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Bates Presents Check Paid to E. J. Folda for Wall Cabinets

Also Denies Testimony of Three Others

"You Can't Scare Me," Cobb Retorts to Kelleher

By FRANK JAFFE

In a hectic half hour of re-cross examination yesterday afternoon of W. H. Bates, university secretary, Attorney Henry G. Walker ripped aside, before the investigating committee, the web of evidence presented in previous testimony by former employes of the university with a counter charge of testimony and evidence to show that Bates never employed either state materials or labor on his own property.

More than 50 spectators crowded into the business office and craned their necks to get every word of Walker's questioning and Bates' answers. As refutation of each former witness was presented and numerous cancelled checks and paid bills entered in evidence, chuckles of satisfaction came from the spectators.

Walker systematically drew from the witness the evidence and testimony necessary to completely refute the damaging testimony of Earl J. Folda, Leo Budreau, N. J. Alexander, and O. L. Rees.

Cupboards

Folda testified previously in Des Moines that he had built all cupboards for Bates about 16 years ago, for which he was paid by the university. Bates admitted Folda had built the cupboards, adding that was the only work he had ever done for him, but presented a check dated Aug. 19, 1916 for \$48 drawn by Bates on his personal account.

Dirt

Bates testified that the retaining wall on his property had been completed in Oct. 1921, in an attempt to show that Leo Budreau, who said he had hauled dirt from university property to Bates' property, could not have, since he did not begin working until 1922.

Cement

Bates testified that O. L. Rees, who said he had hauled cement from the university siding for Bates' retaining wall, was the foreman in charge of the project, and that all materials for the job were ordered by Rees. Cement, lumber, and other materials, Bates said, were bought from the Wallace Lumber company.

Committees

Finance
LeRoy S. Mercer, chairman, C. Rollin Sherck, and Edward Sybil.

Ordinance
Sherck, chairman, Roscoe B. Ayres, and Mercer.

Street and Alley
George Katzenmeyer, chairman, Charles McGuan, and Michael P. Lumsden.

Public Grounds and Buildings
McGuan, chairman, Sybil, and Ayres.

Claims
Ayres, chairman, Katzenmeyer, and Sybil.

Sidewalks
Sybil, chairman, McGuan, and Mercer.

Lights
Sherck, chairman, Katzenmeyer, and Lumsden.

Grades and Bridges
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Waterworks
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Airport
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Restrict Dog Movements
The council sat as the board of health and passed a resolution designed to combat hydrophobia ordering that all dogs must be securely tied up by April 10, or run the risk of being picked up by policemen to be killed or otherwise disposed of.

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Earl J. Folda, 822 E. Church street, could not remember when he testified before the legislature's inquiring committee at Des Moines a month ago whether it was before or after the World war when he installed three wall cabinets in the home of Secretary W. H. Bates on Brown street, but insisted that he had been paid only by the state during that period.

Carroll Picks Frank Smith Police Chief

Frank L. Smith was appointed chief of police by Mayor J. J. Carroll last night to succeed Charles F. Benda, effective this morning. The announcement was made at the first meeting of the new city council.

Mr. Smith was sheriff of Johnson county for four years and was defeated for re-nomination last June by a narrow margin. He was police and fire commissioner of Iowa City until he resigned to run for sheriff.

Benda said last night he had no plans for the immediate future, but would not continue in law enforcing work.

Other appointments made by Mayor Carroll were as follows:
Fire chief—Herman J. Amish,
Street commissioner—James McClellan.

Health officer—Dr. F. L. Love,
Section—George Reha,
Weightmaster—S. J. Gibson,
Janitor—George Letts.

In his message to the new council Mayor Carroll urged that immediate action be taken to clean up Ralston creek. He advocated permanent registration of voters, and that each ward be divided into two voting precincts.

Officers filled by the council were as follows:
City engineer—Allen Wallen,
City clerk—George J. Dohrer,
City auditor—George J. Dohrer,
City solicitor—Will J. Hayek,
Dairy inspector—Dr. J. S. Potter.

All appointments were unanimous. Council committee selections made by the mayor were as follows:

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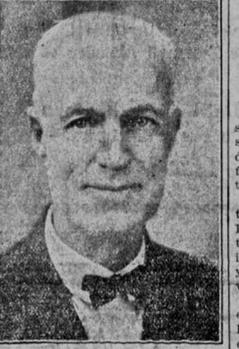
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New and Old



Frank L. Smith



C. F. Benda

to advertise for bids, due April 24, on garbage collection was passed, read and placed on file. A resolution A motion was approved to advertise for bids on sewer improvements on West Benton street. Petition of George J. Chadek for permission to put in a freight chute on Washington street was granted. The petition of Ella Kline for claim to property of unknown persons was referred to the city solicitor.

Buy Trees, Shrubs
The bid of \$355 of the Kirkwood Avenue nursery for spring planting in the addition to the Oakland cemetery was accepted by the council.

Six new aldermen and Mercer of the former council were given the oath of office by City Clerk George J. Dohrer. In a 15 minute meeting the bonds of Mayor Carroll, Police Judge Charles L. Zager, and City Treasurer E. B. Raymond were approved.

Old Council

Lou H. Kaufmann, Jacob Van der Zee, Charles Regan, Dr. W. L. Bywater, John Piper, and Leo Kohl passed out of the administration of city affairs in the special session of the old council yesterday morning.

A discussion and passage of the airport ordinance and reading of the waterworks committee's report kept the councilment busy down to the last minute of their term.

An ordinance to regulate the airport as an open field was approved by the council after a lengthy discussion over the rates to be assessed. The amended ordinance struck out sections 54 to 60 of the original ordinance as drawn up by Bywater fixing the charges for the use of the field and left the determination of rates up to the new council.

Bids for New School to Be Opened Today

Bids for the Henry Lathrop grade school, to be erected on W. Benton street, will be opened at 4 o'clock today. Sixteen published bidders aim for the general contract and ten for the plumbing and heating.

At a board meeting this evening in the administration building of the Iowa City high school contracts are to be awarded. Plans for the building were made more than three years ago, but have been delayed for various reasons.

Four Iowa City companies have entered bids for the project. O. H. Dunlap and Son, Hutzinger-Wagner company, Robert Sook, and W. F. Miller. Three Waterloo builders are competing; J. G. Miller construction company, Currie construction company, and N. H. Hansen.

Others are: Fred Fischer of Ames; E. B. Castle and Son of Marion; Theo. Stark construction company of Cedar Rapids; K. and W. construction company of Ainsworth; F. C. Strobbel of Minneapolis; Verle Castle of Delta; Tapscott construction company of Albert Lea, Minn.; and Frank Wilson of Des Moines.

Farmer Commits Suicide

CHCROKKEE, April 6 (AP)—John R. Billings, 61, farmer near Cleghorn, committed suicide by hanging, leaving a note which indicated that ill health caused the act. The body was found by his mother, Mrs. Matilda Billings, 81. He was unmarried.

Waterworks Report

The report of the waterworks committee was presented by Alderman Van der Zee as a "sincere attempt to describe the situation."

After a fiery reading of his report, Van der Zee appended it with a claim that the appraisal of the waterworks plant had not been made for taxation or rate purposes, but had been made by the company with a view of selling out to the United Power and Light company. "I learned that three weeks ago from a reliable source."

Van der Zee's motion that a copy of the report be sent to "40 Exchange place, New York," was carried.

The report of City Treasurer E. B. Raymond for the year April 1, 1929 to March 31, 1931 was read, accepted and placed on file. The expenditures for the last year were listed as follows:

Consolidated fund	\$165,875.55
Fire department	22,108.98
City sewer	9,168.12
Public library	15,294.77
Brick paving improvement	126,153.38
Park maintenance	8,492.05
Airport	22,510.89
Cemetery	2,176.73
Bond and interest	35,688.83
Park bond and interest	1,792.13
County roads in Iowa	
City	854.80
Bridge maintenance	27,575.49
Sidewalk	2,290.27
Bridge bond and interest	9,250.26
Sanitary district	8,020.53
Park improvement	84.86
Street light	1,354.13
City fire bond	2,432.47
Perpetual care	
Grand total	\$113,856.49

Refused city warrants (sewers) 8,199.87
Outstanding bonds 864,301.77
Firemen's pension fund 1,402.84
Bond owned (Iowa City improvement bonds) 8,600.00
Policemen's pension fund 1,141.77
Bond owned (Iowa City improvement bonds) 6,500.00

Chicago Votes on Thompson, Cermak Today

Both Factions Claim Victory on Eve of Election

CHICAGO, April 6 (AP)—William Hale Thompson closed his last campaign tonight.

Tomorrow, an estimated 1,100,000 votes will decide whether Republican "Big Bill," thrice mayor, will serve a fourth term, or whether Anton J. Cermak, immigrant boy who rose to Democratic chieftain of America's second city, will become mayor.

The battle of a million ballots raged until the good night tones of the radio left appeals in thousands of homes.

Strong confidence accompanied the Democratic claims of victory. "By 150,000"—came the cry from Cermak camps.

Thompson's margin was placed by Bertha Baur, Republican national committee woman and gold coast social leader, at 50,000 or more.

Police Guards Doubled
Election commissioners expected little violence, but police guards in wards heretofore troublesome, have been doubled.

Admittedly his hardest, this is Thompson's last campaign. The master showman of politics, fighting his last fight with serious men and without his traditional circus and sideshow, has announced he would never again seek office from the electorate.

Cermak parades with the slogan of "clean out the city hall" filled the Randolph street Riato and promenade past the county building where Cermak rules, and the contingent city hall.

Thompson addressed three noon loop meetings and a dozen others kept him on the jump until midnight.

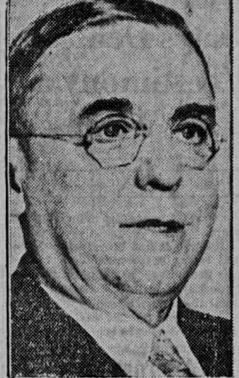
Both Thompson and Cermak charge waste and extravagance in each other's respective administrations; both raise the shout of cheap taxes; both cite their records as builders; both point to legislative bills designed to alleviate Chicago's financial ills.

Many rival Republican leaders failed to declare openly for "Big Bill," including former Senator Charles S. Deneen, George F. Harding, Charles V. Barrett and County Chairman Bernard W. Snow, the last three formerly Thompson leaders.

But these, the Thompson camp claimed, would turn out with their support tomorrow rather than allow a Democratic victory.

Cermak won his nomination without opposition, but Thompson was nominated by a plurality in the primaries over Judge John H. Lyle, Alderman Arthur Albert drawing 100,000 votes to keep Thompson from a majority.

Opponent



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Urge City to Buy Plant on Option in '32

Claim Rate Value Too High, Tax Base Too Low

By ROLAND WHITE

Declaring that rates for water in Iowa City are exorbitant, the city council waterworks committee yesterday advocated municipal ownership in its annual report.

Chairman Lou Kaufmann and Jacob Van der Zee, members who signed the report, were completing their last official act as members of the 1929-31 city council in tendering their findings and recommendation to the group yesterday morning.

They reported:

1. That 7.6 per cent profit is being made by the company, while the rate of return allowed by law is 7 per cent;

2. That the property value on which rates are based is padded through excessive allowance for depreciation, and no allowance for decline in reproduction cost;

3. That the assessment on which the company pays taxes was set by city council representatives without access to an appraisal made in 1929 when the committee believes would have resulted in a higher taxable valuation;

4. That the company paid \$150 less in taxes on its Iowa City property than the year previous, while earning more in receipts than ever before;

5. That Iowa City water consumers paid \$4,366 for the 1929 appraisal, which has not been disclosed to them, because the item was considered in computing rates, as part of the 1929 operating expenses;

6. That the company has gone into the "banking business" by the expedient of increasing its bonded indebtedness and loaning some \$77,000 to affiliated companies;

7. That the bondholders get 5 1/2 per cent and affiliated companies pay 6 per cent for loans while city consumers pay more than 7 1/2 per cent profit to the company, leaving a "2 per cent rakeoff";

8. That any blame for these conditions must go to the New York holding company which owns the waterworks rather than to the local manager;

9. That 515 of 527 Iowa municipalities now own their waterworks;

10. That the city council should exercise the power it has under the waterworks franchise to give notice in March, 1932, relative to acquiring the plant by election in March, 1933.

John Piper, first ward alderman, is also a member of the committee but did not attend its meetings with the waterworks representatives. Kaufmann served as chairman, Van der Zee as secretary prepared and yesterday read to the retiring city council the report, which follows verbatim:

"In compliance with the council's instructions, we met with Manager Keller last Friday morning (April 3). The three hour visit enabled us better to explain the company's report for 1929 and also to clear up some of the contents of a mysterious appraisal made in the summer of 1929 at great expense but never divulged to any city official or the public.

Calls It Holding Company "Paw"
"Since the Iowa Water Service company" here is merely one of the pawns of the People's Light and Power corporation, the annual report of 1929 as usual came from Mr. F. W. Peters, 40 Exchange place, New York city. That holding company, it may be added, is the real manager of the local operating company and all serious complaints about local conditions should be lodged there.

"The 1929 report is the first one that separates the value of plant, property, and equipment at Iowa City, Corvallis, and University Heights, as requested by the city council several months ago, because consumers in Iowa City are not responsible for a return on company investments outside the city.

Corvallis Property Added In
"The balance sheet shows that the whole property at Iowa City is worth \$949,706. This figure includes \$6,861 that should have been added to the Corvallis valuation.

"That this error crept in is clear from page two of schedule two of the report. The balance sheet and schedule one (items of fixed capital) should in the future eliminate this error.

"The Iowa City value is, therefore, \$943,045. It includes \$748,487 (the cost of reproduction estimated by Day and Zimmerman, March 31, 1926) and \$159,558 representing additions at cost made between March 31, 1926 and Dec. 31, 1929. These sums minus \$193,870 of accrued depreciation make a valuation on which the company in 1929 collected a return of 7 1/2 per cent.

"We believe that the annual report should show a valuation that demonstrates the practical operation of the U. S. supreme court's view (CONTINUED ON PAGE THREE)

University to 'Go to Bat' in Investigation

Walker Will Examine Witnesses for Board

The University of Iowa and the board of education are to be "given the bat" as Attorney Emmet Tinley phrased it in his plea for a university in-lining last week.

