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CLARK DENOUNCES PRIMARY SYSTEM

IOWA LEGISLATURE HEARS DISCUSSION OF BILLS TO COME

RETIRING GOVERNOR'S FINAL MESSAGE PRESENTS VIEWS ON EVERY SUBJECT

URGES VARIOUS REFORMS

SAYS CONVENTION FORM BEATS NON-PARTISAN SELECTION FOR JUDICIAL OFFICES

FAVORS BONDED ROADS

Capitol Extension Plans Should Not be Altered He Says. Favors Immediate Action to Control Tubercular Situation Among Cattle.

(Special to the Daily Iowan Des Moines, Jan. 9.—Governor George W. Clarke in his final message to the Iowa legislature yesterday afternoon outlined a wide scope of problems which he urged should be solved during the present session. The message covered some fifteen thousand words and treated every subject proposed for legislation with exacting thoroughness.

He made a sweeping denunciation of the direct primary as applied to state and legislative offices, characterized the presidential primary as a farce, lambasted the non-partisan selection of judges and urged that the state go back to the old convention system. He left standing but one small angle of the primary system, advocating the selection of township officers and delegates through its principles.

Primary Excludes Best Men

The governor argued that the primary tends to exclude the best, most unselfish and capable men from seeking public office, both because of the expense necessary to wage such a campaign and the methods required for success. He also asserted that it has a tendency towards the disruption of parties and the development of the demagogue.

Among the other recommendations which Governor Clarke made are:

The issuance of serial bonds by counties, anticipating revenues for a brief period of years for a comprehensive program of road construction.

Federal Aid for Roads

Legislative acceptance of federal aid for road building. The retention of the highway commission and a practicable plan of road improvement covering a period of five years.

Retention of the present insurance rating law. Giving the insurance department jurisdiction over companies in process of promotion. Consolidation of the office of fire marshal with the department of insurance.

Reduction of the membership of the house and senate by one-half.

County Business Manager

The creation of the office of business manager of county affairs.

That the office of railroad commissioner be made appointive.

The perfection of a budget system for estimating the ex-

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LARGE PRIZE FAILS TO INTEREST SONG WRITERS

Song writers are evidently not numerous in Iowa.

The contest conducted by the Chicago alumni of the University to obtain a suitable University song will end Feb. 1, with the committee disappointed in the number submitted. They had hoped to get a hundred or more from which to choose. There will probably be less than a third of that number.

The prize of \$250 was considered to be sufficient to bring professional song writers as well as amateurs into the contest. But they have made few entries. Many amateurs offered songs on the state of Iowa, but these were returned because a song that would be to the University what "On Wisconsin" is to Wisconsin was wanted. The president of the University has received the songs entered.

HINKLEY SUCCEEDS PLACE AS HAWKEYE BUSINESS MANAGER

WILL BEGIN AT ONCE IN POSITION FORFEITED BY HAROLD PLACE

Marasco Will be Relieved for Editorial Work—University Board of Publications to Oversee Editorial Preparation and Management of Funds

Horace C. Hinkley of Keokuk, formerly liberal arts editor of the Hawkeye, has been appointed to the post of business manager of that publication by Frank Marasco, the editor-in-chief. Mr. Hinkley will assume charge of the advertising and all business matters at once. He succeeds Harold C. Place, who forfeited the position when he left school last year.

The appointment of Mr. Hinkley to the office was approved by the University board of student publications, after a recommendation by editor-in-chief Marasco, who found the pressure of business too great to be handled without assistance. Melville Miller, who has been performing the duties of business manager, has been compelled to give up the work on account of lack of time.

The University board has also completed arrangements with Mr. Marasco whereby it will oversee the editorial preparation and the management of all the funds of the Hawkeye. Prof. H. F. Goodrich of the law college, a member of the committee, has been selected to check up the financial affairs of the annual. He will hold its funds in trust and all vouchers for the payment of money will be drawn upon him. It is hoped that by this arrangement a repetition of last year's situation will be prevented, inasmuch as it will be impossible to divert the funds of the Hawkeye for other uses.

ENTERTAINS WOMEN ATHLETES

Ruth Horton entertained the members of the I. W. A. A. and the gymnasium instructors at an informal dinner at her home at 108 N. Johnson street Monday evening. Carnations and narcissus were used as table decorations. Conundrums provided the evenings entertainment.

