

Committee Says, "No Tax Cuts"

GRID CAPTAIN PROVES
Mettle on field as well as on gridiron
in annual weight triathlon.
See story on page 7.

THE WEATHER

Unsettled today, probably rain or snow; colder by night and Monday; fair Monday

Farm Relief Put on Sidelines by Democrat's Plan

McKeown Proposes to Limit Produce by Public Demand

(By The Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—The house touched upon farm relief for a few minutes today but gave up when it became involved with the new plan offered in a bill by Representative McKeown, of Oklahoma, democrat.

Mr. McKeown in explaining his measure said that it proposed to create a commission which would determine in advance the needs of the consuming public, and then would allot to the country's farmers their quotas of the various crops to be produced. A "standardization certificate," he said, would be issued to each farmer, directing him to grow a fixed quantity. The farmer then would market his crop, selling the surplus, if any, outside the current market and paying an excise tax on it.

May Be Unconstitutional
Members questioned the constitutionality of the tax and also doubted that a farmer could be forced to agree to raise only the quantity set for him by the commission.

Mr. McKeown defended the constitutionality of his measure and explained that the farmer's patriotism and the pressure of neighborhood opinion upon an objector could be depended upon to administer much of the act's regulatory power.

Decision today of the committee on committees to assign Senator Norris, republican, Nebraska, to the chairmanship of the judiciary committee, as the successor of the late Senator Cummins of Iowa, also dispelled another threatened fight. Reports had been emanating from republican sources that he would be deprived of the chairmanship as punishment for his support of William B. Wilson, democratic candidate for the senate from Pennsylvania.

McNary for Agriculture
Other chairmanships agreed upon included Senator McNary of Oregon for agriculture, Phillips of Colorado for irrigation, and Cousins of Michigan for education and labor.

Assignments to fill vacancies included Senator Gillett of Massachusetts on the foreign relations committee to succeed his former colleague, William M. Butler; Bingham of Connecticut on appropriations and Edge of New Jersey on finance, succeeding the late Senator McKinley of Illinois and Gould of Maine, on the District of Columbia committee to succeed the late Senator Fernald.

Defense Presents Last Evidence in Fall-Doheny Case
WASHINGTON, Dec. 11 (AP)—Presentation of evidence was concluded today in the criminal conspiracy trial of Edward L. Doheny, veteran California oil man, and Albert B. Fall, former secretary of the interior.

Twelve hours of argument, evenly divided between prosecution and defense counsel, remain before the jury in quarters late Tuesday or early Wednesday which will terminate the first criminal trial of the senate's sensational inquiry into the oil-leasing policies of the Harding administration.

Conviction would carry for each defendant two years in prison or a fine of \$10,000, or both. A conviction likely would be followed by an appeal to the District of Columbia court of appeals and then to the United States supreme court.

Attorney Frank J. Hogan, re-opening the case in behalf of Doheny for ten minutes today presented a last act of character evidence in the theatrical Irish tenor of John McCormack. Drawing upon a quarter century's intimate friendship with the elderly oil man, McCormack closed the defense record with the statement:

"I know of no man who has a higher reputation for honesty, integrity and patriotism."

Condition of Prof. Lambert Improves Following Operation
Prof. Eyrion J. Lambert, head of the department of civil engineering, who underwent a major operation in a local hospital Thursday, is improving, according to members of his immediate family.

Professor Lambert became ill three weeks ago, and was taken to the hospital. His falling condition took on a serious aspect during the last week and the operation resulted.

Professor Lambert is widely known for his work in structural engineering. The Iowa avenue and Burlington street bridges and the Iowa stadium are some of the projects in which his work is reflected. He is a director of the athletic association.

Brewer Selected for Wayzgoose Banquet Speaker

Former Publisher Cedar Rapids Republican to Talk Before Journalism Students

Luther A. Brewer, former publisher of the Cedar Rapids Republican and present owner of the Torch Press of that city, will be the principal speaker at the school of journalism's fifth annual Wayzgoose banquet which will be held at the Jefferson hotel Thursday evening, Dec. 16.

Mr. Brewer is a former state senator and is the donor of the Luther A. Brewer journalism key.

The Wayzgoose banquet will begin at 6:30 p.m. Only those enrolled in school of journalism classes will attend. Tickets may be obtained from Daily Iowan desk editors or from Russell Wilson, 33 of Des Moines, president of the Associated Students of Journalism. This organization is sponsoring the dinner.

The title of the dinner, Wayzgoose, is said to have originated with the picnic of the first English printing guilds. The stubble goose of "Ye olden days" was the main victim of these spreads, and it was then called the way goose.

Nicaraguan Head Accuses Mexico

Charges Vessel Being Fitted for War; Offers Peace

(By The Associated Press)
MANAGUA, Nicaragua, Dec. 11.—Pres. Adolfo Diaz, of Nicaragua, today issued a manifesto in which he renewed his accusations that the Mexican government is actively supporting the present liberal revolutionary movement in this country.

He charged that reliable information indicated that officials of the Mexican government were outfitting a vessel which, with an armed expedition, would proceed shortly to Nicaragua, under the escort of Mexican gunboats to make war against his government.

Assertions that successful Mexican interference in the government of Nicaragua would mean the confiscation of private property, the denial of religious freedom, communism, and political disorder, President Diaz called upon the liberal revolutionists to make peace with his government.

Peace, general amnesty, compensation for revolutionary losses on the basis of political fair play, and a national government in which the liberal party would be assured equitable participation are promised to the revolutionists.

Soliciting the co-operation of all Nicaraguans and the moral support of the nations of the world, President Diaz warned Central American governments that their sovereignty would be menaced if Mexico were to obtain a foothold in Nicaragua by materially aiding in the overthrow of the present conservative regime which had been recognized by the United States.

Boyd's Fate to Rest in Jury's Hands Monday
DES MOINES, Dec. 11 (AP)—The case of William Boyd, half-Caste negro, on trial here charged with first degree murder will not be in the jury's hands until Monday, court adjourning late today with County Attorney Vernon Seeburger in the midst of the state's final argument.

The prosecution had demanded the death penalty for Boyd who, on the witness stand, admitted he fired the shots that killed Deputy Sheriff Dewey Marshall of Des Moines and wounded Grover Brent, officer from Sedalia, Mo., when the two went to Boyd's home to arrest him for alleged hog stealing in Missouri.

Mr. Seeburger centered his attack this afternoon on the defense contention that Boyd shot in self defense, fearing mob violence due to alleged race prejudice.

Brent was described by the prosecution as a man "who has looked into the jaws of death and by some miracle has returned."

Mr. Seeburger asserted Brent showed no ill feeling against Boyd while on the witness stand and said there was evidence the officer spoke the truth in his recital of the shooting of Marshall and himself.

Delia Larson Goes to Bereaved Sister
Miss Delia Larson, instructor in Psychology, was called to the house of her sister at Duncombe, Iowa, by the death of her sister's husband and son. Miss Larson's brother-in-law was killed instantly when his car was hit by a train and her nephew died in a hospital shortly afterward.

Miss Larson will return Monday.

Flashes of Late Wire News

The Day in Washington

Prosecution and defense rested in the Fall-Doheny trial.

Prospects of tax legislation by congress received a definite set back.

President Coolidge asked congress for \$175,000,000 to finance tax refunds.

The house dismissed impeachment charges against former Judge English of Illinois.

Car Kills Boy on Sled
DUBUQUE, Dec. 11 (AP)—Dubuque's first fatal coasting accident of the season cost the life of Joseph Norton, 12 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Norton, this afternoon. The boy was coasting on West Third street and his sled was struck by automobile driven by Lawrence Powers, son of John Powers, a farmer. He was rushed to a hospital and died soon after his arrival there. The driver of the car surrendered at the police station after the accident.

Brookhart Seeks Farm Aid
WASHINGTON, Dec. 11 (AP)—Senator-elect Brookhart, republican, is in Washington to line up senators behind some agricultural bill that, in his opinion, will bring real relief to western farmers.

He plans to appear next week before the senate agriculture committee and declares he is for the McNary-Haugen bill with some amendments that would "put more punch in it."

Coolidge Seeks Pure Politics
WASHINGTON, Dec. 11 (AP)—Two bills designed to purify politics were signed today by President Coolidge.

One requires all federal appointees to file affidavits stating they have made no promise of consideration of consideration of any kind in exchange for appointment or support in obtaining office.

The other makes it unlawful to pay in any form any person or organization for promises of support to support to secure appointment.

Texas Girl Arrested
AUSTIN, Tex., Dec. 11 (AP)—Rebecca Bradley, stenographer in the office of Attorney Dan Moody and graduate of Texas University, now working on her Master's degree was taken into custody here tonight in connection with the robbery of the Farmer's Exchange bank at Buda, Texas today.

Chief of Police J. N. Littlepage said charges of robbery would be filed against the girl. He said that she has been identified by Cashier S. A. Jamison and Waymon Howe, bookkeeper, whom she is alleged to have locked into the vault of the bank.

Explosion Occurs in Tanker
NEW YORK, Dec. 11 (AP)—Twenty fire companies and fire boats were called to the Erie basin, Brooklyn, tonight after an explosion aboard the oil tanker Agwi Sun in the Robins Dry dock.

First reports said there were no deaths.

Ex-Senator Labels Farm Relief "Bunk"
HUNTINGTON, Ind., Dec. 11 (AP)—Most of the remedies proposed for betterment of the farmer's condition are "bunk" said James Hamilton Lewis in addressing Indiana lawyers tonight.

"The lawyer should tell the farmer that he is being deceived in relief proposed," said the former United States senator from Illinois. "All the talk of co-operative societies and market buying cannot help him if he hasn't some market in which to sell."

"He is being told that if he is to hunger or want, his relief is in hungering in groups. If his products are to perish and he is to go into bankruptcy, his remedy is to join a society and go into bankruptcy unitely instead of singly."

"What he needs is markets of the world in which to sell his products, singly, jointly, alone or by society where he is."

Today's Editorials
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*A Bit of Good Advice
Thine Own Goods
Complacent Eyes
Feed the Birds
A Silver Coronet*

Chicago Officials Bickering About Kenneth Ormiston

Radio's Best Known Ex-Broadcaster Held at Chicago But Not Arrested

(By The Associated Press)
CHICAGO, Dec. 11.—While Kenneth Ormiston, radio's best known ex-broadcaster, rested today in a suite afforded by his captors, from the journey which followed his detection at Harrisburg, Pa., officials of Chicago and Cook county bickered over the disposition of the un-arrested prisoner.

The radio man, charged in California with subordination of perjury and conspiracy to obstruct justice, in connection with the Aimee Semple McPherson kidnaping case, eluded with complete success all newspaper except those whose names he is and apparently was undisturbed by the asperities which he roused between the chief of police and the state's attorney.

Crowe Orders Arrest
The latter official, Robert E. Crowe, telephoned today to Chief of Police Morgan A. Collins, said he understood that Ormiston had been brought to Chicago last night in the company, but not in the custody, of Harry Donnelly, a city detective, and directed that Ormiston be arrested.

Collins replied that he did not know Ormiston's whereabouts. Crowe responded that there was a warrant out for Ormiston's arrest and directed the police department to produce him at the state's attorney's office at 11:30 o'clock.

That hour came and went. Photographers poised their flash light and camera in the corridors of the criminal courts building but Ormiston did not appear, nor did the state's attorney.

Donnelly Upbraided
Later police chiefs indicated that no steps had been taken to produce Ormiston, and Collins said that the radio man was not wanted here for anything and would not be arrested except on a fugitive warrant from California. The chief of police upbraided Donnelly for hiding himself clear to Pennsylvania to detect a man neither sought here nor charged with an infraction of the law in this state but Donnelly explained urbanely that he thought the chief's permission to work on the case had given him carte blanc.

Bandits Kill Rock Island Merchant
Shoot Grocer in Hold Up; Posses Search for Killers
DAVENPORT, Dec. 11.—Charles F. Bladel, Rock Island grocer, was shot down and killed in cold blood tonight when he resisted the efforts of four bandits to rob his cash register.