Three of five witnesses scheduled to testify when the hearing resumes in the senate chamber of Old Capitol at 8:30 this morning were named in another request made yesterday morning, two in the original petition.

Direct examination will be conducted by Attorney Henry Walker, who first asked questions of John Blair of the Chicago Federal Reserve bank in the only previous instance where a board attorney had first chance at a witness.

Today's witnesses: Milo Dimity, grounds and buildings employe; Reed Hedges, grounds and buildings employe; Mrs. J. M. Flisk; Robert E. Neff, administrator of university hospitals, who is to be interrogated at his headquarters, and Roy McGinnis, university electrician.

Of the others named in the request, Earl Wisdom has assisted Denis M. Kelleher in the investigation, Eric Brown is the budget director's office auditor who reported on the Rockefeller endowment funds, and E. D. Atwater is an accountant from the Arthur H. Young company who has also audited university books.

The petition follows.

Plea for Witnesses

"Before the joint committee of the members of the house of representatives and the senate of the forty-fourth general assembly, proceeding under House concurrent resolution No. 8.

"Request for the issuance of subpoenas for witnesses on behalf of the members of the state board of education of Iowa.

"To the joint committee: The members of the state board of education of the state of Iowa, George T. Baker, E. P. Schoentgen, Mrs. James A. Devitt, Miss Anna B. Lawther, C. C. Sheakley, George Godfrey, Henry C. Shull, and J. S. Galvin, directing your attention to the provisions of section 6 of said resolution, respectfully show the joint committee:

"1.—That on Wednesday, March 25, 1931, the said members of the state board of education presented to this committee a written request for the issuance of subpoenas for certain specified witnesses.

"2.—That in addition to the witnesses then requested, the following named witnesses are necessary and material witnesses for a thorough and complete investigation of the charges against the state board of education and the general administration of duties of said board.

"3.—That the members of the state board of education of the state of Iowa respectfully request that subpoenas be issued for the attendance of the following named witnesses, and that the committee shall fix a time and place for the appearance and examination of said witnesses and that they be fully heard to the end that the investigation by the committee shall be thorough and completely made.

"4.—That John Fletcher, attorney general of the state of Iowa, residing in Des Moines, Iowa:

"5.—That the witness to bring all letters to the attorney general of the state of Iowa from any member of the finance committee, the state board of education, or any official of the state university of Iowa, requesting legal opinions, between the dates of May 8, 1929, and Feb. 14, 1931; also all copies of letters or legal opinions sent in reply thereto by the witness or any assistant attorney general.

"6.—That Earl, Wisdom, assistant attorney general of the state of Iowa, residing in Des Moines, Iowa:

"7.—That Milo Dimity, residing in Iowa City:

"8.—That Reed Hedges, residing in Iowa City:

"9.—That H. T. Breene, residing in Iowa City:

"10.—That Prof. G. W. Stewart, residing in Iowa City:

"11.—That Prof. C. A. Phillips, residing in Iowa City:

"12.—That Eric Brown, residing in Des Moines:

"13.—That J. L. A. Andrew, superintendent of banking of the state of Iowa, residing in Des Moines:

"14.—That E. D. Atwater, residing in Chicago, Ill.

Waterworks Men Convene in Iowa City

Conference Held Under Auspices of Local Engineer Unit

Waterworks men from all parts of the state will meet at the electrical engineering building tomorrow for the fourth annual Iowa waterworks conference. Meetings will also be held Thursday and Friday.

The conference is under the auspices of the college of engineering and the extension division, the state department of health cooperating with Prof. Earl L. Waterman of the college of engineering in charge.

Registration will begin at the electrical engineering building tomorrow at 9 a. m. The status of public water supplies in Iowa will be discussed by Paul E. Houser, assistant engineer of the state department of health, at 9:30 a. m. The talk will be followed by a discussion of sources and treatment of public water supply in Michigan by Edward D. Rich, director of the bureau of engineering of the Michigan department of health, and a talk on electric power for waterworks service by Prof. Richard R. Whipple of the department of electrical engineering.

John W. Pray, superintendent of waterworks, Ft. Dodge, will open the afternoon session with a talk on the history and development of the Ft. Dodge waterworks. W. E. Galligan, assistant professor of sanitary engineering at Iowa State college, will answer the question, "How can a municipality determine the feasibility of water softening and iron removal," and the 1930 drought in Iowa will be discussed by Prof. Floyd A. Nagler of the college of engineering.

Water laboratory tests will be made at 3:15 p. m. by Jack J. Hinman, Jr., associate professor of sanitation. The work will be done in the laboratory, room 278, medical laboratories building. Methods of taking samples of water and making bacteriological tests will be explained, and members of the conference will be given an opportunity to make actual tests.

In addition to the regular meetings Thursday and Friday, a dinner will be given at Iowa Union Thursday at 6:30 p. m., and a round table discussion will serve as a final meeting Friday at 1:15 p. m. The conference will adjourn at 3 p. m.

Campaign for Funds to Defend Brothers

ST. LOUIS, April 6 (AP)—Plans are under way to launch a public subscription campaign for funds with which to further defend Leo V. Brothers, convicted slayer of Alfred Cardell Jensen of Suburban Webster Grove, said tonight.

Motion for a new trial will be filed immediately, she said, and in the event of an adverse decision the case will be appealed.

CEDAR RAPIDS, April 6 (AP)—Three Des Moines youths, Russell Halley, 17, Bernard Rippe, 21, and George A. Munday, 17, are in jail here on charges of stealing an automobile at Marion last week.

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April Showers Decorative Scheme to Feature Dance

Women's Pan-Hellenic Council to Entertain at Formal Dance Friday; Marty Stone's Orchestra Will Play

An effect suggestive of April showers will be utilized in the decorative scheme for the Women's Pan-Hellenic dance at Iowa Union Friday evening. As a background for the orchestra platform, a couple strolling down a pathway under an umbrella in the rain is to be depicted. The crests of the 17 sororities, members of Pan-Hellenic council, will surround the picture. Programs are of black celluloid, tied with a black and gold silk cord, and bear a gold Pan-Hellenic crest. The dance is to be formal.

Tickets were placed on sale at the sorority houses April 1, 450 already having been sold. Others are obtainable from Frances Stearns, P2 of Corydon, chairman of the ticket committee.

Chaperons of sororities and fraternities are to be guests at the event. Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Fitzgerald, Prof. and Mrs. O. K. Patton, Dean Adelaide L. Burge, and Dean Robert E. Rienow are to chaperone.

The committees in charge of the formal are Blossom Henton, A4 of Wakefield, Neb., Alpha Xi Delta, general chairman; Jayne Shover, A4 of Monticello, Pi Beta Phi, music; Una Wallace, A2 of Ft. Dodge, Kappa Delta, decorations; Helen Frahm, C4 of Davenport, Chi Omega, chaperons; Miss Stearns, Gamma Phi Beta, tickets; and Helen Hansen, A4 of Holstein, Kappa Alpha Theta, programs. Florence Lawton, A4 of Alden, president of the Pan-Hellenic council, Phi Omega Pi, is supervising the arrangements.

Marty Stone's orchestra, formerly of the Edgewater Beach and the Congress hotels in Chicago, will furnish the music, which is to be broadcast over WSUL.

Margaret Wahlig to Marry Clifford Russell April 25

Announcement of the engagement and approaching marriage of Margaret Wahlig, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George C. Wahlig of Davenport, and Clifford Russell, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Russell of Wilton Junction, has recently been made to friends of the couple.

The ceremony will be an event of April 25 at 7:30 a. m., at the Sacred Heart cathedral in Davenport. The date chosen by Miss Wahlig is the thirty-seventh wedding anniversary of her parents.

Mr. Russell was formerly a student at the university and is a graduate of the Wilton high school. Miss Wahlig has attended the Sacred Heart cathedral school and the Immaculate Conception academy in Davenport.

Mr. Russell is employed as a salesman with the Gordon-Van Tine company.

Cameron, Adams Former Students, Tell of Betrothal

The engagement and approaching marriage of Gertrude Cameron, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest B. Cameron, to Deane Lovden Adams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Deane C. Adams, both of Cedar Rapids, has been announced by Mr. and Mrs. Cameron. The couple plan to be married in the late summer.

Miss Cameron spent her freshman year at Ward Belmont school at Nashville, Tenn., and graduated from the university last June. She was a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority.

Mr. Adams attended the university and was affiliated with Beta Theta Pi fraternity. He has recently been appointed head of the Waterloo branch of the Wiltmer Grocery company.

Auxiliary Holds Business Meeting

Members of the American Legion auxiliary met for business yesterday at 2:30 p. m., at the American Legion building.

No definite date has been set for the children's party which was postponed from March 28.

Mrs. T. Dell Kelley Entertains Club

The Ruddle club met yesterday at 2:30 p. m., at the home of Mrs. T. Dell Kelley, with Mrs. R. G. Bowen as assistant hostess. The time was spent socially.

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Double \$4.00, \$4.50, Twin Beds \$5.00

Hetter's
THE BIG STORE

Reveal Engagement of Margaret Stevens, Wendell Dunkerton

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Stevens announced the engagement of their daughter, Margaret, to Wendell Dunkerton, son of Mrs. C. H. Dunkerton, also of Iowa City, yesterday. The engagement was revealed at a luncheon given by Mrs. Stevens at her home, 214 S. Summit street. The luncheon honored Jane Dutch, who is home from Stephens college at Columbia, Mo., for the spring vacation.

Miss Stevens is a sophomore at the University of Iowa and is a member of Delta Gamma sorority. Mr. Dunkerton is a senior commerce student and is affiliated with Phi Gamma Delta fraternity.

Bates Denies Testimony of 3 Witnesses

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Although it had been testified that 2,022 sacks of cement were hauled from the university siding to the site of the Bates' wall, the witness pointed out that the Wallace Lumber company bill was for 286 sacks, the actual amount used in the construction.

Attorney Fees

Earlier in the session, Auditor Cobb presented to the committee a list of attorney's fees totaling over \$14,000 in the last 12 years to Charles M. Dutcher's firms. The list of payments follows:

Dutcher and Davis	\$ 2,157.00
Dutcher and Hambrecht	583.00
Dutcher and McClain	8,767.32
Dutcher, Walker, and Ries	2,545.62
Total	\$14,052.94

Other lawyers might have been hired by the university, Cobb told Attorney Kelleher, but none, besides those listed, for substantial amounts. He said the list presented above covered the last 12 years and that he did not hire any of them but other officials of the university had.

A transition from the examination of J. M. Fisk was effected when Cobb was asked about payroll vouchers for the chemistry building, distribution costs in construction and other matters that tied in with the grounds and buildings superintendent's testimony. Cobb was queried at some length on the manner in which his records checked in with those of Fisk's office in regard to building materials and labor costs.

Ledgers

What started out to be a stormy session yesterday morning after the first half hour resolved itself into a routine examination of ledgers, disbursement sheets, and other records of building accounts.

Attorney Kelleher, continuing his direct examination of Cobb, proceeded to point out that an omission of an \$87,000 item from the liability side of a ledger on the chemistry building report was arbitrarily made up by inserting that figure on the asset side.

Cobb explained that the omission had been made through a clerical error and that the books were balanced in that manner as a matter of course. He added that the amount was entered in a later report taking care of the matter completely. Cobb said he had explained the matter to the committee accountants, who were satisfied on that point.

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Humanist Society Founded in 1897; Then Named After Whitney, Yale Philologist

Founded at the University of Iowa as the Whitney society, Dec. 11, 1897, the Humanist society is now represented in the faculty by two charter members, Prof. Charles Bundy Wilson, head of the German department, and Prof. Franklin H. Potter of the department of Latin and Greek.

Three Iowa City women who formerly taught in the university are also charter members. They are Mrs. Roberta Holmes Seashore, wife of Prof. Carl E. Seashore, dean of the graduate college; Della Hutchinson, 11 E. Davenport street; and Louise E. Hughes, 528 N. Gilbert street.

The organization was named in honor of Prof. William D. Whitney, noted philologist of Yale university, who died three and a half years before the founding of the society. Professor Whitney was a Sanskrit expert who became famous in Europe as well as in America.

Early members included Dean Amos N. Currier, who with his wife, was honored in the naming of Currier hall; Harry E. Kelley, formerly of the

English department and now a well known Chicago lawyer; and George Cram Cook, an American writer who died in Greece several years ago.

The constitution of the Whitney society declared that the purpose shall be the study of languages and literature and the methods of teaching them.

When the name was changed to the Humanist society, Dec. 2, 1907, the constitution was revised to read: "The purpose shall be the cultivation and advancement in the university and elsewhere of the humanities, particularly of language, literature, art, and kindred subjects."

Since the founding of the society, the meetings have consisted of the reading and discussion of papers, usually at the home of a member, but sometimes in one of the university buildings.

Meetings are now the second and fourth Monday of every month. Prof. John Hubert Scott of the English department is president, and Prof. Herbert O. Lyte of the German department is secretary.

Testimonials

Cobb pointed out that in his survey of Big Ten schools he finds his system the best, "as complete a system as we can have for the money."

Auditors from the state budget director's office have approved the system here, Cobb testified, and presented copies of the annual audit to back his statements. They made only minor changes in which Cobb concurred. Last year they had him install his system at Iowa State Teachers' college at Cedar Falls.

In response to a question by Senator Doran, Cobb explained that the state auditors spend about six weeks on the books before making a report. They check every voucher and make a detailed report that includes receipts, expenditures, accounts, analysis of expenditures, and total expenses. In addition, he said, the Arthur Young company of Chicago makes a balance sheet audit each year.

He said that the state budget director has had knowledge of and has approved making building and land purchases from the tuition income fund. He read into the record transfers of tuition receipts into the general support fund, but denied it was used for capital expenditures.

"I think I will ask for an additional clerk," Cobb said, "to keep cost analysis records on the rental property accounts. It will show more details than we are able to keep now."

Senator L. H. Doran told Cobb that although the business office could interpret its records, it would save embarrassment if they were readily understood by outsiders.