TEACHERS SUPPLIED FOR NEXT SEMESTER

RECOMMENDATION COMMITTEE REPORTS POSITIONS WHICH HAVE BEEN FILLED

The committee on recommendations of the department of education reports the following positions as being filled for the second semester: Joanna Kyle, instructor in history in the high school at Eagle Grove; Viola McClurkin, instructor in history and Latin in the high school at Anthon; Orpha Van Ness, instructor in science in Ellsworth college at Iowa Falls; Katherine Buxbam, instructor in English in the Ft. Dodge high school; Addie Harris, instructor in science at Cole Harbor, N. D.; Gabin Norgang, principal of the high school at Tipton; Alma McCormick, instructor in home economics at Moulton; Laura Jones, instructor in English and domestic science at Olin; O. E. Smith, principal of the high school at Bison, S. D.; Lillian Waite, instructor in mathematics in the high school at Oklahoma City; Le Grande Byington, instructor in English and physics in the high school at Independence.

The outcome of elections for several important positions in which the committee hopes to locate some of its candidates for the second semester has not yet been heard.

WILD FLOWERS BLOOM IN IOWA EACH MONTH

AND IN 1879, TWENTY SPECIES WERE PICKED DURING FEBRUARY

To find a dandelion every month of the year is no strange occurrence, according to Prof. B. Shimek. He declares that the year of 1914 he found this little flower blooming, even in December, January, and February, when one would least expect to find it.

Last month and the month before the yellow flowers were seen in full bloom, not only above the steam pipes leading from the different buildings of the campus, but in unprotected yards, and Professor Shimek says confidently that he expects to find some this month.

But this is not the most extraordinary story of Iowa temperature that the botanist can tell. On February 19, 1879, he gathered twenty species of common wild flowers in the woods, and on May 21, two years later, there was ice on the sidewalks.

William McNichols of Marshalltown is visiting at the Sigma Chi house.

SPECIAL SUBSCRIPTION OFFER

As a special inducement to Daily Iowan is offered for the prospective subscribers, The remainder of the year for \$1.25, the regular price for one semester, with the special exclusive service purchased to give all the news of the Iowa legislature which has just convened. All subscriptions will receive immediate attention.

NEW PRIZE GIVEN NEXT YEAR TO BEST ORATOR

The Forensic council announces that beginning with the contest next year President Jessup will offer a prize of \$25 to the winner of the first place in the University Oratorical contest. This winner is entitled to represent the University in the held annually in May. The prize will be known as the Jessup prize in oratory.

NEW CLASS TO BEGIN

A new class has been arranged for women who are interested in physical education. It is a course in the methods of teaching and of theory. The first class will start Wednesday, Jan. 10, at 10 o'clock.

The Newman club will hold a special meeting tonight at 7:30 in the K. of C. hall.

MEN IN TRENCHES ALWAYS CHEERFUL SAYS CAPT. BEITH

THEY GRUMBLE AT LITTLE THINGS BUT NOT AT BIG ONES

Captain Beith Gives Details of Trench Life to Large Audience in Auditorium Last Night—Says Men Take War As A Game

"The outstanding characteristic of the men who make up the new armies of France and England is cheerfulness," said Captain Beith of the Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders, speaking before a large audience in the natural science auditorium last night on "The Human Side of Trench Warfare." "Of course they grumble, All of us do, because we like to. But they grumble about the little things and not about the big ones. They seem to regard war as a sort of game, and go into battle with an air of frivolity which must be disconcerting to the Germans, who take war very seriously."

Captain Beith described the difficulties of devising machinery on the spur of the moment, when war broke out, for equipping and organizing the thousands of men who were anxious to enlist. Eight months of training, he said, preceded actual service.

With the first 100,000 men of the new armies, Captain Beith reached France in May, 1915. It gave the men a new feeling to depend on the army machines for all supplies. Supplies were carried under difficulties, and all imported from England. "But no matter how dark the night, how bad the roads, or how severe the shell fire," said Captain Beith, "the supplies always arrived."

The half hour before dawn is considered the most dangerous part of the day in the trenches, and the men always stand at arms. After day-break spade-work begins. Trenches must be repaired, new ones dug, and the dead buried. In the afternoons the men rest, when not interrupted by shell fire, and at dusk stand at arms again. "Na Man's Land," between enemy trenches, is illuminated all night by star shells. During the night first aid is given to the injured, supplies brought up, and preparations are made for the next

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BANNICK STARS AS CORNELL IS BEATEN 28 TO 13

HAWKEYES GET SCARE FOR MOMENT IN SECOND HALF WHEN SCORE IS CLOSE

Iowa Team Play Shows Up Best of Year—Captain Bannick Scores Eight Goals From Field, Six of Them in First Half—Kent Uses Subs.