Three of the men entered in an automobile on the outside. After shooting Bladel, using a sawed off shot gun, all four bandits sped away in their car, a Buick sedan.

There were no eye witnesses to the murder aside from the participants. A son of Bladel was in an adjoining rear room and upon hearing the shot rushed into the store just in time to get a glimpse of the fleeing bandits. Bladel died almost instantly.

Sheriff and police forces of Davenport, Rock Island and Moline were organized in posses and the entire countryside is being scoured for the murderers.

White to Tell Industrial Research Group About Working Conditions
The trite phrase, "Any man can get a job who wants it" is wrong, according to Lyman C. White, A3 of Iowa City, who was a member of the Industrial Research group of Detroit, Mich., last summer. In an interview yesterday White said that when he arrived in Detroit thousands of men were tramping the streets in search of work. He told how he finally got a job as a dockhand after having visited more than forty-five employment offices, and of his experiences in the Ford factory where he worked later.

Meet Every Summer
Last summer the industrial research group was composed of students from twenty-five different universities and colleges. The group meets in Detroit every summer and the members work as laborers or mechanics in the automobile factories and live under the same conditions as the other workers. Weekly meetings are held at which labor leaders, representatives of the factories, and others address the group on labor problems.

From a human interest standpoint, according to White, the week he spent working as a dockhand was the most interesting. Three-fourths of the dockhands were negroes and

Search Northwest Border for Olson

PRAIRIE DU CHIEN, Wis., Dec. 11 (AP)—The search for Erdman Olson, 18 year old college student, accused of slaying his sweetheart, Clara Olson, farmer's daughter, was conducted today along the north-west Canadian borders.

Meanwhile, physicians were summoned to attend Edwin Knutson, hired man employed by Albert Olson, Erdman's father.

Knutson collapsed yesterday after being questioned by J. S. Earl, district attorney. Earl said that he was satisfied Knutson knew nothing whatever of the slaying and described him as being "scared to death." Doctors said the tragedy had prayed on his mind until he became ill. He was sent to the home of his parents at Chippewa Falls, Wis.

Seven Men Flee Missouri Prison

Overcome Guards in Get-Away; Escape in Stolen Car

(By The Associated Press)
ST. LOUIS, Dec. 11.—Seven prisoners in the St. Louis county jail at Clayton, a suburb, held on various charges, including murder and robbery, escaped late today after brutally assaulting Deputy Sheriff Rudy Baumer, acting deputy. He was knocked unconscious by a blow on the head.

Three of the prisoners overpowered a motorist near the jail and fled in his automobile. The other four fled on foot.

Officers Lead Search
Squads of officers are searching the vicinity and patrolling all the roads out of Clayton.

Baumer was escorting a trusty, whom he locked up in the "bull ring" on the first floor of the jail, when the seven prisoners, who are allowed the freedom of the enclosure, rushed him.

Baumer fought desperately but was overpowered and knocked unconscious. Taking his keys, the prisoners opened an outer door and dashed to freedom.

List of Escaped
Baumer regained consciousness about ten minutes later and an alarm was sounded. The men who escaped are:

Robert E. Williams, Oklahoma City, charged with robbery and assault; Miles L. Major, confessed slayer of two men in a roadside fight near here; James E. Fox, of Chicago, charged with robbery and assault; Louis Glasman, charged with burglary and carrying concealed weapons; Everett Dalley, charged with forgery; Ed Wallace and Harold McArthur, both charged with grand larceny. The jail delivery is the fourth since 1922.

Wreck Ford Coupe in Tumble Down Hill

A late model Ford coupe, owned by Kermit Sherman of North Dodge street, did a run-away horse act yesterday at 8:30 a. m. when it ran sideways down hill on Richard street turned turtle twice, and catapulted against a fence seventy-five feet from the beginning of its journey.

The car was parked in front of Prof. Frank A. Stromsten's residence while Mr. Sherman was at Prof. Frank A. Stromsten's residence. Though the coupe was considerably damaged, no cause could be assigned to the accident, the car owner accord.

Mr. Sherman is employed by C. W. Denwert of the Holland Furnace company's Iowa City branch.

Senate Authorizes Washington State Bridge Erection

Pass Columbia River Span Proposal After Fight

(By The Associated Press)
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Quorum calls followed each other rapidly as Senators Jones, republican, and Dill, democrat, Washington, sounded the merits of the proposal and Senator McNary republican, Oregon, dwelt at length on the calamity which he said construction of the bridge might bring by blocking traffic between Portland and the sea.

Maternity Bill Next
When the trio had finished answering and assailing each other, the senate without even the formality of a record vote calmly approved the bill and then got into a fight as to what to consider next, the maternity bill winning first place on the calendar.

Senator McNary's campaign against the bridge collapsed after his amendment requiring an investigation by the secretaries of war, commerce and agriculture to determine the "public necessity" for the structure was defeated, 35 to 19.

Democrats Vote Solid
Democrats voted almost solidly against the amendment. Another amendment by Senator McKellar, democrat, Tennessee, proposing that the bridge be given to the states of Oregon and Washington at the end of 30 years and tolls be discontinued, was rejected without a record vote.

The bill would authorize W. D. Comer and Wesley Vander Cook to construct the bridge and collect tolls to meet the cost.

At the last session several attempts to get house action on a similar measure were blocked by Representative Crumpacker, republican, Oregon.

Brothers Deny Guilt
Athol and Samuel, arrested here yesterday after an investigation which began Nov. 17, the day the children became ill, deny they had anything to do with the poisoning of the well.

The younger Riley brothers, Robert, 13, George, 10, and Edward, 7, confessed to participation in other depredations of a minor character at the school house.

The younger Rileys were not detained.

W.A.A. Will Give Big Costume Party

Initiation Will Follow Awards; President to Award Prizes

Pirates, teenie-weenies, clowns, sailors, Spaniards, and fatterettes, will appear at the annual W. A. A. costume party Wednesday, Dec. 12, from 7:30 to 9:30 p. m. in the women's gymnasium. All members, initiates, and university girls who are interested are invited to attend in costume.

Awards of numerals, stars, and medals will be made by Eva Mae Prunty, A4 of Des Moines, president of the association. Doris Rowe, A1 of Chicago, and Constance Newell, G of Cedar Rapids, will receive medals for winning the novice swimming meet. Ruth Kenefick, A1 of Eagle Grove, and Mary Lingentfer, A1 of Des Moines, will be given tennis medals. Thrifty freshman numerals will be awarded. "Sweater awards" will be postponed until the January party.

Guests of honor will be the 104 girls who have earned the required fifty W. A. A. entrance points. The majority of these girls earned their points in swimming practices. Thirty-three girls swam to gain their points; twenty-eight made volleyball teams; twenty-two took hiking; and sixteen earned their points by playing on hockey teams.

The girls who are to be initiated will give a program of stunts before their initiation services. After the awards are given the W. A. A. orchestra will play for dancing, which will occupy the rest of the evening.

Works for Ford
After working as a dockhand for a week White took the place of a Yale student in the Ford factory. There he was transferred from one part of the plant to another, having altogether fifty-three different jobs.

He did many things in the motor assembly line, such as putting in springs, crankshafts and other parts. Most of this work he calls "the nervous tension type" because it is very fast. He also worked in the foundry, which is the largest in the world; in the plate glass plant; and in the tinner house.

An open meeting will be held at 3 o'clock in the Y.M.C.A. rooms in the Iowa Union for all those who are interested in hearing more about the group. White will tell about his experiences and an opportunity to join the Industrial Research group will be presented to all who are interested.

Massachusetts Man Wants "Dry" Ballot

Rep. James A. Gallivan, Mass., who introduced first two bills in new session of congress, is author of resolution calling for national referendum on prohibition.

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Youths Suspected of Poisoning Well

Revenge for Sister's Discharge Given as Motive

(By The Associated Press)
WARSAW, Ind., Dec. 11.—Revenge upon school trustees is believed by Kosciusko county authorities to have been the motive for the poisoning of the well at a county school near here and for which two sons of a farmer are under arrest.

Three younger brothers of Athol, 23, and Samuel Riley, 13, arrested for the well-poisoning, told Morrison Rockhill, county prosecutor, they were with the elder Rileys when they purchased the poison at Nappanee and with them at Mount Taber school when the poison was poured into the water.

Brother Gives Order
In announcing these alleged confessions today, the prosecutor said Robert, 13, asserted he poured the poison into the well at the behest of the brothers.

To strike at the trustees who had removed a sister of the Riley brothers, Rockhill said the lives of thirteen children who drank from the well were endangered. So much of the poison was poured into the well, however that it acted only as an emetic. A smaller quantity would have meant death, Rockhill said.

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Galli-Curci Planned to Become a Pianist

Opera Star Forced by Financial Reverses to Teach Self

Amelia Galli-Curci, soprano of the Metropolitan opera company, who will appear in Iowa City Tuesday night in a concert program first prepared herself to become a concert pianist. She was forced to give up her study on account of financial reverses and, resigning all hopes of the stage, she turned her attention to the support of her family.

Mascagni, famous Italian composer of "Cavaleria Rusticana," encouraged her to study voice, and she undertook to teach herself. After three years she was able to obtain small operatic parts at six or seven dollars a night. She finally appeared in New York where the producers, realizing the possibilities in the Italian girl's voice, offered her \$300 a night and claimed to have discovered the "woman Caruso."

After that her success was assured. She has appeared in England and America, and has come to be recognized as one of the most popular of opera and concert sopranos. Madame Galli-Curci is accompanied by her husband, Homer Samuels, an American composer, who will play her accompaniments.

The program will include the "mad scene" from "Lucia," a special number with flute obligato, "The Gypsy and the Bird," "Caro Nome" from "Rigoletto," and a few American numbers.

This is the famous singer's first appearance in Iowa since her concert at Ames in 1921. She will arrive in Iowa City Monday after singing Sunday in Chicago.

Surplus Will Go to Reduce Public Debt on June 30

Republican Committee Ignores Coolidge's Tax Proposals

(By The Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, DEC. 11.—Thumbs were turned down by the republican members of the house ways and means committee today on all tax reduction legislation including President Coolidge's tax credit plan, for the present session.

As a result, by a strictly party vote, the committee adopted a motion by Representative Hawley of Oregon, ranking republican, to table all revenue proposals. It carried after brief but sharp debate had brought out that the president's suggestion would be included among those to be tucked away in a legislative pigeon-hole.

Surplus for Public Debt
This refusal to consider any new plan, means that under existing law the treasury surplus will be applied to reduction of the public debt at the end of the fiscal year, June 30. Such disposition was recommended by the president as an alternative for tax credit.

Garner of Texas precipitated a discussion by urging the committee to take up his bill concerning the democratic tax reduction bill. He said it was drafted with the approval of all the democratic leaders. He then vainly sought to use the president's proposal as a vehicle to bring the subject of tax revision before the committee.

Green issued a statement asserting that republican committee members felt the surplus could best be used to reduce the national debt, rather than for a credit.

Mr. Green recalled that President Coolidge in his message had put it up to congress to decide whether credits should be extended or the surplus applied to debt reductions, and added that the republican committee members deemed the latter course would "best serve the public interest."

Garner Assailed Action
Garner assailed that action and vowed there was not a single vote into the republican membership in favor of the president's tax plan.

Declaring that the democrats "are united in support of their bill," he added, "we have been and now are ready to go along with republican efforts to get a tax reduction bill at this session. They, however, are the majority party and have a majority in the ways and means committee."

While Representative Tilson, the republican leader, said in conference with press correspondents, that he personally favored applying the surplus to debt reduction, Representative Garrett of Tennessee, the minority house leader, issued a statement asserting that democrats "are strongly and firmly of the opinion that conditions at this time justify tax reduction."

Forty Ohio Men Under Indictment for Liquor Frauds

CLEVELAND, Dec. 11 (AP)—Forty men, including two former justices and a former mayor of Newburg Heights, were named in four conspiracy indictments returned today by the federal grand jury in connection with the government investigation into administration of dry raiding justices in Cuyahoga county.

One indictment named thirty-nine persons, including former justices, dry raiders, and alleged bootleggers, and another secret true bill named six persons whose identity was not revealed. The investigation is directed against alleged bribery and corruption in justice courts.