Belting Fund

Bates was questioned by Attorney Kelleher briefly on his connection with the "belting" trust fund. Bates declared that he knew nothing about it until Belting came to his office with a voucher for \$1,119 which Belting told him was to be loaned to students.

"Does the university take notes from students for tuition under any consideration?" asked Senator Doran.

A humorous situation arose, one

of the few during the day, when Kelleher asked Bates if he had known that an architect from the firm of Proudfoot, Rawson, and Souers had been sent to Europe at the expense of the university to get designs for the Old Capitol west approach. Bates said that if that had happened it would have to have been over 25 years ago.

During the morning session Kelleher referred to a letter that Cobb had written to the board of education, March 21, 1929, in connection with the interest on the Rockefeller funds.

"With whom did you talk before you wrote this letter?" Kelleher asked.

"No one before that time," Cobb answered.

Kelleher asked upon what information Cobb based the letter if he had any from any source. Cobb replied that he had compiled the statistical facts in the letter from information he received from W. J. McChesney, university treasurer, that he had asked him about the brokerage charges and rates. The rest of the data he had computed himself, he said.

"Some time during the four years," Cobb explained, "the treasurer may have told me that there were no brokerage charges on the Rockefeller money and also about the two-tenths per cent rate. He admitted he was 'fairly certain about that.'" McChesney quoted him \$1 per \$1,000 as the normal brokerage on bonds.

He did not recall having spoken to President Walter A. Jessup on the matter, but said that he might have mentioned to the president and to W. R. Boyd, finance committee chairman, that he was writing to the board.

University Autos

Kelleher shifted the quizzing to the matter of automobiles owned by the university, in reference to testimony by Orville Simmons that he had used a car owned by the university to travel about the state.

Bates explained that this was furnished by the athletic association at Belting's direction. To the attorney's question Bates replied that a Ford was in use by the preventive medicine department that was bought some time ago when an epidemic of Malta fever throughout the state required an automobile for public health work.

He added that several other cars, a Ford in the athletic department and an old Dodge were the only other cars owned by the university.

Although he said "he had promised not to bring the sand pump matter up again," Kelleher asked Bates what he knew about the matter. Bates admitted that Langford had obtained an option on the property at the request of Fisk, and that he had paid for the property out of university funds.

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Urge City to Buy Plant on Option in '32

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that value at any given time is a sort of composite resulting from a consideration both of the money actually spent on the property and of the cost of reproducing the whole plant at prices then prevalent.

Reproduction Cost Declines

"Since the prices of labor and materials entering into a waterworks system have steadily declined since 1924 when Day and Zimmerman made their appraisal, so that present prices are almost 25 per cent under those of 1926, it is fair to say that the 1930 cost of reproducing the waterworks system may be roughly estimated at \$200,000 under the \$43,045 reported by the company."

"In support of this statement is the manager's declaration that hydrants once costing \$65 now sell for \$41 and meters costing \$12 sell for \$7.50; while the government reports six inch cast iron pipe as costing about 30 per cent less than in 1926."

Rates Too High?

"The people of Iowa City are paying over 7 1/2 per cent on a reported valuation that is altogether too high. In this connection reference should be made to Moody's 1929 'Manual of Investments' (public utilities), page 768, where it is stated that the Iowa City company serves with its water supply on favorable rates. Frank advertising like that is rather refreshing and helps to bear out our contention that the rates are not fair but exorbitant."

"According to our latest information, the rates in Iowa City are still fourth highest among the 577 water plants in the state of Iowa, chiefly, we feel, because the rate base—the valuation—is set far too high."

What About the 1929 Appraisal?

"We firmly believe there is convincing proof of excessive rates in the office of the local manager. Although we asked Mr. Keller in December, 1929, to file with the city clerk a copy of the appraisal made in the summer of 1929, he has steadfastly refused to comply, because, as we suspect, the publication of the contents of that appraisal would seriously undermine the company's rate structure."

"The manager was asked how much that appraisal cost and the bookkeeper showed us a book entry of \$4,306 but no receipt or canceled check to show that sum had been paid."

Cost Consumers \$4,366

"That's what it cost Iowa City water consumers," alleged Mr. Keller, "and Van der Zee is to blame for that! Because when you raised the assessed valuation of our property in May, 1929, New York headquarters ordered an appraisal to be made to protect the company."

"So Mr. Tate, a Milwaukee engineer, headed up the work; but before it was finished, at the June taxation conference between city council and company representatives in Mr. Dutcher's office, Mr. Tate estimated the value of the waterworks system to be 4 per cent under the company's valuation. Eventually, in October, the city council surrendered to the figures insisted upon at the conference."

Was Tax Valuation Too Low?

"When the appraisal was completed," declared Mr. Keller and his bookkeeper, "Mr. Tate's final valuation was actually 10 per cent higher! It should be noted here that the most authoritative evidence of the real facts is the appraisal itself but we were not allowed to see its contents."

"This wholly unexpected revelation, assuming it is true, shows that the assessed valuation of \$253,174 agreed to by the city council in 1929 should in fact have been \$296,500, not far below the city council's original assessment of \$308,000 but well above the waterworks committee's suggested final figure of \$260,549."

Taxes \$150 Less Last Year

"What was the net result of all that trouble in 1929? The company in 1930 reports a payment of \$150 less in taxes than the year before! And now we learn that it should have paid considerably more."

"After this startling discovery, we suggested that since the responsibility for the expense of the appraisal had been pinned on Van der Zee and innocent water consumers had paid the bill, Mr. Keller should have at least the courtesy to give them a copy of the appraisal in return for the \$4,306 which they should not have to pay in 1930 since Van der Zee has not been proved to be at fault. The city should refuse to accept its waterworks committee's hearsay evidence of the statements made by Mr. Keller and his bookkeeper—it should at once demand the appraisal and let that appraisal speak for itself."

Request "Mysterious Document"

"The least Mr. Keller can do is to invite the city council to see and study that exceedingly mysterious document now on file in his office. It is fair to inquire why the New York city comptroller did not use the 1929 appraisal in making the last two reports. It was not until the waterworks committee called attention to the glaring omission of the 1929 appraisal from the annual reports for 1926, 1927, and 1928 that it finally appeared in the report for 1929."

Say New Appraisal Not Used

"Now we emphasize the further astounding fact that both the 1929 report and the 1930 report could and should have reflected the 1929 appraisal made by the Trojan Engineering company's experts. We see no reason for this failure unless it be that the company wishes to hide something from the public."

"This is the report of 'co-operation' the city has been getting the last two years—it shows how eagerly the company has volunteered to do everything to maintain harmonious relations between the company and the city!"

"Since cities and towns in Iowa are in general too timid, feeble, ignorant, and poor to exercise their legal power of regulating public util-

ties, we recommend that the city council urge the company to volunteer to deflate its valuation to a more modest and reasonable figure and then to reduce the price of water at the same time when the prices of other things have declined and are still further declining.

The Company's Debt

"The company in 1930 increased its debt from \$523,000 to \$571,000 for the purchase of land and the construction of a new settling basin thereon, all this in spite of the fact that Mr. Keller's letter to the city council in May, 1929, and Moody's 'Manual' in 1929 told the world that the 'Plant is modern in every respect and of ample capacity to take care of future growth for many years.'"

"The company in 1930 paid bondholders 5 1/2 per cent but charged consumers over 7 1/2 per cent on these bonds. At the same time the report shows that the company has advanced \$37,017 to affiliated companies and the books show that the company got only 6 per cent on such loans."

"Since consumers are paying more than 7 1/2 per cent on the total debt of \$571,000, in order to protect them the debt should be reduced to about \$335,000 by taking up the loans to other companies."

3 Per Cent 'Takeoff'

"Just why a public utility company should get a 2 per cent 'takeoff' on \$711,000 of first mortgage bonds at the expense of water consumers—just why it should lend excess borrowings to other companies—is more than we can figure out."

"If 'public service' is a waterworks company's business, why should it be allowed to do a banking business at the expense of its consumers? Is it any wonder that the New York holding company which owns all 1,056 shares of common stock of our local operating company took exactly \$21,150 in dividends in 1929 and again in 1930? That is a nice fat annual profit of exactly 20 per cent!"

"And it should not be overlooked that in addition to dividends the New York city holding company in 1930 got 3 per cent of the gross revenues for 'services' rendered to the Iowa City company—over \$4,000 more, not to mention the inflation of the fixed capital in several years

and over-charges for depreciation each year.

"Ancient History"

"Schedule 1 on fixed capital in the 1930 report purports to repeat but does not give the items of the Day and Zimmerman appraisal of March 31, 1926, as filed in the city hall. Where, for instance, Day and Zimmerman estimated 'engineering and superintendence' at \$38,077 or 6 per cent of the total direct costs, Mr. Peters' 1930 report evidence a blank opposite that item in the first column and in the second column charges 10 per cent on additions made since 1926."

"Frankly, this sort of thing puzzles an ordinary Iowa citizen. No wonder he gets dizzy in the rarefied atmosphere of public utility finance. Since the experts in New York city handle all this, of course, in the most up to date and approved manner, the Iowa City manager and consumers will just have to swallow these nice doses of inflation."

"As pointed out before, this schedule on fixed capital contains errors in detail, and more important still, it should have presented the appraisal of 1929. Instead of that, it perpetuates ancient history, the valuation version of 1926!"

Fixed Capital Schedule "Worthless"

"Schedule 1 is, therefore, worthless, lacks authority, and is wholly out of date. Let Mr. Keller trot out the Trojan Engineering company's appraisal of 1929; we are sure Iowa City will see a real Trojan horse!"

"The 1930 income account shows receipts in Iowa City from all sources of over \$137,318—by far the highest figure in the company's history, notwithstanding the loss of \$12,000 of university business in the past two years! The operating expenses and taxes amounted to \$59,054, leaving \$78,264 of gross income."

"Too Much" for Wear and Tear

"From this the company pocketed \$21,346 for wear and tear, and once more we object that that is roughly \$10,000 too much. The charge for depreciation has been too high in all of the last five reports. Schedule 2, page one, states briefly how the annual depreciation was computed for the past five years but the figures given do not correspond to the

amounts actually taken from gross income year by year.

"The company takes 2 1/2 per cent of the average value of 'depreciable property' for depreciation. We still

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Students Play Before C. of C.

Local Winners of Prep Contest Appear at Legion Building

Nine Iowa City high school students, who won places in the recent district music contest at DeWitt entertained the chamber of commerce members at their luncheon yesterday noon at the Legion building.

The clarinet quartette is composed of Carl Cone, Virginia Sidwell, Donald Secrest, and Thomas Ayres. Robert Hedges, accompanied by Kathleen Porter, sang two baritone solos.

Accompanied by Director Paul W. Thomas, director of music at city high, Virginia Schroeder presented a baritone horn solo. Edwin Albright rendered a flute solo, accompanied by his mother, Mrs. George C. Albright.

Other numbers were given by Lawrence Smith, a tuba solo, accompanied by Arlene Finch and Sidwell Smith, a violin solo, accompanied by Miss Porter, director of music at city high.

Collision Injures Three

FORT DODGE, April 6 (AP)—E. C. Corcoran and Carl Graham of Iowa Falls and Lloyd Pletcher of Crystal Lake are in a local hospital with serious injuries suffered in a head-on collision near here Sunday night.

FAIRFIELD, April 6 (AP)—A fire at the Clarke hatchery destroyed 1,000 baby chicks and an unknown quantity of eggs.

Chest Officials Pick Leaders for Campaign

Plans for the community chest campaign took further form yesterday noon when Albert B. Sidwell, drive director, and E. H. Lauer, finance secretary, began the selection of campaign captains in a meeting at the Legion building.

It was decided that this year's drive will be identical in plan to last year's, with the city mapped out into divisions and captains appointed for each division.

A meeting of the captains selected will be held Monday at the Legion building. A rally dinner will be given for all workers April 20, the first day of the campaign.

Starbuck Talks Here on Philosophic Faith

Prof. E. D. Starbuck, formerly a member of the University of Iowa faculty, now of the University of Southern California, will speak on "A confession of philosophic faith" in liberal arts auditorium at 4:10 p. m. today.

Professor Starbuck arrived in Iowa City last Sunday and plans to leave for Los Angeles by airplane this evening.

AMES, April 6 (AP)—Funeral service will be held here Tuesday at 2 p. m., for Prof. H. E. Bemis, head



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of the veterinary department of the University of Pennsylvania and former vice regent of the veterinary division of Iowa State college. He died in Philadelphia Saturday of pneumonia.

Test Pilot Dies in Leap
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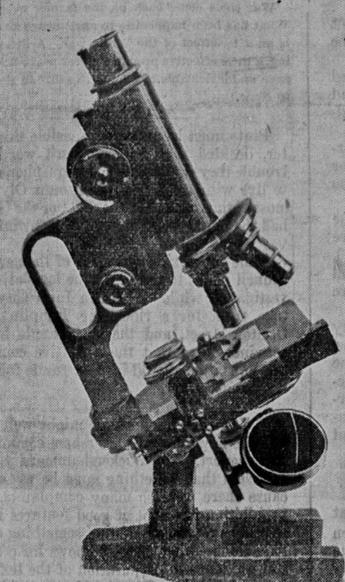


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Kidney Beans, Snider's, No. 10 can	.60
Per Case of Six Cans	\$3.25
Spinach, Snider's, No. 10 tin	.50
Per Case of Six Cans	\$2.75
Corn, Scarlet King Brand, Fancy Country Gentleman, No. 10 tin	.73
Per Case of Six Cans	\$4.13
Le Grande Brand, Standard Evergreen, No. 10 tin	.59
Per Case of Six Cans	\$3.23
Sauer Kraut, Meeter's Brand, No. 10 tin	.36
Per Case of Six Cans	\$1.97
Cherries, Red Sour Pitted, New York State, 72 oz. can	.86
Per Case of Six Cans	\$4.75
Blueberries, Loggie's Eagle Brand, No. 10 tin	.90
Per Case of Six Cans	\$4.95
Peaches, Libby's Brand, Sliced or Halves, No. 10 tin	.69
Per Case of Six Cans	\$3.80
Rosedale Brand, Sliced or Halves, No. 10 tin	.65
Per Case of Six Cans	\$3.63
Pears, Snider's, New York Bartletts, No. 2 1-2 tin	.25
Per Dozen	\$2.75

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No. 14 — This is the 14th of a series of 26 "ads" presenting "The Story of Sidwell's." They appear in the Tuesday and Thursday issues of both local papers. — No. 14



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Iowa City's Waterworks

THE city may during the month of March in the year 1933 purchase the entire waterworks plant and property at a value to be ascertained, in case the authorities of the city and the owner are unable to agree upon the value, by appraisement.