After Cornell had come within two points of tying the score in the second half of the basketball game last evening, Iowa tossed in basket after basket while holding the Methodists scoreless and at the end of the game had the contest well in hand by a score of 28 to 13. The game was the fastest that has been furnished on the home bill this season, the first half ending 15 to 10 in favor of the Hawkeys.

Captain Bannick's work at forward was the sensation of the evening. With the exception of a basket and a free throw by Von Lackum in the first half he scored every one of the points made by the team, throwing in six field goals from every part of the floor. He was equally sure on long and short shots and the applause which he won from the crowd was well merited, for every man on the Cornell team was watching him.

Laun started the game at left forward, but was succeeded by Berrien and Beyer, both of whom seemed fit into the five better than the ex-football captain, whose work was a little disappointing. Bannick and Schiff played their positions throughout, but Olsen got into the game for Dutton at center and Jenkins was substituted for Von Lackum in time to grab off two baskets before the end of the game.

Iowa showed the best team play that has been exhibited on the home floor this season. The second half came for a time a rough and tumble affair, but in spite of the fact that Cornell presented a bigger and heavier team than the Hawkeys, Kent's bit more.

Kepler and Byerly put up the best exhibition for the Finger tribe, Kepler getting three of the five field goals made by his team. Captain Grigsby, who played the second half, failed to score.

Lineup and summary: Iowa (28)—Bannick rf., Laun lf., Dutton c., Von Lackum rg., Schiff lg., Cornell (13)—Lemon lg., Bowen rg., Kepler c., Byerly lf., Hoadly rf.

Substitutions:—Berrien for Laun, Beyer for Berrien, Olsen for Dutton, Jenkins for Von Lackum, Sanderson for Lemon, Walker for Byerly, Grigsby for Hoadly.

Goals from field:—Bannick 8, Kepler 3, Jenkins 2, Beyer, Dutton, Von Lackum, Lemon, Byerly.

Goals from foul:—Von Lackum 2 out of 4; Byerly 2 out of 5; Kepler 1 out of 2; Bannick 0 out of 1.

Referee, MacEachron of Grinnell.

The lecture which was to have been given last night in the liberal arts building by Mr. Williamson on "Jane Adams and Hull House" has been postponed until next Tuesday night.

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SLUSH! SLUSH! SLUSH!

Even the professors of the University seem to have disregarded the idea which the Daily Iowan set forth early in the week that they help the busy janitors with their physical labors and clean off the walks about the University grounds and buildings.

That the sidewalks about the University be allowed to remain in the condition which they are now to be found is a disgrace to the institution and certainly does not speak well for the person whose duty it is to attend to this part of the University labor. There may have been some excuse for not cleaning the walks while the weather was cold and they were covered with ice, but now that the ice has melted into slush there is no reason why it should not be cleaned off before freezing once more.

The University walks are not the only ones which have not been cleaned, for those of Iowa City are equally as bad. Someone might well suggest to the kindly old mayor—who is too kind to hurt the feelings of any of the people of his city—that he order property owners to clean their walks immediately. If they fail to do this he has the power to hire men to do the work and charge the labor to the owners of the property. Let's hope that the slush and snow will be removed before the sun and wind has dried them in the spring.

PLAN BIG DENTAL CLINIC AND EXHIBIT FOR MARCH

A dentistry clinic and meeting of the dental college alumni association will be held in Iowa City, Mich. 7 and 8, Plans are on foot to bring several men of prominence in dentistry here to appear on the program. Complete arrangements have not yet been made.

In conjunction with the clinic, manufacturers will give an extensive exhibit of dental supplies and equipment.

ORATIONS MUST BE FILED

Candidates for the University Oratorical contest scheduled for Feb. 15 should note that copies of their orations must be filed at Prof. G. N. Merry's office, natural science building 201 A, by 4:30 Monday, Feb. 1. Professor Merry wishes all interested in this contest to consult with him or with some member of the Forensic council. Calendars of forensic events may be received from his office.