Chief among those named in the blanket indictments are Charles E. Zimmerman, a former Newburg Heights mayor; Herman Geltman, former Parma justice, and C. O. Peters, former justice in Independence. About twenty-five overt acts were charged to Geltman alone.

Another indictment against Geltman contained six counts. Three occasions are cited when he is alleged to have received bribes for "fixing liquor cases."

The blanket indictment also named seventeen victims of alleged fixing operations.

More indictments in the inquiry are expected later, federal authorities indicated.

Phi Lambda Upsilon to Initiate Six Men

Phi Lambda Upsilon, national honorary chemistry fraternity will have a formal initiation Tuesday evening, Dec. 14, at the Iowa Union, for the following men: David Craig,

Radio Celebrates; Is Twenty-five Years Old Today

Keen Competition Puts Added Interest to Newest Industry

Twenty-five years ago this morning, after years of tireless experimenting and countless failures, Marconi signalled the letter "s" across the Atlantic by wireless from England. Its receipt in Newfoundland marked the advent of one of the greatest inventions of all times—the radio.

Today in the twenty-fifth anniversary of radio, no longer is this marvelous invention a great experiment; it is a firmly established fact. In every branch of this young art which extends from the tiny dry battery tube of the home receiving set to the gigantic transmitter of the transoceanic stations, worthy achievements have been made with immediate benefits to mankind. Important work and increasing research have insured a still greater future for radio communication.

Competition Keener

Tremendously busy in their positions as program directors of the hundreds of broadcasting stations during the year, competition has been exceptionally keen for good programs. In lieu of this cognizant fact, radio broadcasters now go out of their studios for programs. Operas, symphonies, dramas, football games, prize fights—hundreds of forms of entertainments are picked up by the tiny microphones and sent speeding hundreds and thousands of miles to millions of listeners in every section of the country.

Outstanding features of the past year's broadcasting were the appearance of some of the world's greatest musicians before the microphone. A year or two ago such performances would have been in grave danger of being nullified in the broadcasting and receptive processes due to the relative crudity of the equipment then in use.

Much ground has been broken by experiments toward the development of the re-broadcasting of European programs here. The first attempt was made in 1925 with the re-broadcasting of a musical program from a London hotel. Transmitted from a powerful London station, it was received at Belfast, Me. From there it was sent to New York and re-broadcasted to American listeners.

Demand Simpler Sets

Transmission of sound through space and reproduction of mere noise in the home has come to an end. The desire for loud-speaker volume at the expense of musical quality has become a minority interest. In its place has come the demand for tone quality and excellent programs. And such has been the nature of the broadcasting during the past year.

Meanwhile with this growing list of improvements public demand has made it necessary to simplify radio receiving sets. Today the receiving set is a fixture in the house. It can be operated with ease by anyone. No longer does it require that skilled attention of that member of the family known as the "radio bug." The simpler, the better, is the ruling throughout and the solution has come with the easily operated sets of the past year.

In addition to the cabinet sets which are made to fit in every home, have come the portable and the suit case sets with battery, loud-speaker, and loop aerial attached.

"Speaker" Makes or Breaks

The figurative "neck of the bottle" in radio reception is the loud speaker which can make or mar the performance regardless of how perfect the transmitting and receiving ends of the program be. As a result of prolonged investigation, it was found that the loudspeakers using horns and other resonating devices could not fully meet the fundamental quality requirements of the perfect loudspeaker. As a result of a lengthy research during the fore part of the closing year, a new form of loudspeaker evolved in the light parter cone model which has now proven satisfactory.

From the start of this year, the radio industry has become firmly established as one of the country's major industries. Hundreds of thousands of persons are employed in the factories doing millions of dollars worth of business annually. Reliable radio manufacturers have come to the fore and are producing high grade equipment on a quality as well as quantity basis, resulting in astonishingly low prices to the radio public.

Quantity Production Tells

A complete set can be purchased now at a lower cost than the parts actually required to duplicate such a receiving set. Advertising of radio products has reached a noticeable degree of efficiency and volume alike with the plain, unvarnished truth replacing the loose adjectives, insincere superlatives, and wild claims of the past.

Low prices, resulting from the efficient manufacturing methods of the past two years, are prevalent today. Receiving sets are now sold to the consumer for little more than a third of the price charged at the beginning of broadcasting for a far less efficient tube. Throughout the country, improved dealer service has been effected.

The radio shops and electrical stores of Iowa City are observing today, the twenty-fifth anniversary of radio.

Stock Market Strong

NEW YORK—Stocks steady; sugar rally on official restriction of Cuban crop. Bonds firm; Chile copper sixes strong on retirement rumor. Foreign exchanges strong; French and Italian currencies rally sharply. Cotton higher; trade buying. Sugar steady; signing of Cuban restriction decree. Coffee steady; better Brazilian report.

Wanted - Christmas Tree for Intersection

The large Christmas tree which was to be erected at the intersection of Clinton and Washington sts. may not appear. The Chamber of Commerce is having difficulty in finding a tree which will be appropriate for that place. Most trees are not large enough, and those as tall as twenty-five feet are so mutilated or deformed that they do not make a pleasing appearance.

The nursery at Cedar Rapids has evergreens of the desired size, but they are so heavy with ice at present that they cannot be moved. The chamber is still searching for a tree that can be used.

Smoke Nuisance Topic at Chamber Luncheon Monday

Prof. B. P. Fleming to Give Results of Investigation

Eradication of smoke and soot in Iowa City is to be the topic for discussion at the Chamber of Commerce luncheon tomorrow. Prof. B. P. Fleming of the college of applied science, who has made a study of this subject in various places for many years and who has renewed his study in relation to the situation in Iowa City recently, will address the meeting.

The Chamber of Commerce feels that both students and townsmen are interested in this subject. Many believe that it can be solved easily and satisfactorily. Others have suggested that the chamber at least make an investigation.

Members of the smoke nuisance committee are B. P. Fleming, chairman, Mrs. O. Bishop, Mrs. E. I. Durham, W. J. Hayek, George Keller, S. G. Winter, Dr. J. H. Wolfe, and Frank Zethamel.

In the city of St. Louis, the smoke evil has become so serious that the health commissioners have done about it. Investigations there show that it will probably take twenty-five years to curb the difficulty and that it will be done by re-zoning and forcing the larger manufacturing concerns to move farther from the center of the business district.

The methods used by other cities in answering the question, the cause, and the remedy—whether by passing ordinances, educating those who stoke fires, or what not—will be discussed by Professor Fleming.

Something Is Happening in The Radio World

Almost two years ago the industry began to say: "Something is happening in the radio world." The public has found itself suddenly presented with a radio set that fulfilled beyond all expectation its conception of what a set should be and what a set should do. "It cost more but it did more." It was selective, it operated on a wide range. The user found stations that he had not heard of before on the same sector of his dial. It was easy to operate and easy to service. It was beautiful. Its whole appearance suggested stability and luxury... yet its price was in reach of the man who figured ultimate costs. Immediately great interest focused around this "super" set. At the Chicago show where it was first presented to the public it was easily the center of attraction. Day by day and month by month that interest has grown. It doubled and redoubled as the weeks and months went by. The dealer quickly learned that here was a set for which he need not ask favors in any competitive demonstration.

Then, the question of endurance took first place in the minds of the men who sold and the men who bought this set. What will it have cost at the end of this first year or the second year. To the dealer it was the cost of service. To the purchaser it was cost of operation and service plus the possibility of buying again in order to be up to date.

Today, after two years in the hands of thousands of owners—this final proof has been established. Today, Zenith's greatest year is a high light in the history of the industry itself. With Cadillac, Zenith can truly say: "The owner of a Zenith need not envy the owner of any other radio set."

In Southeastern Iowa the situation is in no way different. The first Super Zenith in this territory went to a man who had waited two months for delivery. He had not seen or heard the set. He had not neighbors or friends to whom he could go for reference. He simply bought the reputation of the Zenith Organization. Today, after two years of service he still owns the same set. It still works. It is still up to date. He is still satisfied. That much is history and in the two years that have gone it has repeated itself many times. The men who bought Zenith last year and the year before are the men who are selling Zenith to their friends today.

We as distributors would like to show you a Super Zenith before Christmas and tell you more about it as an investment; what it means now and what it will mean next year. Its ultimate cost.

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Radio sets today are within the reach of every family due to the more efficient manufacturing methods that have developed within the past year.

Winter is again here, and with it comes perfect radio reception. Scores of the big stations are on the air every evening, and this winter's program promises to eclipse those of any previous season.

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But if you would not buy half of a piano because you could buy it at half price—just why would you buy a half compass Radio Set, even at half price?

Be sure you get that, for most folks with Radios don't know they have but 3.12 octave efficiency. Some have sets with a curve of audibility that gives the stations of 360 meters the peak of efficiency with lower and higher wave length stations suffering over the entire tonal range.

And many a set does not cover the broadcast band of wave lengths.

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What kind of set are you going to get?

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NEWS EDITOR
Marvin Logan

A Bit of Good Advice

YOU have been looking forward for several weeks to the coming holidays. No doubt you have made many plans and arranged many parties. In fact from the time you get off the train until the day before you return your time is already occupied with some sort of amusement. "Let's see; the first two days I am going to visit with Helen. She is going to have several of the girls from the house there and we are going to have simply a gorgeous time. Then when I get home John has arranged three dances and bridge parties—that will take up all my time until the middle of the week. Goodness, what am I going to do the other four days? Oh, well, something will turn up."

And so it is. Your vacation is over, you are all worn out, and the worst part of it is that you were not home long enough to tell mother and father just how you are making it at college—you didn't have time. Your parents are looking forward to the time when they will meet you at the train. They have anticipated long visits with you. They are interested in what you are doing. A well-rounded program for the holidays would include at least half of your time at home with your parents.

Thine Own Goods

THE Christmas spirit burst out in a most unpraiseworthy way in some eager person's mind. One of the evergreen trees, carefully planted on the Finkbine golf course by Prof. Bohumil Shimek, together with many other native trees, was cut down by stealth the other day. Christmas festivities, incongruous though it may seem, must have been the incentive. Some types of American minds never seem to have been educated up to respect of public property. It would appear on first thought that even in their uneducated state they would realize that public property is not that which belongs to their neighbors, and therefore open to covetousness; for it is their own fully as much as their neighbors'. But either such a thought never occurs to them, or they have no sense of pride or loyalty. It rather makes them class public goods, such as flowers, trees, and buildings, as being at their disposal to deface or ruin as they choose. Likewise, the same type cannot even be reached by the plea that they are being selfish in ruining beauty for others, or that they should consider those persons who painstakingly made the public benefits possible. The only way to approach them effectively is through the blatant prohibitions posted in every park, "Do Not Pick the Flowers;" or the signs, "Penalty for Defacing This Building \$100;" both of which ruin the beauty of the park or building almost as much as would the misdoing, and succeed only insofar as that the persons warned do what they please only when they think no one is watching.

Complacent Eyes

BEFORE the adoption of the nineteenth amendment to the federal constitution conferring the ballot upon women, there was much talk about the reforms which woman suffrage would bring about. What reforms, for good or for bad, we have had since cannot fairly be attributed to the feminine influence in politics. Things have gone on much the same. There are, no doubt, many factors which enter into a consideration of the lack of influence which the feminine vote, as such, has exerted upon public affairs. One of those factors is the natural conservatism of womankind, which has played a major part in the matter. Feminine conservatism is, perhaps, the outgrowth of long experience. When radical action is advocated, which, when put into force, may turn out to be a blessing or a curse, womankind is prone to go slowly,

ly, because when there is any paying to be done, women will be called upon to pay their share—a share often greater than that of the men who started all the fuss. It is the male, in the last analysis, who leads the way into pastures new. We fancy that the first cave man, before he became a cave man, sat securely in his arboreal home and gazed longingly across at the tall white cliffs and was possessed of an ambition to make them his home. When he broached his plan to his wives they hooted the idea; they were well satisfied living in the trees. When the cave man finally took up his abode in the cave, he probably had the feminine contingent of his family in tow by the hair. Woman suffrage has conferred a right long unjustly withheld. But beyond this, its effect upon the political history of our times has been insignificant. For while the female of the species may or may not be more deadly than the male, she is certainly more conservative about changing the established order of things.