"The city council shall give the company one year's notice of its intention to submit the proposition of purchasing to the voters of Iowa City."

"The value of the property shall be ascertained at least six months before the right to purchase accrues. If not agreed upon, such payment shall be fixed by five appraisers, who shall not be interested as taxpayers or otherwise. Two of them shall be selected by the city council, two by the company, and the fifth by these four, the value fixed by the appraisers, or any four of them, to be the price of the property."

In those terms does the city's waterworks franchise set forth the basis on which the plant may become municipally owned.

Any water consumer in Iowa City should be interested in the report urging that this virtual option should be exercised by having the council a year from now give notice of intention to hold an election in March, 1933, for the acquisition of the property.

Public minded individuals who study the issue, and it deserves close attention by every citizen, should beware of false issues.

That the company which owns the plant is located in New York is not and cannot be the real issue. That fact is incidental.

That management of the company need not change if the property is acquired and George Keller is willing to continue to administer it should be observed.

That the council committee's report, carried in full today, does not charge poor service but rates that are declared to be too high indicates the real issue.

If the people of Iowa City follow the situation from now through probable notice of election next year and election in 1933, the verdict they render then will be a sound judgment as to whether the city can more economically operate its own waterworks.

To the end that the people of Iowa City can begin to form their conclusions now, THE DAILY IOWAN this morning prints the report in full and will continue to give adequate space to developments in the waterworks situation, in the belief that an informed electorate is the only surety of sound voting judgment.

Carrying On

THE often asked question, "Just what advantage has suffrage been to women in the United States?" may find an adequate answer in the accomplishments and study programs of the League of Women Voters since the inception of that group 11 years ago.

If the league did nothing other than study questions which arise in government, it would be accomplishing much. A definite line of procedure is necessary before a subject can be put on the program of study. Six weeks prior to the yearly state convention, a study program is outlined by the state chairman of committees and submitted to the city leagues for discussion or change. These are sent to and discussed at a pre-convention board meeting, the final draft of which is presented to the convention. After discussion and change, each subject must be adopted by a majority vote before it is placed on the study program.

The subject is studied one year before it can be supported by the group. If endorsed, it is drafted as a bill and sent to the state legislature.

With the signing of Governor Dan Turner March 31 of a bill providing for a five day interim between the application and the issuance of a marriage license, the league scored a victory. The measure is nationally backed by the group, two states this year passing a similar law, three state legislatures considering it, and 14 states having had such a law previously.

The part members of the Iowa City league played is worthy of approbation. Mrs. Frank Stromsten, president of the state league, and many local citizens have participated actively in sending the bill through and in other activities.

With the issuance April 1 of an eight page Iowa League bulletin comes an official organ for assimilating state comment. Mrs. C. E. Seashore, assisted by Ruth A. Gallaher, is editor of the pamphlet. The first issue contains lists of reference material, mentions the subjects of national league radio programs broadcast from 6 to 6:30 p.m. Tuesdays from January to May, and announces

a biennial general council meeting at Washington, D. C., April 14-17.

The need for education of women along political lines, felt by Carrie Chapman Catt, organizer of the league, is being satisfied. Not only that it is being carried on.

Iowa City has just cause for being proud of the part local leaders are taking in the advancement of political knowledge.

Optional Drill in State Schools

(From Wallace's Farmer)

Farm people in Iowa will regret the failure of the Iowa house of representatives to pass the bill to make military training at the state schools optional instead of compulsory. They should be pleased, however, that 42 representatives voted to support the measure, and that 30 of these were farmers. They should be pleased also that the bill received such intelligent and thorough discussion. Some speeches had been made against the bill out in the state, in which it was charged that "Communist" influence was behind the measure. This attempt to brand as Bolsheviks those who wanted optional training as a measure tending toward economy and better international relations was abandoned by the opponents of the bill in the house debate.

Those favoring the bill pointed out that compulsory military training was of little value as physical education, or as preparation for war, and that it did increase the costs of federal and state government. They objected to the training also on the ground that conscription in time of peace was un-American, and that propaganda put out by instructors in the compulsory courses helped to make college youth believe that war was inevitable and that the war department should be given as large appropriations as it asked for. Those on the other side insisted that the compulsory course did have military value, that college boys were lazy and needed to be forced to drill, that another war was coming, and that we needed to strain every nerve to prepare for it.

Wallace's Farmer and Iowa Homestead, of course, believes that optional training is desirable. So far as we can find out, the only benefits that come to national defense from military training in colleges come from the optional advanced courses, which would still be retained. The argument that every boy owes something to the state, and therefore should learn elementary drill, does not appeal to us very strongly. Of course, we all owe something to our state and our nation, but a boy who learns how to raise or market corn or hogs is going to pay that debt more effectively than by learning the manual of arms. It is possible to serve the state better by learning to do something useful or by learning to think intelligently about international relations than by taking lessons in how to kill somebody.

We are glad that the state of Iowa is discussing optional versus compulsory military training, and that it will continue to discuss it. Bound up with that issue are the wider issues of international relations, economy in military expenditures, preparation for peace through removing the economic causes of war, and a host of other subjects.

War costs come back on the farmer eventually. What has been happening to agriculture since 1919 is an after-effect of the World War. A little thinking, a little effective preparation for peace now, may save up incalculable blood and treasure in the years to come.

Pluto must have become sensible this winter, decided that women aren't worth the trouble they cause, and sent Persephone back to live with her mother on Mount Olympus most of the winter. Either that or the Greeks had the wrong dope on what causes winter.

Some enterprising member of the new city council ought to round up the legislative investigators while they're in Iowa City and take them for a ride over Templin road, Clinton street, and the Quadrangle hill to convince them that the executive council's appropriation should include funds for paving purposes here.

The "probe" committee might well emulate the now famed Wickersham commission in its report. The Wickershams, you recall, said that something must be wrong because there were so many complaints, that prohibition has a lot of good features which should be retained, and that something ought to be done—what, nobody knows for certain. For guidance in preparation of the text any issue of *Literary Digest* and any public utterance like President Hoover's speech to the American Legion might prove helpful for aid in making of the net findings an impressive report.

Reports from Chicago are that *College Humor* has withdrawn its claim to instigation of the investigation on learning that no inquiry has been made concerning "shovel thumbs" among the children of alumni, leaving the field to the Cedar Rapids *Gazette*.

Reports are that every time a telephone rings an automobile has traveled six miles. And can the excessive number of accidents parallel central's wrong numbers?

It was Irvin S. Cobb who remarked that when a man used to reach back under his coat it was a threat; now it is a promise.

Days are long and nights are dreary, they say, on Polar expeditions, and in the case of this trip across the Arctic in a submarine there won't even be the weather to discuss.

If there is anything in the theory that one may contract an ailment by brooding on its symptom, we must read up more on ergomania, a condition of desiring intensely to work.

"Shine, no waiting," the cry heard in city streets is apparently to be supplemented with "divorce, no waiting" when western states get through cutting down their requirements.

Just as humorists were swearing off further allusions to the Wickersham report, London comes out with a statement that the reading public is turning again to the old-fashioned long novel.

OFFICIAL DAILY BULLETIN

The University of Iowa
Bulletin notices must be delivered, in writing, to the editor of The Daily Iowan by 4 p.m., to appear in this official calendar, which takes the place in most cases of ordinary bulletin notices.
Vol. IV, No. 196 April 7, 1931

University Calendar

(All students and faculty members shall schedule events involving the use of university buildings at the president's office in Old Capitol as far in advance of the dates as possible. No other dates are included in this official calendar, which takes the place in most cases of ordinary bulletin notices.)

Tuesday April 7
8:00 a.m. Classes resumed
10:00 a.m. Tuesday Morning Music club, Iowa Union
4:10 p.m. Lecture, Prof. E. D. Starbuck, liberal arts auditorium
8:00 p.m. Lecture: Count Carlo Sforza, natural science auditorium

Wednesday, April 8
Waterworks conference
Law faculty, Iowa Union
Engineering faculty, Iowa Union
Religious Workers council, Iowa Union
Luncheon, University club
4:10 p.m. Lecture: Count Carlo Sforza, senate chamber, Old Capitol
4:15 p.m. Freshman club, Iowa Union
5:00 p.m. Pi Lambda Theta initiation at Iowa Union; dinner at 6 p.m.
6:15 p.m. Dinner and joint meeting of American Society of Mechanical Engineers, Student branch, Tri-Cities section, Iowa Union
7:15 p.m. Scabard and Blade, Iowa Union
7:20 p.m. Pi Epsilon Pi, Iowa Union
7:30 p.m. Iowa Dames club, liberal arts drawing room
7:30 p.m. Lecture: Prof. Merle Randall, University of California, chemistry auditorium
8:00 p.m. Demonstration: Mrs. Agnete Bertram, head of department of physical education for women, University of Copenhagen, Denmark, women's gymnasium

Thursday, April 9
Waterworks conference
Classical club, liberal arts drawing room
7:15 p.m. Octave Thanet literary society, Iowa Union
7:30 p.m. German club, liberal arts drawing room
8:30 p.m. Spring party, Triangle club

Friday, April 10
Waterworks conference
4:10 p.m. Lecture: Count Carlo Sforza, senate chamber, Old Capitol
7:30 p.m. Radio club, radio laboratory, West side
9:00 p.m. Women's Pan-Hellenic, Iowa Union

Saturday, April 11
High school museum convention, natural science auditorium
2:00 p.m. Recital: school of music, liberal arts auditorium
7:30 p.m. Bridge party, University club
7:30 p.m. Film: "Empire State Building," American Society of Civil Engineers, chemistry auditorium

Sunday, April 12
3:30 p.m. Phi Delta Epsilon, Iowa Union
6:00 p.m. Negro Forum, liberal arts drawing room

Monday, April 13
4:10 p.m. Lecture: Count Carlo Sforza, senate chamber, Old Capitol
6:00 p.m. Gamma Theta Phi, Iowa Union
7:15 p.m. Iowa City Women's chorus, Iowa Union
8:00 p.m. Child Study group, Iowa Union

Tuesday, April 14
3:15 p.m. Concert: Verbrughen quartet, Iowa Union
6:00 p.m. Picnic supper, Triangle club
7:15 p.m. Erodelphian literary society, Iowa Union
7:15 p.m. Hamlin Garland literary society, Iowa Union
8:15 p.m. Play, natural science auditorium

Wednesday, April 15
12:00 a.m. Religious Workers council, Iowa Union
Law faculty, Iowa Union
4:10 p.m. Lecture: Count Carlo Sforza, senate chamber, Old Capitol
4:15 p.m. Y.W.C.A. Freshman club, Iowa Union
6:00 p.m. College of law dinner, Iowa Union
7:15 p.m. Christian Science students society, liberal arts drawing room
7:20 p.m. Pi Epsilon Pi, Iowa Union
8:15 p.m. Play, natural science auditorium

Thursday, April 16
3:00 p.m. Child Study group, Iowa Union
6:00 p.m. Research club dinner, Iowa Union
7:15 p.m. Octave Thanet literary society
7:45 p.m. Alpha Phi Omega, Iowa Union
8:15 p.m. Play, natural science auditorium

Friday, April 17
Commercial Education conference, senate chamber, Old Capitol
3:00 p.m. Kensington, University club
9:00 p.m. Junior Prom, Iowa Union

Saturday, April 18
Commercial Education conference, senate chamber, Old Capitol
High School Museum convention, natural science auditorium
Times club: Countee Cullen, speaker, American Legion building
7:30 p.m. Cosmopolitan club, liberal arts auditorium

Senior Invitations
Orders for senior invitations must be left with the University bookstore before April 15. All seniors desiring invitations are requested to place their orders at once.
SENIOR INVITATION COMMITTEE.

All-University Golf Championship, 1931
Entries for the golf championship may be made at the club house, Finkbine field. The list is open until April 10. Any student may compete for the Kuever-Beye championship trophy. The qualifying round will be played Saturday, April 11. Eighteen holes medal play. Entry fee is 50 cents.
COACH CHARLES KENNETT.

Freshman Golf Championship
The freshman championship will be played for the first time this year. A trophy has been presented by Dr. Charles Van Epps. Entries may be made by any freshman, the list being open until April 10 and the qualifying round being played Saturday, April 11, in connection with the All-University championship qualifying round. Suitable prizes will be given. All entries must be made at the club house. Entry fee is 50 cents.
COACH CHARLES KENNETT.

Robert T. Swaine Scholarship in Harvard
A scholarship of \$250 is offered annually by Robert T. Swaine, L. A. 1905, to graduates of the university who desire to do professional or other graduate work at Harvard university, preference being given to students who enter law. Applications should be sent to the office of the dean of the graduate college by April 15.
C. E. SEASHORE.

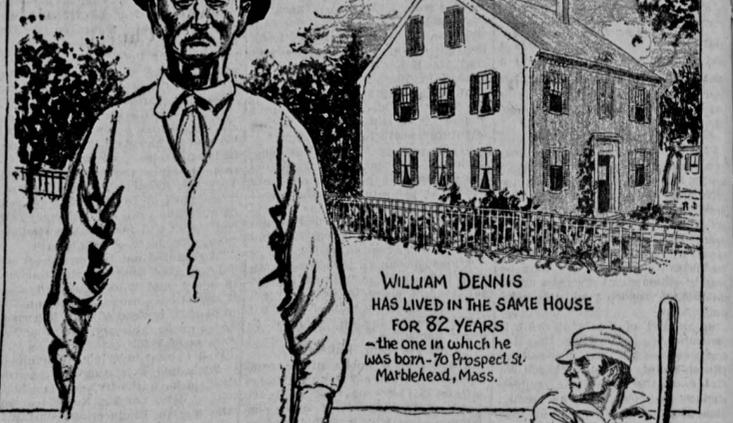
Lecture
Prof. Edwin D. Starbuck will deliver a lecture, "The philosopher's quest," in the liberal arts auditorium Tuesday, April 7, at 4:10 p.m.