ZOOLOGY CLUB TO MEET

The Zoology club will meet today at 4:30 in room 19 of the natural science building. Prof. H. F. Wickham will read a paper.

TELLS HOW TO HELP THE CHILDREN PLAY

REPORT OF INVESTIGATION SHOWS URGENT NEEDS BOTH IN AND OUT OF HOME

Miss Bessie McClenahan with the members of the civic department of the Woman's Club of Davenport has recently completed a summary of a series of investigations concerning the recreation of the children of that city.

The data for the first report which was taken on the basis of the child in the home shows the following needs to be most urgent: further study of the individual homes and the recognition by each mother of the importance of her problem in the home; knowledge of what boys and girls are doing and their attitude; a friendly spirit; the greater direction and supervision on the part of the parents; greater play spirit or the sharing of the parents with their children in their play because it makes the child's enjoyment keener, keeps the family feeling closer, keeps the parents younger, and develops the right kind of play spirit.

The second report, based on the child outside the home contains these suggestions: development of home recreation; development of family loyalty; investigation of the outside recreation as offered by the community; further study and service by the committee of censorship in that city; an entire city survey with recreation as a part.

WHAT MEN LIVE BY

There Will Appear in This Column from Day to Day, Quotations from Modern Writers and Speakers, Letters from Alumni and Friends of the University, and Statistics Relative to Men and Institutions:

Dr. George L. Meylan's study of Columbia students showed that the smokers had distinctly poorer scholarship. His results have been tabulated thus:

First percentage marks, Second percentage marks, Third percentage marks.

223 students, 90 per cent, 66 per cent, 7 per cent. 115 smokers 89 per cent, 62 per cent, 10 per cent. 108 non-smokers 91 per cent, 69 per cent, 4 per cent.

Dr. Edward Hitchcock, of Amherst college, says of Amherst students: "In separating the smokers from the non-smokers, it appears that in the item of weight the non-smokers have increased 24 per cent more than the smokers; in growth in height they have surpassed them 37 per cent, and in chest girth 42 per cent. In lung capacity there is a difference of 8.36 cubic inches (this is about 75 per cent) in favor of the non-smokers."

DOCTORS TRY TO EXPLAIN SCARCITY OF THE GRIPPE

Cases of grippe this year are not as numerous as they were a year ago. Doctors in the medical college are uncertain as to the reason for the difference. They think the fact that so many people suffered last year may account for the scarcity this year.

Until last year there had been a real epidemic of grippe since 1888 and 1889. When the germ came this last time, therefore, it found few persons who had been immunized by past experience. This year it found a different situation.

WRITES FOR YALE BULLETIN

"The Dangerous Instrument Doctrine" is the title of an article in the current issue of the Yale Law Journal, prepared by Prof. H. C. Horack of the Iowa law school.

DR. BOSE WRITES ON HELEN KELLER

Dr. Sudhindra Bose, assistant in the political science department, had an article on "The Great Miracle of Our Age—Helen Keller" published in the December number of the Modern Review. In this article Dr. Bose, speaking of Helen Keller as the greatest miracle of our age, says: "The mention of her varied activities shows that, though she is imprisoned in darkness and silence, she lives in a world which is vat and is full of idealism, beauty and grandeur. She is a tireless worker for better education among the deaf and blind."

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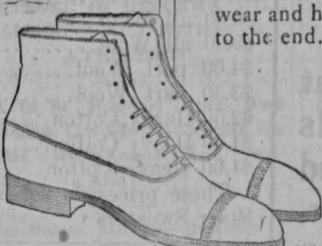
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DOG POSSIBLY MAD IS STILL AT LARGE

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The small black and white dog of uncertain ancestry which was shipped to the University medical school to be tested for rabies and which regained its freedom when the bottom dropped out of the box in which it was confined in the express office, is still at large.

A report came to headquarters Tuesday that a dog answering to the description of the animal had been run over and killed, but further investigation revealed that it was another, perhaps a distant relative.

The innocent and presumably puzzled dog is yet, so far as is known, roaming the streets of a strange, new city, wishing he could live again those blissful days before his playful disposition aroused the suspicions of the authorities as to his sanity.

PROF. STEWART HONORED

Prof. G. W. Stewart was elected secretary of section B of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, at its recent meeting held in New York. Section B is the one devoted to physics.

SEASHORE MAKING MUSICAL TESTS IN CHARLES CITY

Dr. Carl E. Seashore of the department of psychology left yesterday afternoon for Charles City to conduct experiments in the musical abilities of children in the seventh and eighth grades of the public schools.