Feed the Birds

HOW many readers of THE DAILY IOWAN are feeding the birds? The natural coating of leaves on the trees that protect these visitors during the summer is now on the ground. With ice and snow to handicap them in their search for a meal, it remains for compassionate human friends to think of their need. The birds are among our best friends and destroy insects which without them would be by far our greatest menace. Place a handful of cereal or crumbs and crusts about the home place somewhere. They will be sure to find it. Give a single thought each day to the birds. It will take but a moment of time to supply their needs, and you will never miss the contribution you make to their wants from your store. To feed the birds is more than a matter of mere sentiment. It is really a duty—and it may be a memorable joy.

A Silver Coronet

THE sleet and rain that followed the recent snowfall in Iowa City may have been disagreeable to that great majority of individuals who never tire of fair weather, and the ice and slush that resulted may have brought vituperation even from some ordinarily discreet tongues, but anyone who rested his eyes for a few moments on that magnificent web of frozen lacework on the campus could not help but feel that the fairy-like aftermath was ample compensation for the temporary inconvenience to pedestrians. Superlative exclamations do not half reveal the true emotions felt by the genuine admirer of that miraculous spectacle. Subconsciously, perhaps, he recalls the changing moods of those trees on the campus, the appearance of the tiny buds in the spring, the unfolding of those buds into tender pea-green leaves, and gradually the more secure shade of summer strength. Then the surrender of swaying boughs to autumn breezes. The scarlet tint stealing into the deeper hue, the rusting of the green, and the motley of red and yellow and orange weakly clinging to the dying arms. Then the cold, sharp winds. The crispy, crumpled ornaments dropping slowly to the ground. Now, winter. A white blanket for the long sleep. A glassy covering for every twig and branch. A silver coronet to enrich a somber figure. A fine, frosty network of inimitable design, woven by nature for man to enrapture and delight in. Is it not worth our appreciation?

IN order to correct an impression that might have been gained from an article in these columns yesterday which stated that "One member of the police and fire commission resigned recently because he refused to accept the responsibility in a city not adequately protected." THE DAILY IOWAN wishes to present the following explanation. The police and fire commission may take no action in the matter of selecting or purchasing new fire equipment. They approve or reject, as a body, civil service petitions presented them for either the police or fire departments and serve as a judicial body in case a civil service officer is faced with expulsion. A North Dakota woman has been masquerading as a man doing manual labor. Now there's a woman who understands men.

Poems That Live

The Sound of Trees

I wonder about the trees.
Why do we wish to bear
Forever the noise of these
More than another noise
So close to our dwelling place,
We suffer them by the day
Till we lose all measure of pace,
And fixity in our joys,
And acquire a listening air.
They are that that talks of going
But never gets away;
And that talks no less for knowing,
As it grows wiser and older,
That now it means to stay.
My feet tug at the floor
And my head sways to my shoulder
Sometimes when I watch trees sway,
From the window or the door,
I shall set forth for somewhere,
I shall make the reckless choice
Some day when they are in voice
And tossing so as to scare
The white clouds over them on.
I shall have less to say,
But I shall be gone.

ROBERT FROST.

Official Daily Bulletin

The University of Iowa
Bulletins and announcements for the Official Daily Bulletin edition must be in the office of the university editor, Prof. Charles H. Weller, room 101 Journalism building, by 4 o'clock in the afternoon to appear in the following morning's Daily Iowan.
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FACULTY OFFICIAL NOTICES

READING BY DEPARTMENT OF SPEECH
The second number of the series of readings by members of the department of speech will be given Sunday, Dec. 12, at 4 p.m. in the Iowa Union. Mrs. Alice Mills will read "The Skin Game," by John Galsworthy. The public is invited. HELENE BLATTNER, chairman

BACONIAN CLUB
There will be a meeting of the Baconian club in room 211, physics building, at 7 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 14. JACOB CORNOG, secretary

TO ALL STUDENTS WHO EXPECT TO GRADUATE AT THE CLOSE OF THE FIRST SEMESTER—FEB. 2, 1927
Every student who expects to receive a degree, or certificate, at the university convocation to be held Feb. 2, 1927, should make his formal application on a card provided for the purpose, at the registrar's office, before Saturday, Dec. 18. It is of the utmost importance that each student concerned comply with this request immediately, for otherwise it is very likely that a student, who may be in other respects qualified, will not be recommended for graduation at the close of the present semester.

CANDIDATES FOR THE MASTER'S DEGREE
All candidates for the master's degree must have their thesis topic approved six working months before they expect to receive the degree. C. E. SEASHORE, dean

HUMANIST SOCIETY
A regular meeting of the Humanist Society will be held on Monday, December 13, at 8:00 p. m. at the home of Professor F. L. Mott, 707 N. Dodge Street. Professor J. H. Scott will read a paper entitled, "The Classification of Stylistic Qualities." A. H. HEUSINKVELD, Secretary

IOWA LIBRARY CLUB
In order to avoid a conflict of dates the Iowa City Library club will hold its meeting Wednesday, Dec. 15, at the Iowa Union at 7:45 p.m. Will members please notice change of date. M. E. HUMPHREY, president

UNDERGRADUATE ACTIVITIES

HILLEL CLUB
Hillel club will meet Sunday p.m., Dec. 12, at 3 o'clock in the liberal arts drawing room. W. ROBINSON, president

SIGMA DELTA CHI
There will be a meeting of Sigma Delta Chi Sunday evening at 6 o'clock at Youde's Inn. All pledges please be present. JACK LEVY, secretary

STUDENT VOLUTEERS
Student Volunteers will hold their regular meeting at the Baptist church parlors Sunday at 2:30 p.m. All Volunteers are urged to be present. Students interested in religious and especially missionary work, are cordially invited to the meeting. PIER D. ALDERSHOF, secretary

INDUSTRIAL RESEARCH
All university students interested in the work of the Industrial Research group, and those who would like to know more about its work, are invited to an open meeting at the Y. M. C. A. rooms in the Iowa Union at 3 p.m. today. The Industrial Research group is interested in sociology, and especially labor problems. LYMAN WHITE

ARTISTIC READING CONTEST
Tryouts for all university representative for the artistic reading contest will be held in the liberal arts auditorium Friday, Dec. 17, at 4:00 o'clock. Final contest Jan. 11. LOIS COBB, chairman

FRENCH CLUB
The members and pledges of Le Cercle Français who desire to have pins ordered for themselves are requested to leave their names and 75c with the Librarian in the Romance Language Library, room 3 L.A., so these can be ordered at once. G. W. STEEP, V. Pres.

HESPERIA
Tryouts for the artistic reading contest will be held in Hep hall Monday, Dec. 13, from 4 to 6 o'clock. All pledges who did not try out for debates must try out for this contest in order to be initiated this semester. ETHEL BENTZ, president

HAMLIN GARLAND
Pledges will be examined over the constitution and Hamlin Garland works Monday from 4 to 6 o'clock in room 115 liberal arts. Every pledge must be there if she is to be initiated Tuesday evening. Bring dues Monday afternoon.

IOWA DAMES
Anyone of the Iowa Dames who wishes to secure a pin before Christmas must place the order in the hands of Mrs. Albert W. Bowser, 621 S. Dodge street, by next Sunday, Dec. 12.

Indelible Moments

By ELSIE GRAY

Socrates and Poison

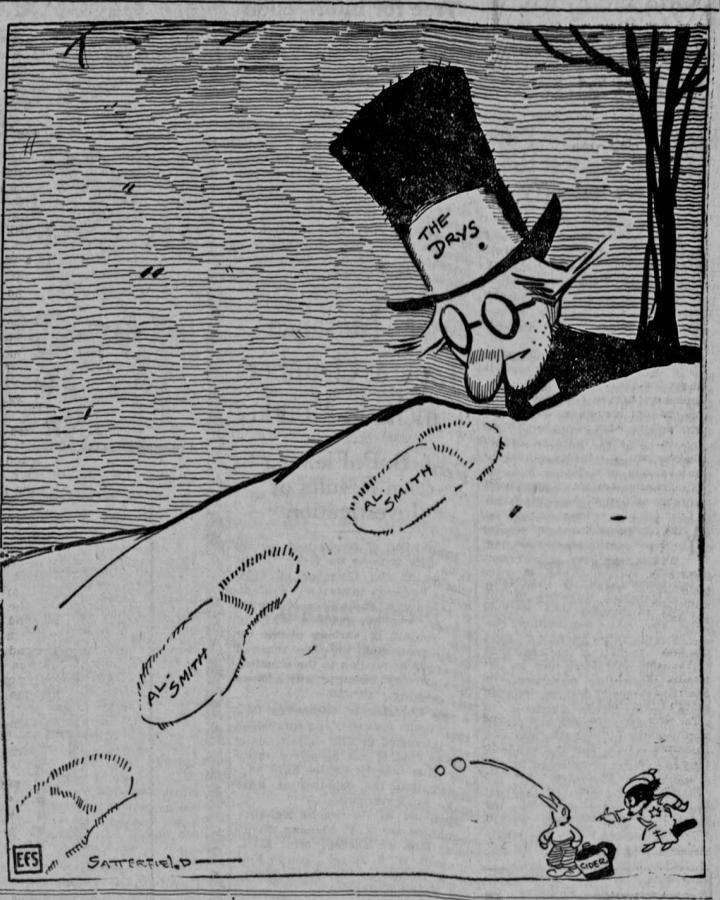
Bertram Brace was not yet fully established in the creed of egoism, but he had openly espoused that cause in class, had championed it necessarily. He wondered a little why he had done it. An amused smile crossed his face. He was a little proud that he had spoken so fearlessly. The leaves of his French grammar were shuffled noisily in search of the rule for conditional sentences.

"Dinned junk! parlez-vous around for two years." What good would it do him when he met a bull-headed fellow owing him a hundred and not inclined to pay. He wasn't devoid of the niceties of life, either. He could dance as well as the best; he read good stuff, too. "Wonder what the old prof meant, anyway?" The class incident would keep recurring to his mind. "Well, I'd like to know what we come to the university for if it isn't to learn how to make money." Just like that, I said it. The amused smile returned for an instant and then faded. "Wonder what he meant." "They gave Socrates hemlock, didn't they?" That was what the professor had said, almost to himself, certainly not denuncially, just musing aloud, sort of. Ber-

Gloria's Toy

"What are you going to do?" It was a question on every friend's lips. The world had discovered that here were some graduates and it was asking them, "What are you going to do?" When Miss Rich and the girl she called her serious friend were alone and the question was put to her she exploded in a hysterical burst. "Nobody does who hasn't been in it. They think it's play. You think you're out to do something very serious and splendid, and you don't think I'm anything." "You could teach your line of work," offered Janet. "Teach! I can't teach. I haven't prepared to teach. I don't want to teach. I won't teach. There's suicide." The proffered

ON THE TRAIL



CHILLS and FEVER

He's sitting on top of the world. "He was born in 1845, fifty years of age" from "The Return of Sherlock Holmes," by A. Conan Doyle. Most people start life a little younger. We wish to hand out several excellent bouquets to Eddie Flinn Bob Sibert and Co., for the idea of giving passes to "I" men in football. This is the kind of support for an Iowa team that we like to see. It isn't that they do it just to have the prestige of the athletes, either, because Eddie himself has a private wardrobe of "I" sweaters earned by playing on and captaining the baseball team. Now that's off our chest, like the guy said when they removed the mustard poultice. "The first of these writers was Gerald Malynes (1856-1941), a merchant and an economic writer," from the first issue of the "Journal of Business." Backward, turn backward, O time in thy flight! "Do you know those people?" asked a freshman of a senior. "Yes, they're the Berrys," he said, recognizing the A. F. I. man and his wife. "Why, they don't look funny said the first year man.

"I don't see why they call them cabs yellow," said the guy whose Ford had just been dissected by one, "they'll come a mile for a fight."