Botany Club
Margaret Wolf will talk on the "Polyporaceae of Iowa" today, April 8, at 4:10 p.m. in room 408, botany building.
PROGRAM COMMITTEE.

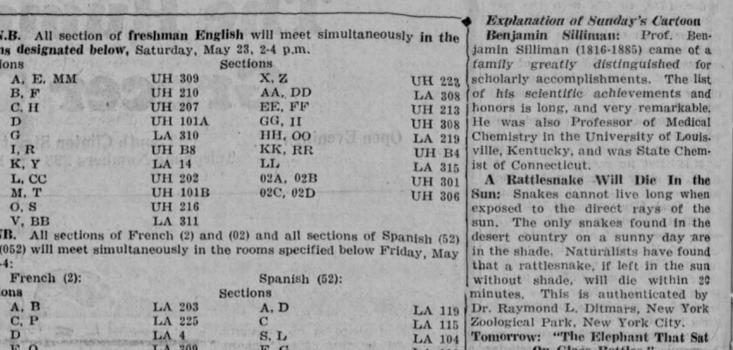
Pi Lambda Theta
Pi Lambda Theta initiation will take place at Iowa Union Wednesday, April 8, at 5 p.m. Following initiation, dinner will be served. Please notify Genevieve Christner by Monday, April 6.
ALMA HELD.

BELIEVE IT OR NOT

(Reg. in U. S. Patent Office) By Ripley



WILLIAM DENNIS
HAS LIVED IN THE SAME HOUSE
FOR 82 YEARS
—the one in which he
was born—70 Prospect St.
Marblehead, Mass.



CHICK DAVIES
FRESHMAN STUDENT
OF DUQUESNE UNIVERSITY, PITTSBURGH
HAS BEEN THE BASKETBALL COACH
FOR THE PAST 6 YEARS.

CLARENCE CHILDS
WON THE
NATIONAL LEAGUE
BATTING CHAMPIONSHIP
—from Dan Brouthers
BY ONE-TENTH OF AN AVERAGE
OF A POINT

Explanation of Sunday's Cartoon
Benjamin Silliman: Prof. Benjamin Silliman (1816-1885) came of a family greatly distinguished for scholarly accomplishments. The list of his scientific achievements and honors is long, and very remarkable. He was also Professor of Medical Chemistry in the University of Louisville, Kentucky, and was State Chemist of Connecticut.

A Rattlesnake Will Die In The Sun: Snakes cannot live long when exposed to the direct rays of the sun. The only snakes found in the desert country on a sunny day are in the shade. Naturalists have found that a rattlesnake, if left in the sun without shade, will die within 25 minutes. This is authenticated by Dr. Raymond L. Ditmars, New York Zoological Park, New York City.

Tomorrow: "The Elephant That Sat On Glass Bottles."

Urge City to Buy Plant on Option in '32

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insist that 1 per cent on two-thirds and 2 per cent on the other one-third of this value is quite sufficient and we quote Raymond's "The Public and Its Utilities," page 267, in support of this contention.

Quotes Dean Raymond
"Dean Raymond says: 'A very large part of any waterworks property is the distribution system—mains of cast iron pipe, the life of which under favorable conditions is unknown. Cast iron will last longer than anyone knows. But when estimating depreciation it is common to give it a life of from 80 to 100 years. Reservoirs have long lives. 'Buildings have lives of from 30 to 50 years. Pumping machinery may have a long life of 30 years or more if not rendered obsolete by growth of the service or obsolete by new improvements effecting large economies in operation. Tools, meters, and small supplies are undepreciable and can be cared for out of the maintenance allowances.'"

\$40,000 Excess Depreciation?
"We believe and repeat our statement of 1929 that the company has charged the consumers \$40,000 too much for depreciation in the years 1926-30 inclusive, so that the total accrued depreciation for these years almost equals the total for all years previous to 1926. Consumers in Iowa City will no doubt continue to be helped in the face of this astonishing fact. Will the company ever volunteer to change its ways?"

"The company last year made a profit of 7.6 per cent in Iowa City. Since 7 per cent is a fair rate of return, the net of \$27,163 available to surplus is roughly \$3,500 more than is allowed by law. The water rates have been and are still too excessive, or such profits would be impossible. 'The real dictator in all this business sits far away among the cave dwellings of New York city while the underlying population in Iowa City helplessly pay tribute at his bidding. It will take a mayor and council with solid backbone and ability and a good purpose to bring relief to their people in a situation like that. And the state of Iowa will not add its strength to their weakness.'"

"The best way out is for the city council to exercise its power under the waterworks franchise in March, 1932, and one year later to submit to the voters the question of purchasing the local waterworks system."

"Let us hope that Iowa City will join the ranks of municipal ownership now prevailing in 515 other cities and towns in Iowa."

—Lou Kaufman, chairman.

—J. Van der Zee.

S.K. Stevenson Applies for Dismissal of Charges

Asks Order to Strike Out Action Cause

Ed O'Connor, Baldwin Defense Attorneys in Suit

An application for the dismissal of the disbarment proceedings brought against him was filed by S. K. Stevenson, local attorney, in the district court yesterday.

Charges were brought against Mr. Stevenson by a committee of 11 lawyers of Iowa City Feb. 21 alleging unethical and unprofessional conduct.

The application was signed by Ed L. O'Connor and E. A. Baldwin, attorneys for the respondent. It requests that "the court to enter an order dismissing said cause of action and strike the same from the files and records of this court for the following reasons, to-wit:

1. That said proceedings are null and void and the court does not have jurisdiction to try the case for the following reasons:

a. That the order of the court made and filed herein on January 13th, 1931, was based upon matters that were never properly before the court.

"No Information Filed" b. That the order of court made January 13th, 1931, refers to an information in writing signed by 11 members of the Bar of Johnson county, Iowa, having been presented to the court, wherein charges of unethical and unprofessional conduct were alleged to have been made against S. K. Stevenson, and said order shows upon its face that it was based upon said information and that no such information was ever filed in said court.

c. That whoever presented said information to the Hon. H. D. Evans, the judge who made the order, did not file the same in the above court.

d. That no information signed by 11 members of the Johnson County Bar association was ever filed in this said cause.

e. That the ones who presented said information to the Hon. H. D. Evans on Feb. 12th, 1931, have withdrawn and secreted the same and are keeping the same from the accused for reasons unknown to this respondent.

"Evans Withdrew Information" f. That it appears from the order of court of February 12, 1931, that said proceedings to remove and suspend Attorney S. K. Stevenson were commenced on the motion and written information of 11 unnamed members of the Bar association of Johnson county, Iowa, and that said motion or information was not filed and placed of record in said court as contemplated by Sec. 10931 of the Code of 1927; that the accused, S. K. Stevenson, has no means of knowing whether or not said information or motion was sworn to as directed by law and therefore denies that said information or motion was sworn to.

g. That the information, motion, or charges contained in the proceedings to remove or suspend Attorney S. K. Stevenson were not sworn to as by law provided.

h. That the court's order of January 13, 1931, was based upon this said written information signed by 11 members of the Johnson County Bar association.

i. That the court, in this said order, made a judicial finding of the allegations contained in said information, or some of them were true.

j. That the court had no jurisdiction or authority to appoint Henry G. Walker, Edwin B. Wilson, and O. A. Byington to investigate said charges already before the court, and the court had already passed upon the sufficiency of said charges and had already found that said charges were sufficient to warrant proceed-

ings in disbarment. k. That the committee, Henry G. Walker, Edwin B. Wilson, and O. A. Byington, have no legal standing or authority to file the 17 different and separate charges against the accused, S. K. Stevenson, that are now filed herein in connection with the report of said committee made and filed as of February 20th, 1931.

l. That said proceedings have not been filed and commenced in the manner as provided by Sec. 10931 of the Code of Iowa, as herein above set forth.

m. That the charges numbered from 1 to 17 inclusive, filed in connection with the report of the committee on Feb. 20, 1931, should be dismissed and stricken from the records of said court for the following reasons, to-wit:

a. That the same are too remote and too stale and that the charges show upon their face, if true, that they occurred many years ago and that the details in connection with said charges have been destroyed or lost or taken from his files, and that it is unfair to require this respondent to meet such ancient, vague and indefinite charges.

b. That said charges, if true, allege that the respondent is guilty of felonies and misdemeanors involving moral turpitude, and that there is no allegation contained in any of said charges that the respondent has ever been convicted of any such felonies or misdemeanors.

c. That there is no allegation contained in any of said charges to the effect that the respondent has willfully refused to comply with any order of court made on proper motion requiring him to turn over any of the moneys or funds mentioned in said charges.

d. That paragraph one of Sec. 10930 of the 1927, Code of Iowa, is exclusive of all other causes in cases wherein felonies and misdemeanors involving moral turpitude are alleged and involved.

e. That there is no allegation contained in any of said charges to the effect that the respondent has been guilty of deceit or collusion or has consented thereto with the intent to deceive a court or judge or party to an action or proceeding as provided by Sec. 10921 of the 1927, Code of Iowa.

f. That Sec. 10927 of the 1927, Code of Iowa, does not state or specify a ground for disbarment, but simply defines the crime of receiving money from a client and refusing to pay or deliver it in a reasonable time after demand, and that said crime therein defined as a misdemeanor involving moral turpitude; that alleging facts violative of Sec. 10927 does not of itself allege any statutory ground for disbarment, unless it be further alleged that the respondent has been convicted of such a crime.

g. That in no case is it shown that such charges are brought by any of the parties mentioned in said above proceedings.

h. That said charges are not brought for the benefit of the public, in that there is no allegation by any private party or any client or any one else interested in said proceedings, except that 11 unnamed parties in the first information presented to the court on Jan. 12, 1931.

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From Iowa City Pulpits

Resurrection Source of Inspiration, Affirms Rev. Dillinger at Christian Church

Christendom was united in one thought Sunday. All sermons centered on a single subject. All music brought out a similar theme. The Easter Sabbath fixed attention on Jesus and His Resurrection.

The Rev. J. A. Dillinger has been a frequent occupant of the Christian church pulpit since the death of the late Rev. Guy H. Findly. He is the executive secretary of the Christian churches of Iowa.

(Editor's note: This is the twelfth of a series of articles on sermons delivered from local pulpits, to be presented on this page every Tuesday morning.)

By WILLIAM RUTLEDGE The solace and hope of the poor, discouraged, and sick—

The encouragement and guidance the reformers, toilers, and nations—

Derive from the Resurrection of Jesus was expounded in the Easter-day message of the Rev. J. A. Dillinger of Des Moines, preaching from the pulpit of the Christian church Sunday morning.

Reform of the human race is possible, the Rev. Mr. Dillinger declared, only because of Jesus' teachings. "We have seen the race advance. And in every corner of the globe where we have told the story of the Risen Christ, that part has made wonderful progress forward. When an individual has become acquainted with Jesus, it has been astonishing the change that has come,

source of all progress. Yes, indeed, in Him was and is life." Spirit Motivating Force

The spirit of Jesus has been the motivating force for the establishment of hospitals and sanatoriums, the Rev. Mr. Dillinger asserted. "There are multitudes of those, who in every century and country, have been able to carry on in spite of pain, sickness, and disease. In moments of despair, people laid hold on Him. Wherever His story and life have been taught, there one finds sympathy and love, skill and health. In lands where Jesus is not known, nothing is done for the sick and diseased."

If the Roman empire were to speak on the Resurrection, it would say something like this, the Rev. Mr. Dillinger believes, "Ours was what we thought the conquering force of the world. Our army was known and feared everywhere. At Rome a carpenter whose home was in Nazareth was considered a fanatic, a magic worker. Pilate, our Judean governor, had allowed Him to be put to death as a common criminal. . . . Jesus was not dead, but living, and many were believing in Him."

Caesar's Name Pales "And within three centuries after the Peasant was killed, Rome was down and out, and the name of Jesus was a name glorified. "Caesar's name paled into the dim

twilight beside the name of Jesus. Rome fell but not by the sword, but by something greater. History says it fell before the story of the Resurrection."

The poor find Jesus a source of inspiration, the Rev. Mr. Dillinger said. "The poor in nations that do not know Christ never get ahead. They are fixed, once poor they are always poor. It is not so when Christ's life comes in. To none other save the living Christ can we give credit for this energizing hope that lifts us from the mirey pits of poverty."

The toiler says, in the words of the Rev. Mr. Dillinger, "Ours are the backs that are bent under daily

tasks. We build cities, we dig coal, we bear burdens, we sit at desks long hours. We stand at the machines in the factories. Before there was a risen Lord we could not sing at our tasks. Now that he is in the world there is a song in the air and smiles on our faces."

Nab Escaped Prisoner R. V. Murray of Rolfe, who escaped from jail here December 6 after serving two of his three month's sentence at the county jail for driving while intoxicated, was arrested in Pocahontas yesterday, the sheriff of the county notified Sheriff Don McComag yesterday.

WEDNESDAY OOH! LA! LA! Those Ba-bees Know How to Love! A Laugh Riot With the Paris Label!