He was accompanied by Mrs. Esther A. Gaw and Miss Marie M. Agnew.

Specially constructed apparatus designed to test the pupils in rhythm, pitch discrimination, consonance, hearing ability, tonal memory, and tonal imagery was taken along. The tests will extend over three days.

PI PHI PLEDGES INTERTAIN

The pledges of Pi Beta Phi will entertain the active members at an informal dinner at the Hotel Jefferson Monday evening, Jan. 15.

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Mrs. C. R. Aurner of the English department returned to her work Monday morning.

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FIRST ORCHESTRA CONCERT MARCH 1

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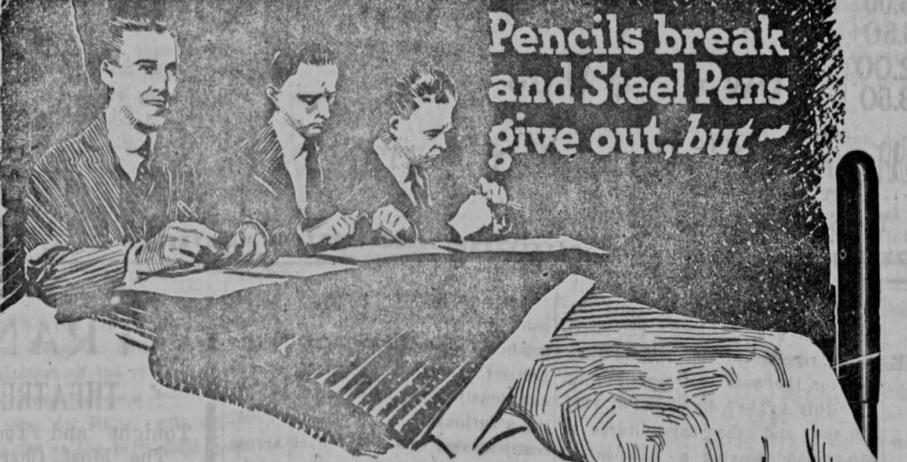
The University orchestra will give its first concert of the season on the evening of March 1, according to Conductor O. E. Van Doren. The concert has every promise of being an excellent one, he says, owing to the superiority of the orchestra over those of other years.

Miss Cooper, soprano, and Miss Myrtle Wood, pianist, of the music school, will also contribute to the program, which, however, has not been made out in full. Miss Cooper will give some selections from grand opera, and Miss Wood will favor with a piano solo with orchestra accompaniment, a feature which is seldom attempted by the most capable artists. The selection will be "Concertstueck," concerto in F minor, by Weber.

The concert will be given in the natural science auditorium. A small admission will be charged.

LIBRARIANS TO MEET

The regular meeting of city and University librarians will be held Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. T. L. Hazard with Miss Grace Wormer, the assistant catalog librarian.



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War has sent the price of goods sky high. Merchandise is constantly advancing in price. Our established custom of Clearing Out one season's goods to make room for the next, and giving you new and clean merchandise every season. We all know merchandise will be higher next Fall and we would be money ahead to carry our winter goods over. Make our loss your gain.

- Men's Underwear**
- \$4.00 Union Suits All Wool.....\$3.35
 - \$3.00 Union Suits All Wool.....\$2.35
 - \$2.50 Union Suits Part Wool.....\$1.75
 - \$2.00 Union Suits Heavy Cotton.....\$1.45
 - \$1.50 Union Suits Heavy Cotton.....\$1.25
 - \$1.00 Union Suits Heavy Cotton.....90c

- Men's Gloves & Mittens**
- \$5.00 Mocha Fur Lined..\$4.15
 - \$3.00 Kid Sheep Lined..\$2.25
 - \$2.00 Glazed Kid.....\$1.75
 - \$1.50 Heavy Cape-Mocha..\$1.25
 - \$1.25 Mocha or Cape....95c

- Bath Robes**
- \$7.00 Beacon Blanket...\$5.50
 - \$6.00 Beacon Blanket...\$4.50
 - \$5.00 Beacon Blanket...\$4.00
 - \$4.00 Beacon Blanket...\$3.00

- Men's Hosiery**
- Kayser \$1.00 pure Silk...85c
 - 50c pure Silk.....45c
 - 25c Lisle.....20c
 - 15c Cotton Hosiery.....12c

- Neckwear**
- All 25c Ties.....20c
 - All 50c Ties.....40c
 - All \$1.00 Ties.....85c
 - All \$1.50 Ties.....\$1.15

CLOSING OUT

Men's and Young Men's Fall and Winter Goods at prices never before equaled. Woolen piece goods has doubled in price; trimmings have advanced from 50 to 75 per cent. They are going higher. Are you going to buy that suit or overcoat now at a price below normal or are you going to wait and be forced to pay 50 per cent above normal later on and get not better quality for your money.