We asked a girl 'tother day whether she'd rather have a law or an engineer for a husband. "A law," she tells us, "because he might talk you to death pretty soon but you'd have to live with the engineer."

"Janet! you darling! You serious darling duckling!" Gloria sat up and smiled over swollen cheeks. "Janet, who ever guessed you'd be so sly!" "Sly? That's not sly. It's just horse sense. What else is there you can do when it's the only thing you can do—will-do-shall-do. If nobody wanted to study history and I just couldn't live on ten thousand dollars—imagine it if you can—I suppose I should have to dramatize them into it, that is, providing I had the talent. H-m-m."

"Janet! you're laughing at me." "Yes," said Janet, "at you, but not at your talent. You are playing, just as your father says."

"Well, of course, I know better than to try any of this sort of stunt on him."

—Elsie Gray.

Who's Who AT IOWA

Theodore Harkness Ashford

This is Theodore H. Ashford, 6th of Boone, more commonly referred to as "Ted." Indeed the Theodore part is almost obsolete. He probably wouldn't know that you were addressing him if you used that word. So in keeping with common usage let's let it rest with "Ted."

Although Ashford is associated with Ed Flinn in "bigger business" this column hardly holds that against him. He's really a good boy. Eddie probably led him into the venture. And consequently Flinn is president and official representative of the Flinn Ashford Punch company while Ted balances the other end of the board by holding down several offices including solicitor, manufacturer, transporter, collector, sufferer, and others. We think Ted was dragged in on something. Nevertheless the company's success is due primarily to the earnest and unceasing efforts of Ashford. One of the company's principles absolutely coincides with the modern economic principle that the division of labor makes possible our complex industry. Flinn believes it and Ashford gets the division of labor. Even thus Ted is holding up well under the strain.

During the summer, however, when the market for Flinn-Ashford products is totally blank, and the sudden decrease in Iowa City's population diminishes the attendance at our weekly stampedes, you may find Ted at work in his father's bank at Boone. Quite unusual for a commerce student but well—you know—there are exceptions.

This is a changing world. The big three, Harvard, Yale, and Princeton, were in times gone by, the king of the gridiron. Although Mr. Ashford is considerably rushed by business and social activities he does find time to attend classes in the college of commerce and to take part in other varied university organizations and activities. These include the presidency of the Commerce club, membership of the Student Council, varsity swimming squad, varsity gymnastic team, and the 1924-'25 Frivol staff. He also belongs to three fraternal organizations: Phi Kappa Psi, social fraternity; Pi Epsilon Pi, pep organization; and Delta Sigma Pi, commerce fraternity.

Eugenics Leader Dies

POCAHONTAS, Dec. 11 (AP)—Mrs. Mary T. Watts, member of the advisory council of the Eugenics committee of the United States, died here today at the home of a son, Charles. Harry T. Watts, another son, is business manager of the Register and Tribune Publishing company of Des Moines. Mrs. Watts, who was 62 years old, died from pneumonia which developed from a cold contracted while travelling through the south in the interest of the better families movement. She was a pioneer advocate of the better babies movement and was originator of the better family campaign. Funeral services will be held Monday at the Presbyterian church at Audubon, where the family formerly lived.

Bartow in the South Attending Meetings

Prof. and Mrs. Edward Bartow are attending the meetings of the Institute of Chemical Engineers at Birmingham, Ala., and Atlanta, Ga. On Monday, Dec. 13, Professor Bartow will return to Grinnell, where he will speak on the subject, "The Application of Chemistry to Industry." On Wednesday and Thursday of next week he will address audiences at Des Moines university and Drake university on the same subject.

Pet Enthusiasms

MAPLE MALTEDS
"CHARLIE" TIPPETTS
"NO-EIGHT-O'CLOCK" DAYS
THE "IHI" DELT HOUSE
MOTHER
MONEY
MONEY
MONEY
"PROG" MAYNARD
CONTRIBUTORS

If you think evil of the column conductor, remember that he has given his life to keeping those "Johnny, give me a sentence containing the word—" stories out of the paper. "GEORGE WASHINGTON NEVER TOLD A LIE." "I DON'T BELIEVE IT." "WHY NOT?" "HE WAS A MARRIED MAN."

Often times we find that the people who are credited with being the cream of society are only a bunch of cheeesees. The freshman said, "The dean thinks a lot of me." But he didn't say what the dean thought of him. No wonder that the first year R. O. T. C. man thought corporal punishment meant military training after some of the sophomores he had put in charge of him. Ponca Bill Ponca Bill from the Platte Range Was a reg'lar devil on tender-feet. He'd shoot them up in a poker game And straighten the carcasses nice and neat. The cattle he stole from the Utah line. Would stretch from Cody to Santa Fe And he always drank his whiskey straight He'd never tried it any other way. Oh Ponca Bill was a devil sure The path he traveled was division and wide And to laugh or not as he went by In either case was suicide. But now he's tamed and he's civilized He's scared of losing his mind or life In collar and shoes he is long disguised. He dared once too often and he took him a wife.

THEY'RE NOT SUCH BAD FELLERS!
Dog-gone.

MIDNIGHT SUN

By LAURIDS BRUUN

CHAPTER III

The Imperial Opera presents a gorgeous ballet at its premiere in St. Petersburg. Among the glittering assemblage of gold braided uniforms are two distinguished patrons who have a particular interest in the new season's offering. His Imperial Highness, the Grand Duke Sergius, and Ivan Kusmin, influential banker and supporter of the Opera. Kusmin arranges to meet the beautiful Olga Balashova back stage and orders her promotion to the position of prima ballerina. The overjoyed girl is warned against Kusmin by her faithful maid, Anisya. Success greets her first appearance as a star and she accepts Kusmin's invitation to her first after-theater rendezvous.

"Yes, I came here after my mother's death, together with Anisya, my old maid," said the dancer. "I could not leave her behind. She had been with my mother before I was born. So good and faithful."

"You live with her now?" Kusmin asked.

"Yes, answered Olga. "We live together in a little place not far from the river, rather on the outskirts of the city."

The banker frowned, and his voice sounded troubled. "Olga Balashova, you should not live there. It is not the place for you. You must change immediately."

"I shall," she told him. "Now that this great thing has happened to me, I do not need to live in poverty."

"You shall have an apartment on Nevski Prospect," said Kusmin in a determined tone, as if the question was already settled.

"On Nevski," Olga exclaimed. "Oh, that would be impossible. But I shall find another place, I assure you."

"My lovely girl," said Kusmin, and placed his hand on Olga's. "Don't you understand that I want to give you this. I shall not let you live in want. I am your friend. You can trust me. I want to see my Olga rise like a sparkling star. All your dreams shall come true, my child, only, you must do as I say."

Fear gripped for a moment the young girl's heart, but she determinedly shook herself free from its influence and remembered Anisya's words of advice.

"And what," she asked, "is it that I must do to return for your great gift? How shall I ever be able to thank you?"

Kusmin's eyes showed the light of satisfaction which an accomplished purpose renders, and told her in a friendly, assuring tone, "You must let me arrange this apartment for you. Leave it all to me. And in return, Olga, you must let me be your very good friend. That is all I ask of you. Can you do that?"

"Yes," Olga told him, and met his eyes in a blue level look, which brought a smile to the banker's lips. "We shall be very good friends, Ivan Kusmin."

When they a few moments later prepared to leave the restaurant, two young officers came slowly down the stairs leading to the dining room. One of them with a thin cigarette held nonchalantly between his curved lips under a blonde moustache, turned his well-shaped head as he passed Olga, and looked at her. For a second it seemed as if it were his attention to approach her, but with a faint smile he moved on.

When Olga a few minutes later at Kusmin's side sped over the creaking snow towards her humble rooms, it struck her that the officer and Kusmin had exchanged a swift glance as they passed each other. The look in the young, blonde man's eyes was, Olga thought, a puzzling

mixture of awe and contempt and she asked Kusmin if he knew him. The banker's voice sounded frigid and hostile, as he replied, "That was the Grand Duke Sergius. Yes, I know him well." His words seemed to imply a desire that the matter be not brought up again, and Olga remained silent.

She was soon home, and Anisya, all eagerness was waiting for her. "And what did Ivan Kusmin tell my precious dove," she cooed.

"We are moving from here, Anisya," said Olga triumphantly. "We will settle on Nevski Prospect. There is an apartment waiting for us."

The old woman emitted a shrill laugh of surprise, and pleasure. "Olga," she cried, "what did I tell you? And he is only your first admirer. I wonder who the next will be."

"The Grand Duke Sergius," said Olga.

The sunlight sifted in bright rays through the heavily velvet curtains. It played on the black and white marble floor, skimming the edge of an enormous bed, fell and touched the huge bed in which a handsome young man with a face adorned by a blonde moustache was snoring soundly. Despite the efforts of a person, smartly attired in a gold braided uniform, who was vigorously shaking his shoulder, the sleeper showed no signs of life.

"Your Highness." The voice sounded desperate. "Wake up. It is past twelve, and the graduation is set for two o'clock."

Slowly the man in the bed stretched his lithe body under the silk covers and after blinking with surprise at the bright sunshine, yawned luxuriously and turned to yawned the wall again.

"Let me sleep, Mikhael," the Grand Duke Sergius told his aid in a drowsy voice. "There's plenty of time."

"On the contrary, Your Highness," he was told. "We haven't a minute to spare. Remember that your presence is expected at the luncheon at the Academy, before the graduation of the Cadets. Please get up."

The Grand Duke seemed to consider the question for a second, and finally obeyed, stumbling out of bed and disappearing into his bathroom. When he emerged shortly after, every sign of fatigue had left him. Invigorated by a shower, puffing at a long cigarette, Sergius entered the room humming through the smoke. He was soon in the process of attending himself in his gorgeous parade uniform of his regiment, with Mikhael at his side, aiding him to fasten straps and buckles. When the short swords finally were girdled and he had been helped into his long, wide-sleeved greatcoat, he looked critically at himself in the mirror. The tall bearskin cap, placed at a rakish angle over his fiery blue eyes seemed to complete

the picture to his satisfaction, and he smiled at his image in the glass. When the Imperial automobile drew up in front of the Military Academy, General Neldov, the Commandant, hastened to greet the Grand Duke and his aid, while the guard of honor assembled below the pillared facade presented arms. Sergius alighted. The band struck up the national anthem, and his martial notes, reverberating between the ancient walls, brought the Grand Duke to attention. The inspection of the guard, a procedure which was little to Sergius' liking, was soon accomplished in a perfunctory manner, and the three officers made their way to the banquet room, where a large horseshoe table was set.

In an outer room, the General introduced the Grand Duke to certain visiting officers, and after these formalities were over, the brilliant assembly in chatting groups, drifted into the dining room.

It was a well known fact in St. Petersburg, that although Sergius was an ardent patriot, a crack rider and a marksman of no mean ability, military life as such held little fascination for him. Those who dared joke about "His Highness," went so far as to say that the only ties between Sergius and his famous regiment were his extraordinarily well cut uniforms. These were a source of constant admiration from the young ladies of the court and a reason for envy among the officers of the garrison.

The luncheon which preceded the yearly graduation of cadets, was marked by a democratic, informal spirit not usually associated with functions of this kind. Old General Neldov knew well the Grand Duke's desire in this regard and had found some of the best of the garrison in his attempt to make of this meal a friendly reunion rather than a ceremonious, impersonal affair.

The conversation soon rumbled gaily up and down the long table. Toasts were exchanged and wine flowed generously. Now and then a gleam of merry laughter rose as some of the young officers related some or spicy bits of scandal were related. Someone mentioned the new ballet, and immediately an enthusiastic chorus of voices praised the beauty of the performance and the talent and charm of the newly created ballerina.

"A very attractive young woman—to say the least," General Neldov volunteered to the Grand Duke. Sergius twirled pensively his blonde moustache, and asked: "What are Kusmin's relations with her?"

The General made a Napoleonic movement with his hand. "I do not know for sure, Your Highness, but rumor has it that he is the reason for the fair beauty's advancement. So you know her, then?"