THOSE THREE FRENCH GIRLS With FIFI DORSAY REGINALD DENNY CLIFF EDWARDS YOLA D'AVRIL SANDRA RAVEL Plenty of Whoopee

WEDNESDAY 15c BARGAIN MATINEE

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Bebe DANIELS in "My Past" with BEN LYON LEWIS STONE

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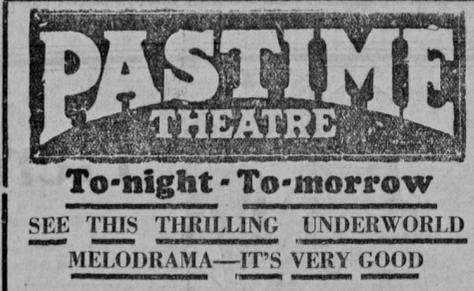
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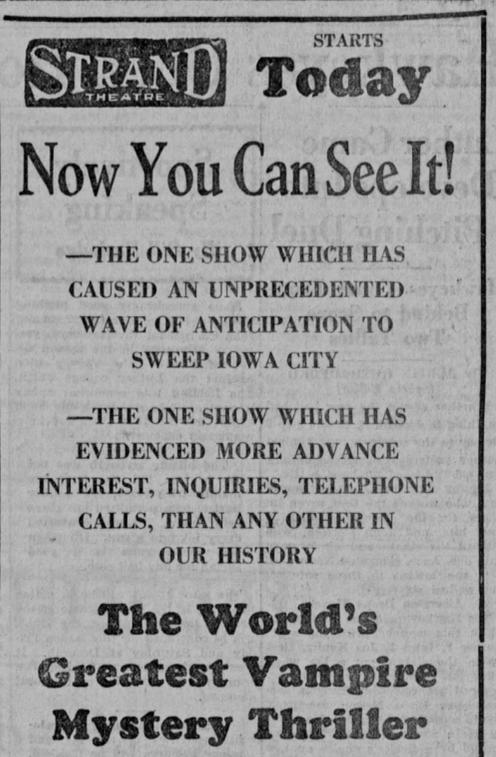
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USUAL SHORT SUBJECTS

Hawkeyes Open Home Baseball Season With 3 to 2 Victory Over Norsemen

Luther Game Develops Into Pitching Duel

Hawkeyes Come From Behind to Score Two Tallies

By AUSTIN RUTHERFORD (Sports Editor)

Whether or not the new ball had anything to do with it, Iowa's 3 to 2 victory in the season opener against Luther yesterday developed into a real old fashioned pitchers' battle.

Johnny Ingraham, junior south-paw who worked the first seven innings for the Hawkeyes, allowed four hits, and John Carlsen, who pitched the eighth and ninth, gave only one. Aase, elongated Norseman, held the Iowans to three safeties, but walked six.

Albertson Drops Throw
The Hawkeye win was accomplished in this manner: with the score Luther 2, Iowa 1, Joe Kenny, first up in the eighth, got a lift when Albertson, Norse first sacker, dropped a throw from Tangen, second base. Elmo Nelson sacrificed to second, and Captain Joe Mowry got a single, but was forced at second by a fielder's choice on Leo Frigo's tap through the box. Kenny going to third.

With "Biggy" Reedquist at bat, Frigo stole second, and when Biggy laced a hard drive into center, both Kenny and Frigo scored, giving the Hawkeyes their winning runs.

Kenny Scores First
The other Hawkeye run came in the third on a base on balls to Kenny, a throw to deep center by Halverson, Luther catcher, and some fumbling in the outfield.

Luther accomplished its two runs in the fifth and sixth innings. In the fifth, with two down, Halverson worked Ingraham for a base on balls, stole second, moved to third on a wild pitch, and scored on Aase's single.

Nelson Trips Arm
Albertson, first sacker, scored the other Norse run by going to third when Nelson dropped a third strike and threw to center field, allowing Albertson to go to third. He came home while Eddie Groepper was throwing out Rogstad at first.

Art Porter, Iowa shortstop, collaborated with the Norse infield in contributing most of the fielding features of the game. The little short fielder went into deep short for hard hit grounders and displayed a whip to first which may cut off many base hits before the season ends.

Tangen and Lande, second and short for the Norse, turned in several fast plays around the keystone, and Nosseth handled his three chances at third perfectly. Albertson made 12 putouts, and dropped a throw which later resulted in Iowa's tying and probably winning runs.

Reedquist Stars
Reedquist, in addition to handling 15 chances, without error, contributed two of Iowa's three hits. Mowry got the other.

Ingraham walked three and struck out four. Carlsen gave one pass and struck out two, and Aase yielded six passes and slipped third strikes over on two Hawkeyes.

The second and final game of the home series will be played at Iowa field this afternoon at 4 o'clock. Friday and Saturday the Hawkeyes go to Decatur for a two game series with the Norsemen.

Box score:
IOWA A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E.
Koser, lf 4 0 0 1 0 0
Kenny, 2b 2 2 0 2 2 0
Nelson, c 3 0 0 2 1 1
Mowry, cf (6) 3 1 0 0 0
Frigo, rf 3 1 0 1 0 0
Reedquist, 1b 3 0 2 15 0 0
Groepper, 3b 4 0 0 0 3 0
Porter, ss 1 0 0 2 5 0
Ingraham, p 2 0 0 0 1 0
Carlsen, p 0 0 0 0 1 0
Carey 1 0 0 0 0 0

LUTHER A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E.
Tangen, 3b 4 0 0 3 1 0

Sportively Speaking

By Bill Rutledge

Some surprisingly good pitching was served up by John Ingraham and John Carlsen for the Hawkeyes yesterday afternoon in the season debut of Coach Otto Vogel's nine against the Luther college outfit. The fielding was somewhat shaky in spots, but as steady as one could expect on the first time out in a regulation encounter.

The hitting strength was not up to par, but the fault lay mainly with Aase, the Luther hurler, who permitted but three safe blows. Iowa converted every hit into a run. Hit when hits mean runs is a good slogan for any ball club.

The same teams will be in action this p.m. in the second game of the series. Rivalry between the clubs will be concluded for this season Friday and Saturday at Decatur. It won't be long before the Big Ten teams will be cavorting on the local diamond.

In a week the tuning up training activities of the big and minor leagues will be finished. April 14 formal competition for the National and American league flags will be under way.

Pre-campaign speculation should attain its peak this week. The A's and the Cards rank as the top-notchers in the opinion of most fans and will remain as such until Independence Day at least, regardless of what happens.

In the 154-game schedules of the major league teams, the first 30 or 35 tilts don't count for much. It's the teams that stand up under the grueling grind that gets places in the majors.

The mediocre entrants have a habit of jumping up to a high place for a few weeks, but it is seldom that they can stand the gaff. The bunting winners usually are content to linger around third or fourth place during the early months, while the other contenders are sapping their strength to hold the lead.

McDonald Huris Victory
PHILADELPHIA, April 6 (AP)—With Hank McDonald, 15 year old right hander from the Pacific coast league, going the route, the Athletics scored their first victory of the Philadelphia city series today, defeating the Phillies 3 to 2.

Blues Even Count
KANSAS CITY, April 6 (AP)—The Kansas City Blues evened things up a little more today by taking a 3 to 3 exhibition game from the St. Louis Browns, following a 4 to 1 victory by the American leaguers yesterday.

Reds Lose to Colonels
LOUISVILLE, April 6 (AP)—The Cincinnati Reds dropped an exhibition game to Louisville today, 3 to 1, when they were unable to solve the pitching of Marcum and Greenfield, who held them to seven scattered hits.

Crackers Beat Cards
ATLANTA, April 6 (AP)—The Atlanta Crackers registered a 6 to 3 victory over Gaby Street's National league champions here today. Burleigh Grimes and Al Grabowski were the Cardinal pitchers. The right-hander worked six innings and Al two frames.

Totals—30 2 4 24 14 3
*Batted for Ingraham in seventh.
Summary—Bases on balls, off Aase 6, off Ingraham 3, off Carlsen 1; wild pitch, Ingraham; struck out, Ingraham 4, Aase 3, Carlsen 2; passed ball, Nelson; hit by pitched ball, Reedquist.

GIRL TOSSER STRIKES OUT BABE



A 17 year old girl, Verne Beatrice Mitchell, has gained an enviable spot in baseball's hall of fame by striking out two of the greatest sluggers of all time, Babe Ruth and Lou Gehrig. The feat was accomplished in the first inning of an exhibition game between the Yankees and the Chattanooga Lookouts, of which Verne (nicknamed Jackie) is a regularly signed member, before an enthusiastic crowd in the Tennessee city. The mighty Bambino is shown as he congratulated his fair opponent after the game, which the Yankees won.

Postpone Action on Tulsa Franchise at Request of Owner

TULSA, Okla., April 6 (AP)—Action to clarify Tulsa's muddled baseball situation was postponed today pending a report from Mrs. Lucille R. Thomas, new owner of the Tulsa Western league franchise, on her efforts to provide a park.

At the request of counsel for Mrs. Thomas, a committee representing the league agreed to wait until tomorrow before taking final action on the Tulsa franchise.

Club owners of the league, at a special meeting here Friday, had voted to allow Mrs. Thomas until noon today to make a showing and had authorized Dale Gear, president of the league, Jack Hollard, owner of the Oklahoma City club, and Lee Keyser, Des Moines owner, to act as a committee for the league in the matter.

Mrs. Thomas was reported to be in St. Louis today to confer with owners of the St. Louis Browns, from whom she purchased the Tulsa franchise last winter. The Tulsa franchise was moved to Topeka last season because of lack of a park here.

Joe Jacobs Favors Cleveland as Site for Schmeling Bout

SIoux CITY, April 6 (AP)—Final agreement on the site of the world's heavyweight championship bout between Max Schmeling and Young Stribling will be made at South Bend, April 15, Joe Jacobs manager of the German champion, said today.

Jacobs and Schmeling were here for an exhibition bout here tonight. Jacobs said Cleveland was the favorite because of its proximity to centers of population and the availability of a stadium seating more than 100,000 persons. Chicago, he added, was still being considered for the fight.

The champion is on an exhibition tour through the midwest. He will appear in one-round exhibitions against three opponents at Des Moines Tuesday night.

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Weight Men to Strengthen Track Squad

Weldon, Nelson to Toss Javelin; Boast Fast Shuttle Team

After closing a successful indoor season the track squad will move down on Iowa field where they will start training for the relays and dual meets.

With the addition of the outdoor field events, the team should be greatly strengthened. The hammer throw, javelin throw, and discus will be the events added to the schedule.

Weldon, Youngerman Return

Some of the point winners last year who have reported already are L. D. Weldon, winner of several major contests in the javelin throw, Wesley Youngerman, a junior who won prominence by placing in the hammer throw at the national meet, Elmo Nelson, another crack tosser who placed in the conference meet last year.

Crop of Distance Runners

In the track events, most of the competitors have appeared who will compete for the team in the outdoor meets, however, there will be a number of freshmen who expect to make their first appearance on the Iowa track.

Boast Two Hurlers

Iowa has two good hurlers that are expected to prove themselves valuable in the outdoor meets. They are Everett Handorf and Edward Gordon. Both of these men have placed high in indoor meets throughout the season. Bud Miller and Merritt McDaniels are also capable timber toppers. These men should furnish plenty of competition in the shuttle relay.

Vance Makes Debut

MACON, Ga., April 6 (AP)—Aided by four bases on balls in the ninth inning, the Brooklyn Dodgers managed to defeat Hartford of the Eastern league 4 to 1 today.

Philadelphia Pair Wins Bowling Title; Clack, Mauter Cop Honors

BUFFALO, N. Y., April 6 (AP)—Eddie Rafferty and Charley Reilly, Philadelphia, are the 1931 American Bowling congress doubles champs: Wallie Clack, Erie, singles title holder, and Mike Mauter, Youngstown, all-events winner.

The national pin classic was concluded here early tonight and despite the efforts of 320 out-of-town players, the top-notchers remained undisturbed and the curtain was rung down on the biggest tourney in A.B.C. history.

Only two changes occurred among the leaders on the windup card. Harold Levan and Sam Phillips, Reading, moved into second place in the doubles event with a 1,298 total while Phillips took fifth place in the all-events division, aggregating 1,910.

Rafferty and Reilly topped a field of 3,649 teams in winning the doubles title. Their 1,316 total was a prize of \$500, besides the diamond medals awarded to all the champions. Clack outscored 7,305 in the singles division, winning \$300 and Mauter's 1,966 total, topping the all-events division, was worth \$175.

Friends Plan Memorial for Knute Rockne

SOUTH BEND, Ind., April 6 (AP)—With money already received from various sources, although no effort had been made to solicit funds, plans for a memorial to Knute Rockne were inaugurated today.

Frank E. Herbig, captain of the 1930 Notre Dame football team and national president of the Notre Dame alumni association, and James E. Armstrong, national secretary, met today with the Rev. Fr. Charles L. O'Donnell, president of the university, to discuss the memorial project.

Suggestions as to the form of the memorial will be made by a committee, nation-wide in its scope, and composed of Notre Dame alumni and friends of the famous coach.

The solemn high requiem mass for the repose of Rockne's soul will be sung by Father O'Donnell Thursday morning. Examinations, postponed last Monday, will be given next week.

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Jack Dempsey to Retire for Two Months

Physicians Order Rest; Ex-Champ Cancels Engagements

COLUMBUS, April 6 (AP)—Jack Dempsey, former heavyweight champion of the world, here to referee a boxing bout between Busby Graham and Johnny Farr, announced tonight that after tomorrow night he was going into absolute retirement from public life for at least two months on the order of his physicians at the Mayo clinic in Rochester, Minn.

Dempsey's decision necessitates the cancelling of more than 95 engagements to referee boxing bouts in all sections of the country. He will referee Tuesday night at Wheeling, W. Va., and after that will retire.

Loss of Weight

Nervous condition and a persistent loss of weight makes necessary the rest, according to Doctors D. M. Beriman and Louise A. Bule of the Mayo clinic, who examined the former champion a few days ago.

Although Dempsey appears in perfect health, he admitted that he does not feel well and that the difficult routine of one night stands, which he has been pursuing as a referee of boxing and wrestling contests, is the most trying work he has ever experienced.

"I will go to the country for at least two months, longer if necessary," said Dempsey.

Neither Dempsey nor Leonard Sacks, his business manager, would

Risko Beats Heeny

TORONTO, Ontario, April 6 (AP)—Johnny Risko, Cleveland boxer, avenged his recent defeat at the hands of Tom Heeny, New Zealand heavyweight, by decisively out-pointing the "hard rock from down under," in a gruelling 10 round bout here tonight. Risko weighed 191 1/2; Heeny 209 1/2.

Graham Whips Farr

COLUMBUS, April 6 (AP)—Busby Graham, Utica, N. Y., former bantamweight champion, scored a technical knockout over Johnny Farr, Cleveland, in the eighth round of the ten round main bout on a boxing card here tonight. Referee Jack Dempsey stopped the bout after Farr had been floored eight times in the final round.

Divulge the "country place" where Dempsey would spend his enforced vacation.