SALE NOW ON	Suits and Overcoats	SALE NOW ON	
	\$27.50 Now		\$21.50
	30.00 } Now		\$18.50
	\$22.50 } Now		\$15.50
	25.00 } Now		\$12.50
	\$18.00 } Now		
	20.00 } Now		
	\$15.00 } Now		
	16.50 } Now		
	\$12.00 } Now		
	13.50 } Now		

Bloom-Mayer Clothing Company
The Store of Personal Service

- Men's Sweaters**
- \$7.00 all Wool.....\$5.50
 - \$6.00 all Wool.....\$4.65
 - \$5.00 all Wool.....\$3.95
 - \$4.00 part Wool.....\$2.95
 - \$3.50 part Wool.....\$2.65
 - \$2.50 Heavy Cotton.....\$1.95
 - \$1.50 Heavy Cotton.....\$1.25
 - \$1.00 Heavy Cotton.....85c
- These prices do not include Starr Sweaters

- Shirts**
- \$5.00 Pure Silk.....\$3.95
 - \$4.00 Silk Cloth.....\$2.95
 - \$3.50 Silk Cloth.....\$2.65
 - \$3.00 Silk Cloth & Flannel \$2.35
 - \$2.50 Flannel.....\$1.85
 - \$2.00 Dress and Flannel..\$1.65
 - \$1.50 Dress and Flannel..\$1.25
 - \$1.00 Dress and Flannel..85c

- Hats**
- \$3.50 Soft or Stiff Hats..\$2.65
 - \$3.00 Soft or Stiff Hats..\$2.15
 - \$2.50 Soft or Stiff Hats..\$1.65
 - Special Lot \$3 and \$3.50..\$1.95

- Caps**
- Fur Caps, \$6.50 Kind...\$5.00
 - Fur Caps, \$5.00 kind...\$4.00
 - Fur Caps \$3.50 Kind...\$2.90
 - Fur Caps, \$2.50 Kind...\$1.95
 - Cloth Caps, \$1.50 Kind...\$1.15
 - Cloth Caps, \$1.00 Kind...80c
 - Cloth Caps, 50c Kind...40c

BOOK ON GOVERNMENT WILL HELP TEACHERS

GIVES SUGGESTIONS FOR TEACHING, STATISTIC, AND OUTLINES

A book entitled "The Teaching of Government," which is the product of four years of careful investigation by a committee of the American Political Science association, of which Prof. Frank E. Horack of the State University of Iowa was an active member, has recently appeared from the press of the Macmillan company.

This book presents the subject of government as taught in the secondary schools as well as in the colleges and Universities of the United States. Many helpful suggestions for teachers are given, including an outline for a course in civics for senior high schools and a select bibliography for teachers and school libraries.

In comparing the number and variety of courses in political science offered at the University of Iowa with those offered in other institutions of higher learning in the United States, the tabulated report shows conclusively that the University of Iowa ranks among the leading institutions in the country. The department of political science of this University was among the first to develop a well-organized course in American government.

Dean L. W. Dean, of the college of medicine was in Des Moines Monday on business.

The Zets will have their Hawkeys picture taken Saturday at 1:30 o'clock, at the Newberg studio.

Dr. C. J. Rowan, professor of surgery, returned from Chicago Monday.

IOWA LEGISLATURE HEARS DISCUSSION OF BILLS TO COME

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Amendment of the civil law to provide majority verdicts. Reduction of the time of appeal. Prohibition of interminable latitude in the examination of jurors. Abolishment of the grand jury system.

Governor Clarke expressed the hope that nothing would be done to alter the plans for the Capitol extension tract and that the original plans would be carried out to the letter. He said that interference with the completion of the project as a whole undoubtedly would mar the entire effect as laid out by the architect.

