unable to stop his horse before she crashed into the wheel.

CHANUTE GIRLS HIKE

The Hikers club or at least three of its members hiked to Petrolia Sunday. They left Chanute at eight twenty and arrived in Petrolia one hour and forty-five minutes later. They inspected the scenery and the landscape in general until the Katy noon train came through Petrolia, when they left for Humboldt, and returned to Chanute on the six forty five in the evening. The girls have a number of good snap shots of various places of interest along their way. Those in the party were Pansy Nesbitt, Grace Johnson and Edith Asdel.

Easy Enough Said

Betty's uncle, a school teacher, met her on the street one day and asked her if she were going to a party.

"No, I ain't goin'."
"Oh, you must not say 'I ain't goin'.' You must say 'I am not going.'" and he proceeded to give her a lesson in grammar. "I am not going. You are not going. He is not going. We are not going. You are not going. They are not going. Now, can you say all that?"
"Sure, there ain't nobody goin'."