"No," Sergius answered, "but I am going to. I ran into her and Kusmin at the Sphinx Club the other night. Very charming girl. Very charming indeed. I have not seen her for a long time. I wonder what she sees in Kusmin besides his money."

"Nothing, I am sure," laughed the General. "I don't think for a moment that she ever hoped to find anything but rubles there."

The meal was nearing its end, and the General handing Sergius a list of the names of the young officers who later were to receive their diplomas from the Grand Duke's hand suggested, "It will perhaps interest you to look at this."

"Not in the least, my dear Neldov," he was answered. "Life is too short. But tell me instead who do you consider the most talented and industrious of the young men. I have an opening in my personal guard for the lieutenant, and would prefer to fill the vacancy from the ranks of the graduates."

Flattered by the Grand Duke's words, the General scanned the list briefly and came to a stop at the name of Alexi Okuneoff. "I think," he said, "that this young man will be to your liking. He has an excellent record as an ambitious, sober and diligent. And a very good looking fellow, too."

"Splendid," replied the Grand Duke. "I shall be guided by your suggestion. And now gentlemen, he added, "shall we consider the meal ended?"

Chairs were pushed back, spurs jingled and swords rattled as the officers, headed by Sergius and Gen-



Ben Lyon and Lya de Putti in "The Prince of Tempers"

eral Neldov, left the room and filed down the broad staircase to the large hall where the young cadets were eagerly awaiting the Grand Duke's arrival.

Facing his position facing the two lines of earnest young warriors, Sergius looked at the expectant faces, the loyal, frank eyes, the erect carriage of the men, and said under his breath to the General: "Fine boys, Neldov. Splendid boys. They do honor to you and Russia."

The Grand Duke made a brief address, an inspired, short talk about the duties of the men toward their Emperor and their country. General Neldov proposed a cheer for the Czar and was answered by enthusiastic hurrahs. Then the Commandant began reading the names, and one after the other the cadets filed before Sergius, receiving their scroll, clicked heels and moved on.

"Alexei Okuneoff," droned Neldov. A young man came to rigid attention in front of the Grand Duke, who looked into a pair of black, sincere eyes, saw a determined chin, a straight nose and a mass of wavy black hair over a high forehead. "Alexi Okuneoff," said His Highness. "Upon the recommendation of General Neldov I am promoting you to Lieutenant in my personal guard. Will you please report tomorrow morning to Colonel Desky at the Palace."

It seemed difficult for the young man to refrain from showing his gratitude in other ways than the formal "Yes, Your Highness. Thank you." His eyes sparkled and a shadowy smile of pleasure lived for a fleeting moment on his lips. Followed by envious looks from his fellow cadets, Alexei took his place in the line again.

The graduation had occupied the better part of the afternoon, and it was already dark when Sergius and his aid sped back to the Palace. A wind swept in fury down the streets, whirling the snow in cascades. The sky hung gray and gloomy over the city. Through the descending dusk the street lamps appeared like yellow eyes.

Sergius felt it good to be home again, and enjoyed the hearty dinner which was served an hour later. After the meal, over liquor glasses and cigarettes, he discussed with Mikhael his engagements for the next day. Suddenly a thought seized him. "Is that note to Kusmin due yet," he asked. Mikhael consulted a small memo-book and informed him in a regretful voice that the obligation should have been met two days ago.

"If Your Highness recollects—" "Yes, yes," the Grand Duke interrupted him.

"I know you have reminded me of it, but what can I do. I have had such rotten luck at cards lately. My allowance never sufficed and with those damned mines in Kremen not paying dividends, I am in a fine mess. Never mind," he added cheerfully. "Don't let it bother you. I do not mind a bit. Oh, yes."

"Only," his aid repeated. "Oh, nothing. By the way, call on Olga Balashova's apartment. She has not left for the Opera, I am sure. I want to see her tonight."

(TO BE CONTINUED)

grasped the beast by the neck with his left hand while he plunged the right hand down its throat. The outcome was just a matter of endurance—but the man won out.

"He was a man of vision and a wonderfully successful big game hunter," concluded Professor Nutting.

Manager Reveals Wonders of Bell Telephone System

Gigantic Communication System Covers United States With Network of Wires

Carl Cone, manager of the Iowa City exchange, revealed in an interview with a Daily Iowan reporter some facts about the American Telephone company and associated companies which constitute the Bell system.

This system provides, with its connecting companies, a nationwide network of telephone toll lines and local exchange lines, together with switchboards, buildings, and other telephone property. This forms one comprehensive system of more than 18,700,000 telephones serving the cities, towns, and rural communities throughout the United States.

Leagues of Wire

The Bell system provides a telephone service of national scope for the 114,500,000 people living in the more than 3,000,000 square miles of continental United States. This requires enough wire to span the distance from the earth to the moon more than one hundred and ninety times.

The system owns pole lines which would reach over fifty times around the world, and duct space for carrying cables underground of sufficient length to reach nearly ten times through the center of the earth from pole to pole.

Thousands of Buildings

If all the Bell-owned buildings were grouped together, they would make a business community with 500 more buildings than the total number of office buildings in New York city, as classified by the department of taxes and assessments. More than 50,000,000 telephone conversations now take place every day over its wires.

The total number of Bell telephones in the United States is greater than the total in all the remaining countries of the world combined.

The savings of thousands of men and women from every walk of life and living in every state in the Union have built the Bell system.

Dutcher and McClain File Suit Against B. McAlester

A suit for \$372.35 was filed in the county clerk's office this week by Dutcher and McClain, attorneys against Berry McAlester, a non-resident of Iowa City.

The plaintiff states that professional services were rendered by its firm for the defendant between August, 1925 and April 1, 1926, and that the services were worth the sum of \$372.35, none of which has been paid.

Rossi Gets Life Term

DENVER, Dec. 11 (AP)—A verdict of guilty of first degree murder was returned today against Mike Rossi, prominent underworld character of Denver, by a criminal court jury for the killing of Rossi's wife, Caroline, Nov. 8. Penalty was fixed at life imprisonment.

The slaying took place during an argument in the office of Rossi's attorney.



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Jack McCallister Succeeds Speaker as Indians' Pilot

Cleveland President Appoints Former Scout Manager

[By The Associated Press] CLEVELAND, Dec. 11 — Jack McCallister, for thirteen years scout and coach of the Cleveland Indians, will manage the team during the 1927 season, E. S. Barnard, president of the club, announced today that McCallister had been appointed to succeed Tris Speaker, veteran outfielder, who resigned as manager several weeks ago.

The announcement followed a consultation between McCallister and Barnard at Asheville, N. C., last week where they attended the national baseball association meeting. He will take charge of the club immediately and will attend Chicago next week as the tribe's new chief.

Never in Big Leagues Although McCallister never played a game in the big leagues, he was selected over more than a dozen applicants, some of whom have starred under the big top for years.

Wide experience as coach and scout and his knowledge of players in the American league led to his selection, Barnard said.

McCallister's many years service with the team was given as another reason for his selection.

Jack is also an Ohio product. He started in the said lots of Marietta, Ohio, his home town, and from there went to Columbus, serving under Bobby Quinn, now president of the Boston Red Sox. At Hartford, where he played in the old Connecticut league, he attracted the attention of big league scouts and was slated to go to the St. Louis Cardinals when the season ended.

Scouted for Indians At the close of the season he played in a benefit game in his home town and while sliding to the plate, split his knee cap. The injury kept him out of baseball for two years and he then went to Albany. In 1912 he went to Akron and the following year he became scout for the Indians.

Jack is well known in the American league, and has the confidence of the Cleveland players.

Browns Beat Blacks in Color Cage Meet

The Browns left the Blacks blacker by a 12 to 11 score yesterday afternoon in the last game of the week played in the women's basketball color tournament. McClure, Black forward, shot a basket that would have given the Blacks a victory just as the timers whistle blew, but the referee decided that the basket did not count.

Velma Bookhart, an all-state side center last year from Ida Grove, playing forward yesterday for the Browns, made 11 of her team's 12 points. Bookhart is exceedingly fast on the floor. Osgood's close guarding broke up many intended Black scores.

Royce and McClure divided scoring honors at six and five apiece for the Black team, although they missed twice as many opportunities. Epperly and Denkman were best in their positions.

The lineup: Browns—Sayre and McClure and Royce, forwards; Epp-Osgood and Stevens, guards; Blacks Bookhart, forwards; Knapp center; perly, center; Denkman and King, guards.

Time-keeper: Margaret Lea. Referee: Alice Rose.

Next week's schedule of games is as follows: Monday, Blue vs. Yellow; Tuesday, Black vs. Lavender; Wednesday, L. Green vs. Gold; Thursday, Pink vs. Purple, and Orange vs. D. Green; Friday, White vs. Red.

May Get Rhodes Scholarship

National two-mile champion, honor student and candidate for Rhodes scholarship all comes in a day's work for Arnold Gillett, University of Montana track captain for 1927. Gillett captured the national title in the two-mile run on muddy track at the Stagg meet in Chicago last spring, half an hour after he had taken a second in the mile run.

Two weeks before that he set two conference records at the Pacific coast conference meet in Palo Alto, Cal., running both the mile and the two-mile within 15 minutes of each other; recently he led the University of Montana cross-country team to victory in the annual Pacific coast conference cross-country race held in Seattle. He himself led the field home.

Now Gillett is up for the Rhodes scholarship from Montana, and stands a great chance of getting it. If he does get it, he will take with him to Oxford, two of the fastest legs in the country to show the Englishmen a few things about running. Gillett weighs 120 pounds.

National League Moguls in Favor of Baseball Czar

[By The Associated Press] NEW YORK, Dec. 11—Re-election of baseball commissioner Landis for another seven years at the joint major league meeting in Chicago next Thursday, is regarded as a foregone conclusion by National league men gathering here today for their own annual meeting next Tuesday.

The National league already has gone on record as a unit in endorsing Landis and in favor of keeping him in office. As a result, no further formal action is considered likely or necessary when the magnates go into session Tuesday.

Yanks, Sox, Back Landis Although baseball men as a whole do not anticipate much opposition to Landis, if any, from American league club owners, it was pointed out that a majority already is assured by the fact that President Jacob Ruppert of the Yanks and Charles Comiskey of the White Sox are committed to the commissioner's support.

Opposing points of view, however, may develop an issue over the closing dates for the 1927 major league season. Under the present law, favored by the American league and put into effect by the vote of Landis, the season must close on the last Saturday in September. This would end the coming season's schedule Sept. 25. The National league president, John A. Heydler, said today that, while not against an early closing, he opposed to fixing the date arbitrarily and feels the schedule committee should not be restricted in arranging the playing dates.

Reports of the most prosperous season in its history have been prepared by President Heydler for submission to the club owners next week. Chicago, he disclosed, led the entire circuit in attendance for 1926 with a total exceeding 800,000 spectators.

Major Need Young Talent The need for major league pilots who can develop young talent as well as supply qualities of leadership largely has influenced the wholesale managerial shifts that taken place since the close of the 1926 playing season, in the opinion of a majority of the baseball men gathered here.

William B. Veeck, president of the Chicago Cubs, in pointing out the first year success of his own manager, Joe McCarthy, said: "It was in the development of young players that McCarthy helped the Cubs most this year, although at the same time he had the club up around the top most of the season. I hired McCarthy because of his success in developing young players in Louisville, rather than because he was winning pennants. The time has come when every league club must have a manager who can teach and train young players, not just lead them."



Arnold Gillett, University of Montana track captain for 1927, is up for the Rhodes scholarship from Montana.

Huskers, Tigers Split Honors on All-Valley Team

DES MOINES, Dec. 11 (AP)—Nebraska and Missouri each landed three berths on the all-Missouri Valley conference football team selected by the Des Moines Register, to be announced tomorrow.

The mythical eleven follows: Backus, Missouri, and Niblo, Grinnell, ends; Stiner, Nebraska, and Wessinger, Oklahoma Aggies, tackles; Walker, Missouri, and Brion, Kansas Aggies, guards; Wallace, Oklahoma, center; Stevens, Nebraska, quarterback; Clark, Missouri, and Meter, Grinnell, fullbacks; and Presnell, Nebraska, fullback.