More Capitol Extension

He also urged that a new building be begun in the immediate future for the housing of part of the business overflow from the present capitol building. He called attention to the insecurity of some of the state's property under present conditions and said it was immaterial to him whether the new structure be an office building or a temple of justice for the accommodation of the legal machinery of the state.

Recommendation was made that some immediate action be taken to control the situation with reference to tuberculosis in cattle. Testing of all dairy and pure bred cattle with tuberculin should be adopted, he said, together with partial compensation to owners of all condemned animals and the ownership by the state of all animals so condemned.

With reference to the financial condition of the state for the next two years he estimated the taxable value of all property subject to general levies for state and county purposes at \$957,759,442 and the

amount of moneys and credits returned at \$303,504,592. The estimated receipts of the general revenue for the next two years, beginning July 1, 1917, he placed at \$13,721,400 and the expenditures at \$12,803,600, leaving a balance of \$917,740.

SEEK PRINTING JOBS

Old Fight for Abolishment of Offices May Come up Again This Year

(Special to the Daily Iowan)

Des Moines, Jan. 9.—Four candidates are already in the field for state printer and the same number for state binder, depending upon the action of a republican caucus for selection. The candidates for printer are: George F. Kane, editor of the Anthon Herald; John H. Taylor, New Sharon; W. D. Junkin, Chariton; O. C. Burrows, Belle Plaine. The candidates for binder are: C. K. Needham, Grinnell; Harry Greene, Decorah; D. H. Scott, Des Moines; W. E. Francis, Des Moines.

Legislators look for a repetition of the fight made two years ago for the abolishment of both offices. The terms of the present officials run until 1919.

MEN IN TRENCHES ALWAYS CHEERFUL SAYS CAPT. BEITH

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"The day may begin at any time in the trenches, for there is no beginning and no end. Time is really reckoned there, as elsewhere, by meal times." Each night rations consisting of meat, bread, sugar, tea, tinned vegetables, cheese, and jam, given out for the next day, and the men may cook them as they like and eat them in order to suit themselves.

Leave of absence always seems to come just when all hope of ever seeing home again is given up. Captain Beith told how the private would caustiously pinch himself when getting a furlough, and finding himself really awake, would plod back across ten miles of unknown country in the darkness to a railway station, make an anxious journey home, with everyone friendly and wanting to help him, and finally, just reaching home, a happy warrior if there ever was one, the captain left him.

Nell Baird and Irene Ritter will be hostesses at the Y. W. C. A. tea Wednesday afternoon.

Pi Beta Phi announces the pledging of Rosalie Martin of Mason City.

STRAND THEATRE

Tonight and Tomorrow The Most Charming Actress in Movies DOROTHY GISH in Triangle Play "Atta Boy's Last Race"

Sunday: Douglas Fairbanks

SUBSCRIBE FOR THE DAILY IOWAN

The Joseph Ward Overcoat Hat



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RAILROADS MA PROHIBITED CARRYING

WHITMORE OF OTT INTRODUCE BILL A PROVISION

Bill To Be Modelled Virginia Law—Dry That Webb-Kenyon Make Iowa Arid

Des Moines, Jan. 10 the dry faction in the lieve that the United preme court decision Kenyon law will have making Iowa an arid interior portions at lea

They are making pr legislation which will tage of all the points b this decision that w strengthen the law ag portation of liquor. ter Whitmore of Wapell was one of the leaders law repeal two years a preparing an amendme hibitory law which v common carriers bring to the state and rep tion of the present la mits the importation personal consumption.

Whitmore says that introduce this bill wit ten days. He is also the statement that it closely the provisions Virginia law which was the Supreme court al Webb-Kenyon law.

county legislator points elimination of the railr press companies as a m portation for liquor w state dry as the prover If Senator Whitmore the provisions of the V law into his amendme passed by the legislatu impossible to bring mor gallon of liquor across by any means without ed or painted on the contents. Violation of under the West Virgini a penalty of confiscat liquor and prosecution.

HOUSE IS ADJO

Impossible for Speaker t mittees Appointed Be Tuesday

Des Moines, Jan. 10.— mittee from the two hou afternoon canvassed the ernor and lieutenant g following the close of each house adjourned day. The work of orga completed yesterday in es. Following the inau usual recess will be take day of next week. S found it impossible to h mittee appointments r that time.

PITT'S HELPER

New Speaker Appoints M Davenport to be His Secretary

Des Moines, Jan. 10— L. Zabel of Davenport (Continued on pe