The doctors report characterized Dempsey's illness as a "nervous condition, irritable, sleepless and very restless." The doctors recommended the rest and warned the former champion that if he continued he was facing a "state of complete nervous exhaustion."

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New York Stocks

Table of New York Stock market data including various stock prices and indices.

Daily Radio Program

Detailed radio program schedule for Tuesday, April 7, 1931, listing stations and program titles.

A New Yorker at Large

By MARK BARRON. NEW YORK, April 6.—The death of Arnold Bennett recalls the time when he visited on these shores as a much honored celebrity.

"Oh, I don't know," the Hollywoodian argued, "perhaps it does get cold at night, but in the daytime we have the most gorgeous sunshine in the world."

"He is a very old friend of mine," she said, "and I like him very much. I like him because he does not try to make love to me. Every man you meet these days tries to make love to you and I hate men who are so impudent."

dine with the King of Zulus, hunt spotted snails in the jungles of Borneo or smuggle guns into revolutionary countries—and then come home and write about it at so much per word.

now returning from the Sahara with a book about his exploits in the desert. All of these adventure writers are not so careless with their facts.

Financial Heads of U. S., Great Britain Discuss Conditions

WASHINGTON, April 6 (AP).—The directors of financial policies of the United States and Great Britain exchanged ideas today about world wide business conditions.

Table of Classified Advertising Rates for 1931, showing rates for various ad lengths and durations.

Large advertisement for Classified Advertising Rates with a central graphic and detailed pricing information.

Advertisement for Rooms Without Board, offering furnished rooms for rent.

Advertisement for Male Help Wanted, seeking a man with car to operate a retail business.

Advertisement for Painting-Papering, offering services for interior finishing.

Advertisement for Musical-Radio, featuring piano tuning and radio services.

Advertisement for For Sale, listing various items for sale including a violin and a truck.

Directory of Nationally Known Products and Services and Where to Purchase Them in Iowa City

- Below you will find listed America's most famous brands of merchandise and well known services and the names of the Iowa City merchants that are able and willing to serve you.

Advertisement for Public Stenographer and Notary Public, offering professional services.

Large advertisement for Business Directory, listing various services and businesses.

Read The Daily Iowan's Page of Sunrise Features

FREE WHITE and FEMALE

by Clarence Budington Kelland

What has gone before: Martha Bundy, just out of college, finds her conventional Long Island family tiresome, and goes to live her own life in New York, where she sees a great deal of Mortimer Blade, a wealthy man-about-town, and of Richard Lane, an artist who mysteriously resembles Mortimer. She gets mixed up in the murder of a movie magnate, Colburn, when she goes with Mortimer to the man's apartment. The murder is committed by one Dickie Vernon, who escapes.

Martha, in a daze, picks up the murder revolver and puts it into her handbag. She flees with Mortimer to Miss Patty's speakeasy, where the revolver falls from her bag to the floor. Richard Lane appears and orders Mortimer to get out. Then Lane takes Martha back to her hotel.

Now go on with the story:

Richard Lane, having impressed his identity upon the clerk of Martha Bundy's hotel, signaled a taxicab and drove to another and more pretentious hostelry on Park Avenue, where he inquired at the desk for Mortimer Blade. Mortimer was not in, so Richard found for himself a corner from which he could watch the lobby, and waited. Rather more than an hour elapsed before Blade appeared and went hurriedly to the elevator. Richard allowed him to ascend without accosting him, and then himself took the next elevator to follow.

Mortimer's door was ajar—as if that young man had been in such haste as to be guilty of this carelessness—and Richard paused outside to listen. He heard Mortimer's voice ask the operator for Martha's number, and then stepped softly inside. Blade's back was toward him, and he permitted the conversation to go forward briefly before he stepped forward, snatched the instrument from Blade's hand, and tossed it upon the desk with a crash.

Mortimer leaped up and away, to stand with face pale to the lips, facing the young man who had interrupted so rudely.

"What's the idea?" he demanded furiously, but Lane noted a tendency to tremble in his voice.

"I never did admire you," said Richard quietly, "but I did credit you with ordinary or garden intelligence."

Mortimer picked up the telephone and replaced it in an upright position.

"What do you want?" he demanded.

"Well, a little cooperation will help."

"In what?"

"Has it occurred to you the police of this town may take a slight interest in the Colburn affair?"

"What of it?"

"The tradition of our family never was brains," said Richard wearily. "Why shouldn't I telephone Martha?"

"For one reason—because I tell you not to. When I'm gone you may ponder on my reasons. What I want to impress on you is that any connection between you and that young woman ceases with the late interrupted conversation."

"Oh," said Mortimer, lifting his brows, "does it?"

"You will not write, phone, meet, accost or otherwise get into communication with her from now on."

"Until the end of time," said Mortimer ironically.

"Precisely," said Richard.

"Are we by chance rivals?" asked Mortimer.

"Not since your elimination," said Richard.

"Which took place when?"

"The transaction," said Richard, "has just been completed."

"You always were," said Mortimer, "a meddler."

"My brother," replied Richard, "always required meddling with. He paused. "It's curious," he went on, "but the only decent standard our family has been at pains to maintain through the past few centuries has been health."

"I understand we are building up a new aesthetic standard—art and the like."

"It is remarkable," said Richard, "how low-class it is to maintain that we haven't taken on any decent qualities from the women we've married. We've been pretty careful about our women. The Blade strain seems always to dominate."

"Except, of course, in your case," said Mortimer.

"I've often wondered about myself," Richard said. "It's strange I should have formed a distaste for the family character so young. I can't remember when I wasn't ashamed of being a Blade."

"Oh," said Mortimer with a shrug, "it will be cropping out in you sooner or later."

"I have always had a horror of that very possibility. But I think not. By some miracle I must derive from Mother."

"Did you come here to patter about heredity?"

"Exactly."

"Not wholly to avenge our great-grandfather, I imagine."

"No. More personal. Those Bundy boys have enjoyed knocking me about more than I could tolerate."

Richard nodded. "Ours is a malignant blood," he said.

"Well," said Mortimer coolly, "Colburn's out of it."

"And you?" said his brother.

"Probably not. After all, there's a sort of bond between us now, you know. Fellow fugitives, and that sort of thing. It may be all to my advantage."

"Did you happen to notice Mr. Bundy at the party tonight?"

"Undoubtedly," Richard asked.

"Do you think," Richard asked, "he was thereabouts purely for a bit of enjoyment in the autumn of his life?"

"I didn't think," Mortimer said shortly.

"You should. He was a symptom—that the Bundy family is taking notice and becoming prevalent. As the twins used to say, they are rallying around."

"Not interested," said Mortimer.

"Would you figure it a good bargain to break Martha's toys and pay for it by occupying the position of the late lamented who came to an untimely and violent death?"

"I can take care of myself."

"No, never could," said Richard judiciously. "No. You always pulled your mischief and then bolted—for somebody else to get you out of the mess. You never could help being a regrettable sort of individual, but you never had the spine to face the music."

"But I'm here yet, fairly comfortable, moderately prosperous—and certainly not daubing paint in a cheap studio for a living."

"You're here, but you're going to cease to be here. Almost immediately. Your car is handy."

"Naturally."

"You are driving home in it this morning? And staying there. For two reasons; you'd be driving yourself away if you remained in town, and 3 miles is the minimum of distance I wish to see between you and Martha."

"I'm going home all right. But for neither of your reasons. And I shall stay as long as my business keeps me. It's a pleasant business," he said.

"Then someone is going to suffer a meanness."

"The fact of the matter is," said Mortimer, "Father and I are fed up on the Bundys. We've been neighbors with them too long."

"Ah," said Richard. "Are you thinking of moving?"

"No," we are thinking of moving them."

Richard regarded his brother gravely and shook his head childishly.

"You always did talk too much," he said.

"The words are to be taken in their most ordinary and simply meaning."

"Listen," said Mortimer, "why don't you go back to Paris?"

"You don't welcome my presence here?"

"No warmly. What for did you come back, anyhow? Doesn't Mother miss you?"

"She does," said Richard. "Is Father worried about my repatriation by any chance?"

"I think," said Mortimer, "he would be willing to make it worth your while to go back."

"Did he say so?"

"Well, now! Father seldom pays for something without getting rather more than the worth of his money. Have you an idea why my absence would be worth dollars, and cents to him?"

"I think your sanctified attitude bores him."

"And, of course, he hates being bored."

"Exactly."

"I'll consider it. Did he mention a sum?"

"Before long I imagine he'll be in position to speak of important money."

"When I deal with Blade it must be cash in advance."

"That can be arranged—in, say, two or three months. In the meantime I'm sure he'll be reasonable—and you can come back again if he doesn't make good."

"Oh, the idea is that I'm to go immediately?"

"You can't go too soon to make him happy."

"We'll have to discuss it," Richard said gravely, and then: "Mortimer, did I mention that, if you have a defect, it is talking too much?"

"You did."

"I am even more confirmed in my opinion," said Richard. "But to get back to our mutt. Within an hour you leave for home, and you lie low. Restrain these impulses to talk which seem to seize upon you. And forget that you ever heard of Martha Bundy."

"What is your concern with her—aside from the Sir Galahad angle?" Mortimer's voice, sneering.

"Why," said Richard, still gravely, "I intend to marry her."

"Old Timoleon and all the twins will be tickled to hear that."

"Possibly. That's beside the point. You got Martha into this mess. I'm going to keep her clear of it."

"I'm not so sure."

"And why?"

"Because," said Mortimer, "if worse comes to worse, I don't know that a little notoriety could ruin me. And as your figure of speech puts it neatly, it would smash her dolls. Anyhow, it's merchandise to trade with."

SKIPPY—Sink or Swim



By PERCY L. CROSBY

A Sad, Sad Story



By Rube Goldberg

DIXIE DUGAN—Remember?



By J. P. McEvoy and J. H. Striebel

Local Governments Heaviest Spenders Say Research Men

NEW YORK, April 6 (AP) — The national industrial conference board which has been making an intensive study of taxation for several years, gave the taxpayers another morsel to digest in the announcement that local governments are the biggest spenders.

The board's study indicates that local governments account for 54 per cent of the combined gross expenditures of all governmental units — federal, state and local — in the United States.

The federal government has kept a tighter hold on its purse strings than state and local governments.

"Gross expenditures of the state governments for the fiscal year 1928 totaled 1,826 million dollars, and local governments amounted to 6,813 millions, a combined total of 8,639 millions and comparing with 8,110 millions in the preceding year," the board reports.

Seeking the answer to where the money goes, the board found that in 1928 highways — construction and maintenance — caused the biggest drain on the treasures of the 48 states, with education ranking a close second.

Education held first place in expenditures of local governments, and in the fiscal year ended in 1928 absorbed 1,943 millions or approximately one-third of all net expenditures.

New York, wealthiest and most populous state in the union, is also the greatest spender by a wide margin. Its net expenditures in the fiscal year 1928 amounted to 222 million. Pennsylvania was second with expenditures in excess of 160 millions. Nevada spent the least.

Artists. The studio wants to purchase "Rockabye" from her and to pay her a salary and percentage. This seems to be okay with Gloria, but they can't come to an agreement on the price of the story. . . Mrs. Glenn Tryon is recovering from an appendicitis operation at the Hollywood Hospital. . . For some reason best known to himself, Lewis Ayres went shopping downtown and bought a 1929 automobile for \$12. Maybe he's trying to shame Universal. . . John J. Barrymore, who loves seclusion, has a tower on his house that is accessible only by a ladder from the outside.

Behind the Scenes in Hollywood

By HARRISON CADROLL

HOLLYWOOD, Cal., April 6.—Having at last come around to the opinion that Clara Bow should have dramatic roles, Paramount plans for the red-headed star to follow "Kick In" with "The Woman," a story about a telephone operator.

Stuart Walker, who has given many stage stars their early training, will come out to direct as soon as he finishes his season at the Cincinnati Repertory theater. In the meanwhile, Clara looks forward to a month's vacation at her Malibu Beach place.

"The Woman" was written several years ago by William De Mille but never found its way to the screen.

Among the stars whom Walker has helped to train for the stage are Peggy Wood, Mary Ellis, Basil Rathbone, Ben Lyon, Kay Francis and Bert Lyell.

MAYBE THEY WERE DANCING WITH TEARS IN THEIR EYES

"Business can't be so bad," says Bernie Weinberg. "A woman fainted last Saturday at a night club and her escort had to dance her around the floor three times before he could find a place to put her down."

POLA AWAITED

Wisely, no doubt, R-K-O is making no attempt to look for a story for Pola Negri until after her arrival in Hollywood on the 20. It has been determined, however, that Paul Stein will direct her. He did "The Red Peacock," which was one of her most popular vehicles before coming to America.

YIELDING TO THE PERSUASION OF EDITOR RAY LONG, WALLACE SMITH IS TO WRITE A SERIES OF SHORT STORIES FOR THE COSMOPOLITAN MAGAZINE

This will be in addition to his screen work at R-K-O, but the studio is to have a 30-day option on the film rights to the stories.

THE OLD HOME TOWN



EVERYBODY WAS DOWN AT THE DEPOT TO WELCOME BABE RUTH ON HIS ARRIVAL AT 6 A.M. TODAY

Stanley

W. L. Abbott Will Speak on Problems of the Engineer

W. L. Abbott, chief operating engineer of the Commonwealth Edison corporation, will speak on "Every day problems of the engineer" at 3:10 Wednesday in the chemistry auditorium.

Although the meeting is public, it is intended primarily for senior, junior and sophomore engineering students. Dean C. C. Williams will introduce Mr. Abbott, who is also past president of the Western Society of Engineers and the American Society of Mechanical Engineers, and "our" dwindling fuel reserve and "thwarted" will be his subject in Iowa Union, following a dinner meeting of the Tri-Cities and Iowa students of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers.

Student Leadership Conference Plans Meet Cancellation

The student leadership conference scheduled to be held at the university, Friday, Saturday, and Sunday, has been cancelled because it fell within the Easter vacation period when only a few high schools would have been able to participate.

Word of the cancellation was received from Mrs. M. T. Summers, president of the Iowa Congress of Parents and Teachers and H. T. Steeper, principal of North high school, Des Moines who are in charge of the conference.