Kingery, tackle, and Thomas, guard, both of Iowa State, and Everett, Drake, backfield man, won berths on the second all-Valley team. Captain Coe of Iowa State, end, and Martin and Davis, tackles, were placed on the third team.

Iowa, Ames, Coe, Grinnell, Cornell Place Two Each

Brown, Hawk Center, Only Iowa Man on Second Eleven

[By The Associated Press] DES MOINES, Dec. 11 — Iowa university, Iowa State college, Grinnell, Cornell, and Coe each placed two men on the Des Moines Register's 1926 all-state college football team, to be announced tomorrow. A Drake university man completed the first team.

The mythical all-state lineup follows: Wilson, Cornell, and Niblo, Grinnell, ends; Nelson, Iowa, and Kingery, Iowa State, tackles; Thomas, Iowa State, and Mikkiff, Corjell, guards; Chase, Coe, center; Everett, Drake; Quarter, Smith, Coe, and Meeter, Grinnell, halfbacks; Kutsch, Iowa, fullback.

Commenting on the selections of first, second, and third all-state teams, made by the Register with the aid of coaches, officials, and scouts, the newspaper says: "It is our personal opinion as well as the opinion of many others, that the standard of play in Iowa was not quite so high as in other seasons. It evidently was an off year, but yet the first all-state team at least ranks with any of the last few seasons."

The second all-state team: Coe, Iowa State, and White, Coe, ends; Davis and Martin, both of Grinnell, tackles; Godfreyson, Coe, and Ewart, Drake, guards; Brown, Iowa, center; Weiss, Iowa State, quarter; Knudsen, Morningside, and Geneva, Parsons, halfbacks; and Cook, Drake, fullback.

The Register's all-Iowa conference first team follows: Sullivan, Upper Iowa, and Means, Morningside, ends; Holliday, Simpson, and Henderson, Morningside, tackles; Green, Penn, and Kennedy, Earlson, guards; Tollefson, Teachers, center; McCoy, Simpson, quarter-back; Geneva, Parsons, and Knudsen, Morningside, halfbacks; and Dooley, Upper Iowa, full.

Two Men Tied in Squad Rifle Match

Hageboeck and Della Vedova Turn in Best Targets

Shooting 196 out of a possible 200, Flory Della Vedova of Ottumwa and William T. Hageboeck, of Lake Park, snatched the top positions from twenty-five gunners in the first inter-squad competitive rifle match of the season in the galleries at the armory yesterday afternoon. Prone and sitting positions only were fired.

Della Vedova's firing a 97x100 in the sitting position, over a 96x100 by Hageboeck gave him the leather bound note book that was awarded to the top scorer.

Floyd E. Poetzinger of Cedar Rapids placed third with 194x200. Hageboeck fired the only perfect target of the afternoon when he turned in a 100x100 from the prone position.

The match was split up into two sections, one for the varsity men and the other for those who had never previously shot with the varsity. In the latter section J. Westley Campaign, of Sharpsburg hung up a 191x200 and took the prize in his section. Immediately after Campaign came Stuart E. Wilson of Iowa City with a 190x200. Frank W. Ashton of Lyons followed in third place with 187x200.

Coach James J. Gibney announced late yesterday that another competitive match will be fired in the prone-kneeling positions next Saturday, Dec. 18.

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Chaplin and Wife to Part

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 11 (AP)—Lita Grey Chaplin, estranged young wife of Charles Chaplin, film comedian, will file suit for divorce and custody of their two babies immediately, it was announced tonight in a statement issued in her behalf by her attorney. Mrs. Chaplin said this action is the result of failure to negotiate a settlement out of court.



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Melhorn Strokes Two Under Par to Hold Tourney Lead

DEL MONTE, Calif., Dec. 11 (AP)—Playing flawless golf, Bill Melhorn, Chicago, turned in a 70, two under par, today to maintain a substantial lead in the 72 hole, \$5,000 Monterey Peninsula open championship.

The Chicagoan's card, with yesterday's first round 72, gave him a total of 142, three strokes under the field. Most of the outstanding entrants had completed their second round and it was not held likely that Melhorn's mark would be surpassed.

Three other cards of 70 were also chalked up today with Olin Dutra, Fresno, Harry Cooper, Los Angeles, and Johnny Golden, New York, as the luminaries. These scores gave

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Coe Defeats Teachers

CEDAR RAPIDS, Dec. 11 (AP)—The Coe college basketball team chalked up a 15 to 14 victory over Iowa State Teachers college in the Kohawks' first game of the season here tonight. On the short end of 14 to 6 count soon after the second half began, the Tutors started a rally that was stopped only by the final whistle leaving Coe one point to the good. Coe took the lead at the start of the game and while the Teachers tied the count twice they never forged ahead.

McNamara-Linari Combination Wins Six Day Bicycle Race

NEW YORK, Dec. 11 (AP)—Reggie McNamara and Pietro Linari, American-Italian combination, won the forty-first six day bike race at Madison Square Garden tonight by a margin of several hundred sprinting points over the Italian team of Franco-Georgette and Gaetano-Belloni. The two teams finished in a tie in distance covered.

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"Spike" Nelson Wins Varsity Division of Weight Triathlon

Schleusner and Hagerty Tie for Freshman Honors

Frosh Weight Heavers Stage Hot Fight for Points

Emerson "Spike" Nelson lived up to the advance hope on the weight triathlon and repeated his victory of last year by winning the varsity section yesterday afternoon at Iowa Field. Nelson won the meet handsomely, by placing first in the discus, first in the shot put and fifth in the hammer throw. His nearest competitors were Vernon Lapp and Charles H. Forwald who tied for second place, four points in the rear of Nelson.

Loris J. Hagerty of Blanchard and Vincent L. Schleusner of Garner tied for first place in the freshman division with eight points. Hagerty placed first in the hammer throw, second in the discus throw, and fifth in the shot put. Schleusner took first in the discus, third in the shotput and fourth in the hammer throw. Anderson and Gilchrist tied for third, while Brug and Roberts tied for fifth. Close work was the feature of the frosh section, only six points separating fifth place from first. Many of the marks made in the first year section bettered those made in the varsity division.

Medal winners in the varsity section were as follows: first, Nelson, 7 points; tied for second, Lapp and Forwald, 11 points; third, Brug and Roberts, 14 points; fourth, Mitchell, 15 points; fifth, Marquis, 15 points.

Freshman medal winners were: first, Hagerty and Schleusner tied with 8 points, Hagerty won the toss for first place medal; third, Anderson and Gilchrist tied with 12 points, Anderson won the toss for third place medal; fifth, Brug and Roberts tied with 14 points, Brug won the toss for fifth place medal.

Placings in each division were:

FRESHMAN

Shotput—Roberts, first; Brug, second; Schleusner, third; Gilchrist, fourth; Hagerty, fifth.

Discus throw—Schleusner, first; Hagerty, second; Anderson, third; Lashbrook, fourth; Brug, fifth.

Hammer throw—Hagerty, first; Gilchrist, second; Anderson, third; Schleusner, fourth; Lashbrook, fifth.

Varsity

Shotput—Nelson, first; Forwald, second; Lapp, third; Mau, fourth; Morrison, fifth.

Discus throw—Nelson, first; Mau, second; Forwald, third; Mitchell, fourth; Marquis, fifth.

Hammer throw—Lapp, first; Marquis, second; Williams, third; Van Voorst, fourth; Nelson, fifth.

Points were given as follows: first place, one point; second place, two points; and so on; the man with the least number of points winning the meet.

ETTA KETT

While on a shopping trip—Etta and her girl friend stop at the men's rack and pass a few comments.



By Robinson

Cage Results

Michigan 24; Michigan State 13
Navy 23; Lafayette 13
Minnesota 26; Carleton 33
Coe 15; Iowa State Teachers 14
Wabash 39; Northwestern 21
Butler 28; Danville Normal 24
Princeton 26; Lehigh 20
Illinois 37; Bradley 24
Stittute 26
Rhode Island State 29; Yale 26
Dartmouth 25; Maine 23

Coach Who Upset Rockne May Quit

Walter M. Steffen, coach of the Carnegie Tech football team, that surprised the gridiron world by defeating Notre Dame, has returned to his role as judge of the superior court, Chicago, Ill. Judge Steffen says he may not be able to return to coaching next season, as the pressure of his judicial duties may force him to give it up.

Hawks Take Final Practice for Tilt with Wabash Five

Victory Over Purple Ranks Indianans as Powerful

THE PROBABLE LINEUP

IOWA
Twogood, R.F., R.F., Robinson
Van Deusen, L.F., L.F., Jeffries
Wilcox, C.C., C.C., Harrison
Hogan, G.L.G., L.G., Coffey
McConnell, R.G., R.G., DeVol (C)
Officials: N. E. Kearns, DePaul, referee; J. J. Maloney, Notre Dame, umpire.

After the final drill last night, Coach Sam Barry's Iowa cage team is now ready to face the fast Wabash quintet in the new field house tomorrow night. It is probable that the Hawkeye mentor will start the same combination which faced St. Louis Saturday.

Third Game for Wabash

The Iowa contest will be the third game for the Hoosiers who come from Wabash college of Crawfordsville, Ind. In their victory over Indiana Normal, they counted 39 points to the Teachers' 27 and last night they won a hard game from Northwestern, defeating the Wildcats, 29 to 31, in their first invasion of the season into Big Ten circles.

Monday's encounter will be the "rubber" game between the two schools, in a series which started in December, 1924. The collegians fought out a 25 to 24 win from the Hawks in the first clash. Robinson, all-western forward, was the high point man of that contest, getting sixteen out of twenty-eight scored by his team. He will face Iowa for the final time Monday.

Last season the Hawks over ran the Hoosiers 38 to 26. Robinson was closely guarded by McConnell and Hogan and unable to show his former scoring skill.

In the Hawks' season opener with St. Louis, the Barrymen scored more than a point a minute. "Rags" Wilcox, sophomore pivot, equalled the total score of the opponents,

tossing the ball through the hoop for thirteen points. Wilcox teamed well with Van Deusen and Twogood, also a sophomore, in driving the ball through opposition defense.

Wabash is bringing two veteran guards, Captain DeVol and Coffey, who will furnish a severe test for the Hawk offensive plays.

Phillips Takes First in Novice Swimming Meet

Bob Phillips won individual honors in the novice swimming meet by taking both the 440-yard swim and the 60 yard medley yesterday in the finals held at the men's gym. Joe Crookham, who won the 40 yard swim, had a fine chance to win the medley race, but was disqualified for failure to use the proper touch-off at one of the turns. The failure of Roe Weisse to enter the finals of the 200 yard breast stroke made the race fairly easy for Krause as the latter had little other opposition.

All the events were close and honors were evenly divided.

Gold, silver, and bronze medals will be awarded to first, second, and third place winners, respectively. Following are the results:

40 yard swim: First, Crookham; second, Peterson, third, Teeters.

200 yard breast stroke: First, Krause; second, Boe; third, Simpson.

440 yard swim: first, Phillips; second, Lando; third, Cruise.

Wright, second; Sheehan, third.

Fancy diving: Bender, first.

220 yard swim: Teeters, first; Anderson, second; J. Bell, third.

150 yard back stroke: Fairgrave, first; Willingham, second; Choate, third.

60 yard medley: Phillips, first; Savery, second; Nelson, third.

100 yard swim: Peterson, first; Wright, second; Sheehan, third.

Sport Briefs

Rogers Hornsby, playing manager of the world champion St. Louis Cardinals, and Sam Breadon, club president are as "far apart as the poles" on financial terms for 1927, to quote one authority in New York for the National league's annual meeting. Rogers is understood to want a long term contract at a figure beyond that Babe Ruth has received, \$52,500.

Mermaids representing the women's swimming association of New York, will splash in Bermuda waters for the next week or so. A group including Helen Meany, Agnes Geraghty and Martha Norrhus, all holders of national championships left yesterday to compete in the island's annual aquatic carnival.

Pennsylvania has a formidable freshman wrestler in Manada, a 230 pound youth from Beirut, Syria, who has been toppling all rivals in practice. He is a graduate of the American college in Asia Minor, and has tremendous strength in his six feet, three inch frame.

Glenna Collett former national women's golf champion, plans another invasion of Florida links this winter in an attempt to regain the southern laurels she was forced to relinquish last season to such rivals as Miss Virginia Van Wie, Miss Helen Payson, and Mrs. Dorothy Klotz Pardue.

The enterprising press agent's idea of having Paolino, the Spanish heavyweight boxer, give an exhibition of his native occupation wood chopping would have been all right but for one thing. After getting the "props" all ready and polishing up his favorite axe, Paolino and his companions searched in vain for even a limb that the law would permit to be cut down.

Attorney General Says Gene Did Not Violate State Law

NEW YORK, Dec. 11 (AP)—Attorney-General Albert Ottinger, in an opinion forwarded to the state athletic commission today, said that the appearance in a vaudeville boxing exhibition of Gene Tunney, world heavyweight champion, was not in violation of the state boxing law. Tunney was arrested Nov. 29 on a charge of appearing in an unlicensed exhibition during a vaudeville performance in a local theater, and a hearing was set for Dec. 22.

While Attorney-General Ottinger cannot intervene in the case, his opinion had been asked by the state athletic commission and by District Attorney Banton.

Mrs. Alice Mills Reads "The Skin Game" at Union

Mrs. Alice Mills will read a cutting of "The Skin Game," by John Galsworthy this afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Iowa Union. This will be the second of a series of readings to be given this year by members of the speech department. "The Skin Game" is popularly conceded to be one of Galsworthy's best plays. The plot concerns the struggle between an old, landed, aristocratic family of England and a "new-rich" ambitious family which presents much material for interpretation.

Mrs. Mills is a well-known interpretive reader, and is an assistant in the speech department at the university. She has presented "Trojan Women," a Greek play by Euripides, before a university audience, and again repeated it at the national convention of those interested in Greek, which was held here in 1924. At the speech and English conference in 1925 Mrs. Mills read "The Goose Hangs High." In last year's University theatre production, she interpreted the part of Candida in "Candida," and that of Portia in "The Merchant of Venice."

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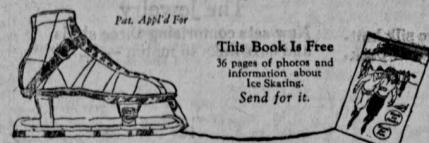


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George Lorence Faces Contempt of Court Charge

No Decision in Brandt Divorce Action; Both Sides Give Rebuttal Testimony

The George Lorence grand larceny trial which was to be heard last Tuesday and was postponed on account of Lorence's failure to appear in court, will go before Judge Otto Monday.

Lorence, who was indicted on a charge of stealing \$120 worth of clover seed last month, is now facing a second charge, contempt of court, for his untimely absence last Tuesday.

Returning voluntarily to the court house Wednesday, after Sheriff Martin had searched in vain for the belated defendant, Lorence was imprisoned in the county jail, but was released Thursday, when his father paid his bond.

Brandt Case Continued
No settlement was reached yesterday in the Brandt divorce case. Both sides took the witness stand in rebuttal. Mrs. Brant's testimony was further augmented by that of her sister, who told the court of the injustices and unhappiness caused by Mr. Brant.

Both sides have been on the stand before. Mr. Brant, the defendant, an across-petitioner for divorce from Elizabeth Brant, charged his wife with cruel and inhuman treatment, in answer to a petition filed by her requesting divorce from him on grounds of cruel and inhuman treatment and frequent unreasonable accusations against her.

At the Hospitals

Gladys Sandvig, 51 of Ruthven; Clarence Shaffer, 43 of Deep River; and Mary O'Brien, Iowa City, were admitted to the university general hospital Saturday for medical treatment. Pearl Brewster, Iowa City, has been discharged.

Another Country Heard From

From Java has come a case containing batiks, unusual mules, and odd items in bone and brass.

Step in and See Them

THE Davis Shop
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Church Services

First Baptist, Clinton and Burlington streets, Elbert Jesse Smith, minister.
9:30 a. m. Church Bible school. University class, under the leadership of the pastor, will begin a study of the "Life of Christ" with an introductory survey of the political and social background of the times.
10:45 a. m. Morning worship; sermon, "Why Go to Church Anyway?" a candid facing of the question. Solo by Miss Elizabeth Murphy. Anthem: Choir.
2:30 p. m. Wickham Chapel Sunday School.
5:00 p. m. B. Y. P. U. orchestra.
5:30 p. m. B. Y. P. U. luncheon and social hour.
6:30 p. m. The B. Y. P. U. service in the auditorium. Prof. Flickinger, of the university will give an illustrated account of his travels in the Holy Land. The "H. B. Y." group has been invited as guests of the evening. Music by the quartet.
Thursday evening at 7:30 Dr. George Huntley, who has served in China for thirty-five years as missionary-physician-surgeon where he was the only medical man in a city of 250,000 will give an illustrated lecture of his experience and service. Dr. Huntley is touring the northern states. The public is cordially invited.

First Church of Christ Scientist, 211 1-2 Iowa Avenue.
9:30 a. m. Sunday school.
10:30 a. m. Sunday service. Subject: "God, The Preserver of Man."
First Unitarian Church, Gilbert street and Iowa Avenue, Arthur L. Weatherly, minister.
10:45 a. m. Sunday school and kindergarten.
10:45 sermon: "The Menace of Leisure."
6:00 p. m. Fireside club. Social hour with supper.
7:00 p. m. Fireside hour. Dr. S. Bose will lead a discussion on "The Mexican Situation."

Zion Lutheran Church, Johnson and Bloomington streets, A. C. Proehl, pastor.
9:15 a. m. Sunday school and Bible class under the leadership of the pastor. Text book: the Bible.
10:30 a. m. Divine services. Third Advent Sunday. Sermon topic: "A Bruised or a Wavering Reed, Which Are You?"
2 p. m. Rehearsal of the Christmas program by the Sunday school.

Trinity Episcopal Church, 322 East College street, Harry Sherman Longley, pastor.
Third Sunday in Advent.
8:00 a. m. Holy communion.
9:30 a. m. Children's church.
10:45 a. m. Morning service and sermon by the rector.
5:00 p. m. Vesper service.
6:00 p. m. Morrison club.

First English Lutheran Church, Dubuque and Market streets Iowa City, Iowa, W. S. Dysinger, pastor.
9:30 a. m. Sunday school, meeting in three departments.
10:45 a. m. Morning worship. Sermon by the pastor. "Gifts."
5:30 p. m. Evening luncheon, by the Luther League.
6:30 p. m. Intermediate league.
6:30 p. m. Luther league.

St. Paul's Lutheran University Church, Julius A. Friedrich, pastor.
Third Sunday in Advent. Regular service in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce, Garden theater building, at 10:30 a. m. Text, Matt

Lincoln Highway Route Now South of Mechanicsville

Highway Commissioners Overrule Objections in Cedar County Road Program

The Lincoln highway through Cedar county will be changed to run south of Mechanicsville when the pavement is put in, was the decision of the State Highway commission, which met with the board of supervisors at Tipton Friday.

The meeting had been called for the purpose of coming to an understanding on the location of the highway at Mechanicsville. After the group had motored from Tipton and looked over the situation it was decided that the permanent road should run south of the town rather than through it, as it now does.

Eliminate Crossings
The new route will eliminate all railroad crossings on the Lincoln Highway from Clinton to Cedar Rapids, about eighty miles. This excepts the overhead crossing west of Lowden.

The decision is the climax of a long dispute which has made the county slow to vote for paved roads. With the approval of the bond issue which came up at the last election, the matter came to a head.

Must Build New Road
The new location will necessitate the building of a new road about five miles long. Little drainage work will be necessary.

Since the beginning of the paving agitation in Cedar county, when the subject of the location of the permanent highway arose, the people of Mechanicsville have opposed the plans of the Highway commission. Several years ago the town paved its main street, which is the present route of the Lincoln highway.

Highway Mile Shorter
Many said the people thought there would be no question of the location after their mile of pavement was in. Later, when the commission still seemed to favor building the road south of the town, efforts were made to change the attitudes of the commissioners.

The final arrangements made Friday will result in the shortening of the Lincoln highway a mile and making an almost straight road from Clarence to Lisbon.

Shoemaker to Talk at Engineers Club

The Iowa City engineers club will take dinner at the Chamber of Commerce hall tomorrow night at 6 p. m., followed by a business meeting. G. T. Shoemaker, electrical and mechanical engineer of the Light and power company of Davenport is to talk on present day tendencies and designs of modern power plant development. Senior engineers, faculty members of the college of applied science and engineers of the city are cordially invited to attend.

Read Iowan Want Ads

Jury Finds Mrs. O'Leary Guilty; Out Twelve Hours

Mrs. Mary O'Leary was found guilty of resisting an officer of the law by a jury which required twelve hours to reach a decision. It returned a verdict at 4 a. m. Saturday, after an all-night session, starting Friday afternoon.

Mrs. O'Leary, who hindered county officers last July when they arrested Mae Pooler, an escaped ward from the Soldiers' Orphan Home at Davenport, will receive judgement next Saturday morning, Judge Otto announced yesterday.

Craig Returns to U.S.; to Speak at National Meeting

Kuhl Also to Address Modern Language Association

Prof. Hardin Craig, head of the English department, who has been in Europe on a leave of absence, will return to the United States this month. He will land in Boston Dec. 14 and will be in Ashby, Mass. until Dec. 29 when he will go to Harvard university to attend a meeting of the Modern Language association of America.

Professor Craig will be one of the speakers at this meeting. He will give a paper before the Shakespeare group on "The Quarto Version of 'Henry V.'" and will also read a paper before the Renaissance group on "A Proposed Series of Sixteenth Century Tests."

Prof. Ernest P. Kuhl of the English department will also speak at the meeting. He will be the principal speaker before the Chaucer group, and his subject will be "Chaucer — Retrospect and Prospect." Before the Shakespeare meeting he will speak on "As You Like It" and the Earl of Essex."

These Faces Fur Coat Theft Charge

Carroll Brings Suspect from Oelwein; Now in County Jail

Milton These, charged with the theft of an overcoat, was brought back yesterday from Oelwein by Detective O. E. Carroll. He is now in the county jail.

Homecoming day, Nov. 6, the overcoat, a black bear skin garment valued at \$175 and belonging to George S. Hollowell, 41 of Fort Madison, disappeared from the Red Ball inn. Authorities over the state were immediately notified, but it was not until late this week that These was apprehended in Oelwein.

According to Detective Carroll These will be brought before Justice B. F. Carter's court on Monday morning.

Mrs. Rudolph Belt Sues for Divorce

A petition for divorce was filed yesterday in the county clerk's office by Anna Belt, Iowa City, against Rudolph A. Belt.

Mrs. Belt states in her petition that she and Belt were married in Omaha, Neb., Sept. 16, 1916, and lived together as husband and wife until Jan. 3, 1918, when Belt "willfully deserted" her, and has since asented himself from her. She is now asking full divorce from her husband.

The case will be heard in the February term of court.

Howard Gingerich Gets Jail Sentence

Guilty on Charge of Petty Larceny for Gasoline Theft

Howard Gingerich, Kalona, was sentenced to thirty days in the county jail in Justice B. F. Carter's court yesterday when he pled guilty to the theft of ten gallons of gasoline from the farmhouse of Elmer Swartzendruber, Kalona.

Gingerich was given the jail sentence and ordered to pay the costs of the action. His sentence was suspended until Feb. 11 to give him a chance to secure the money to pay the costs.

Chamber Committee Meets
The street lighting committee of the Chamber of Commerce will meet in the rooms of the Chamber at 9:30 a. m. Tuesday, Dec. 14. The street marking committee will also meet Tuesday at the same place but at 2:00 p. m.

Did You Promise Yourself Never--No Never--Again?

C. C. Shrader, Iowa City post master says, "Do you remember how you stood in line at the post office last year for an hour or more waiting to mail your Christmas parcels? Did you not then and there promise yourself that this should never, no never, occur again?"

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