Divorce Petition Filed

A petition alleging cruel and inhuman treatment was filed with the clerk of the district court yesterday by Grace H. Gordon against Clarence E. Gordon.

Contractors Fight Union Wages

WATERLOO, April 6 (AP)—Union bricklayers continued working at the same wages while Waterloo building contractors refused to employ tradesmen in five other craft because they would not accept reductions in the wage scale.

Testify Against Stuart

Sheriff Preston Koser leave for Davenport this morning to testify in the federal court against Mr. Stuart, whose Lighthouse Inn at North Liberty was raided March 2, before the grand jury.

Marriage License Issued

A marriage license was issued by the county clerk to Jesse J. Walker of Grand Island, Neb., and Kittle Blair of Lincoln, Neb.

Hawkeyes Win
Opening Baseball Game of Season
Against Xavier College. See
Story on Page 6.

The Daily Lowan

Examination Schedule
For This Semester Appears for
First Time Today on
Editorial Page.

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ALLEGED EXCESSIVE WATER RATES

Bates Presents Check Paid to E. J. Folda for Wall Cabinets

Also Denies Testimony of Three Others

"You Can't Scare Me," Cobb Retorts to Kelleher

By FRANK JAFFE

In a hectic half hour of re-cross examination yesterday afternoon of W. H. Bates, university secretary, Attorney Henry G. Walker ripped aside, before the investigating committee, the web of evidence presented in previous testimony by former employes of the university with a counter charge of testimony and evidence to show that Bates never employed either state materials or labor on his own property.

More than 50 spectators crowded into the business office and craned their necks to get every word of Walker's questioning and Bates' answers. As refutation of each former witness was presented and numerous cancelled checks and paid bills entered in evidence, chuckles of satisfaction came from the spectators.

Walker systematically drew from the witness the evidence and testimony necessary to completely refute the damaging testimony of Earl J. Folda, Leo Budreau, N. J. Alexander, and O. L. Rees.

Cupboards

Folda testified previously in Des Moines that he had built all cupboards for Bates about 16 years ago, for which he said he was paid by the university. Bates admitted Folda had built the cupboards, adding that was the only work he had ever done for him, but presented a check dated Aug. 19, 1916 for \$48 drawn by Bates on his personal account.

"Did anyone representing the investigation," Walker asked, "make inquiry of you before this time as to whether you had paid for the cupboards?"

Bates replied that no one had. Walker explained he had asked that question to show that when the charge was made it could have been proved false immediately.

Dirt

Bates testified that the retaining wall on his property had been completed in Oct. 1921, in an attempt to show that Leo Budreau, who said he had hauled dirt from university property to Bates' property, could not have, since he did not begin working until 1922.

Budreau had testified that he worked for Alexander, who said he did the hauling for Bates. Alexander did not start working for the university until Feb. 28, 1922, when he worked four days as a laborer. He began working as a teamster for the university March 1 of that year. A letter to that effect from D. W. Bray to Auditor W. H. Cobb was presented.

Bills from Eli Seydel, the teamster who Bates testified had done all the hauling for the retaining wall project, were also given in evidence and read by Attorney Walker, along with cancelled checks for the amounts.

Cement

"Did you ever employ Alexander or Budreau to haul cement or dirt?" asked Walker.

"No, sir."

Bates testified that O. L. Rees, who said he had hauled cement from the university siding for Bates' retaining wall, was the foreman in charge of the project, and that all materials for the job were ordered by Rees. Cement, lumber, and other materials, Bates, said, were bought from the Wallace Lumber company.

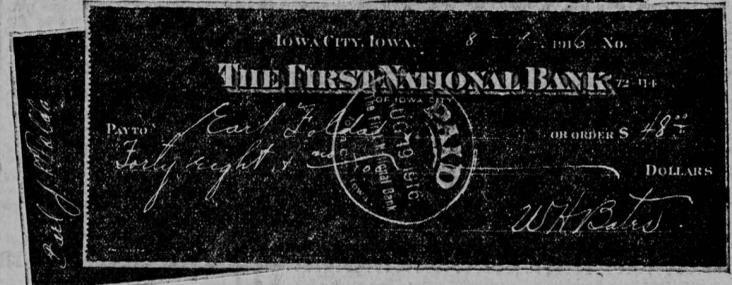
Walker: "Did you ever tell anyone to get cement from any other source than the Wallace Lumber company?"

Bates: "Certainly not."

He added that he told Rees to order from Wallace anything he needed and to order sand and gravel from the Smith company. He also told Rees, he testified, that Seydel was to do all the teaming and hauling and that he (Bates) would have nothing to do with it, leaving all ordering to Rees.

"Did you ever hear from any source," Walker queried, "until Rees testified, that any cement was furnished for your retaining wall except from the Wallace Lumber company?"

Bates answered that he had heard rumors that Rees signed an affidavit to that effect. He added that it was just in connection with the investigation.



Earl J. Folda, 822 E. Church street, could not remember when he testified before the legislature's inquiring committee at Des Moines a month ago whether it was before or after the World war when he installed three wall cabinets in the home of Secretary W. H. Bates on Brown

street, but insisted that he had been paid only by the state during that period. Above is duplicated a check which Bates testified yesterday was in payment of the work Folda swore to having done without getting compensation from Bates.

Carroll Picks Frank Smith Police Chief

Frank L. Smith was appointed chief of police by Mayor J. J. Carroll last night to succeed Charles F. Benda, effective this morning. The announcement was made at the first meeting of the new city council.

Mr. Smith was sheriff of Johnson county for four years and was defeated for re-nomination last June by a narrow margin. He was police and fire commissioner of Iowa City until he resigned to run for sheriff.

Benda, said last night he had no plans for the immediate future, but would not continue in law enforcing work.

Other appointments made by Mayor Carroll were as follows: Fire chief—Herman J. Amish, Street commissioner—James McClellan.

Health officer—Dr. F. L. Love, Sexton—George Reha, Weighmaster—S. J. Gibson, Janitor—George Letts.

In his message to the new council Mayor Carroll urged that immediate action be taken to clean up Ralston creek. He advocated permanent registration of voters, and that each ward be divided into two voting precincts.

Offices filled by the council were as follows: City engineer—Allen Wallen, City clerk—George J. Dohrer, City auditor—George J. Dohrer, City solicitor—Will J. Hayek, Dairy inspector—Dr. J. S. Potter.

All appointments were unanimous. Council committee selections made by the mayor were as follows:

Finance
LeRoy S. Mercer, chairman, C. Rollin Sherk, and Edward Sybil.

Ordinance
Sherck, chairman, Roscoe B. Ayres, and Mercer.

Street and Alley
George Katzenmeyer, chairman, Charles McGuan, and Michael P. Lumsden.

Public Grounds and Buildings
McGuan, chairman, Sybil, and Ayres.

Claims
Ayres, chairman, Katzenmeyer, and Sybil.

Sidewalks
Sybil, chairman, McGuan, and Mercer.

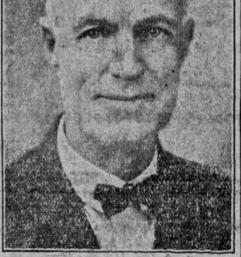
Lights
Sherck, chairman, Katzenmeyer, and Lumsden.

Grades and Bridges
Lumsden, chairman, Sherck, and Sybil.

Fire and Water
Lumsden, chairman, Katzenmeyer, and McGuan.

Waterworks
Sybil, chairman, Ayres, and Lumsden.

New and Old



Frank L. Smith



C. F. Benda

to advertise for bids, due April 24, on garbage collection was passed.

A motion was approved to advertise for bids on sewer improvements on West Benton street. Petition of George J. Chadek for permission to put in a freight chute on Washington street was granted. The petition of Ella Kline for claim to property of unknown persons was referred to the city solicitor.

Buy Trees, Shrubs.
The bid of \$355 of the Kirkwood Avenue nursery for spring planting in the addition to the Oakland cemetery was accepted by the council.

Six new aldermen and Mercer of the former council were given the oath of office by City Clerk George J. Dohrer. In a 15 minute meeting by the council after a lengthy discussion out of the administration of the old council yesterday morning.

A discussion and passage of the airport ordinance and reading of the waterworks committee's report kept the councilmen busy down to the last minute of their term.

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Old Council

Lou H. Kaufmann, Jacob Van der Zee, Charles Regan, Dr. W. L. Bywater, John Piper, and Leo Kohl passed out of the administration of city affairs in the special session of the old council yesterday morning.

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Bids for New School to Be Opened Today

Bids for the Henry Lathrop grade school, to be erected on W. Benton street, will be opened at 4 o'clock today. Sixteen published bidders aim for the general contract and ten for the plumbing and heating.

At a board meeting this evening in the administration building of the Iowa City high school contracts are to be awarded. Plans for the building were made more than three years ago, but have been delayed for various reasons.

Four Iowa City companies have entered bids for the project: O. H. Dunlap and Son, Hunzinger-Wagner company, Robert Sook, and W. F. Miller. Three Waterloo builders are competing: J. G. Miller construction company, Currie construction company, and N. H. Hansen.

Others are: Fred Fischer of Ames; E. B. Castle and Son of Marion; Theo. Stark construction company of Cedar Rapids; K. and W. construction company of Alinsworth; F. C. Strohbehn company of Minneapolis; Verle Castle of Delta; Tanager construction company of Albert Lea, Minn.; and Frank Wilson of Des Moines.

Farmer Commits Suicide

CHOCROKEE, April 6 (AP)—John R. Billings, 51, farmer near Cleghorn, committed suicide by hanging, leaving a note which indicated that ill health caused the act. The body was found by his mother, Mrs. Matilda Billings, 81. He was unmarried.

Waterworks Report

The report of the waterworks committee was presented by Alderman Van der Zee as a "sincere attempt to describe the situation."

After a fiery reading of his report, Van der Zee appended it with a claim that the appraisal of the waterworks plant had not been made for taxation or rate purposes, but had been made by the company with a view of selling out to the United Power and Light company. "I learned that three weeks ago from a reliable source."

Van der Zee's motion that a copy of the report be sent to "40 Exchange place, New York," was carried.

The report of City Treasurer E. B. Raymond for the year April 1, 1929 to March 31, 1931 was read, accepted, and placed on file. The expenditures for the last year were listed as follows:

Consolidated fund	\$165,875.55
Fire department	22,108.98
City sewer	9,188.12
Public library	15,284.77
Brick paving improvement	136,153.28
Park maintenance	8,492.65
Airport	22,516.89
Cemetery	12,407.97
Bond and interest	35,688.83
Park bond and interest	1,792.13
County roads in Iowa	854.80
City	27,575.49
Bridge maintenance	2,292.37
Sidewalk	2,259.26
Bridge bond and interest	8,020.53
Sanitary district	84.66
Park improvement	1,354.13
Street light	2,176.78
City fire bond	2,432.47
Perpetual care	2,432.47
Grand total	\$113,856.49

Refused city warrants \$199.87
Outstanding bonds \$84,301.77
Firemen's pension fund 1,402.84
Bond owned (Iowa City Improvement bonds) \$8,000.00
Police men's pension fund 1,141.77
Bond owned (Iowa City Improvement bonds) 6,500.00

Chicago Votes on Thompson, Cermak Today

Both Factions Claim Victory on Eve of Election

CHICAGO, April 6 (AP)—William Hale Thompson closed his last campaign tonight.

Tomorrow, an estimated 1,100,000 votes will decide whether Republican "Big Bill," thrice mayor, will serve a fourth term, or whether Anton J. Cermak, immigrant boy who rose to Democratic chieftain of America's second city, will become mayor.

The battle of a million ballots raged until the good night tones of the radio left appeals in thousands of homes.

Strong confidence accompanied the Democratic claims of victory.

"By 150,000"—came the cry from Cermak camps.

Thompson's margin was placed by Bertha Baur, Republican national committee woman and gold coast social leader, at 50,000 or more.

Police Guards Doubled
Election commissioners expected little violence, but police guards in wards heretofore troublesome, have been doubled.

Admittedly his hardest, this is Thompson's last campaign. The master showman of politics, fighting his last fight with serious men and without his traditional circus and sideshow, has announced he would never again seek office from the electorate.

Cermak parades with his slogan of "clean out the city hall" filled the Randolph street Riato and promenade past the county building where Cermak rules, and the continuing city hall.

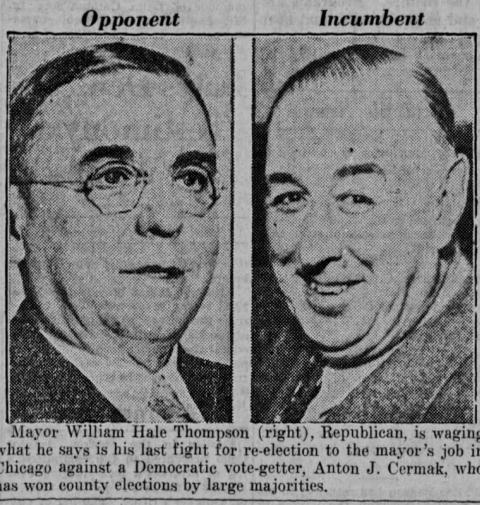
Thompson addressed three noon loop meetings and a dozen other kept him on the jump until midnight.

Both Charge Waste
Thompson and Cermak charge waste and extravagance in each other's respective administrations; both cite the shunt of cheaper taxes; both cite their records as builders; both point to legislative bills designed to alleviate Chicago's financial ills.

Many rival Republican leaders failed to declare openly for "Big Bill," including former Senator Charles S. Deneen, George F. Harding, Charles V. Barrett and County Chairman Bernard W. Snow, the last three formerly Thompson leaders.

But these, the Thompson camp claimed, would turn out with their support tomorrow rather than allow a Democratic victory.

Cermak won his nomination without opposition, but Thompson was nominated by a plurality in the primaries over Judge John H. Lyle, Alderman Arthur Albert drawing 100,000 votes to keep Thompson from a majority.



Mayor William Hale Thompson (right), Republican, is waging what he says is his last fight for re-election to the mayor's job in Chicago against a Democratic vote-getter, Anton J. Cermak, who has won county elections by large majorities.

University to 'Go to Bat' in Investigation

Walker Will Examine Witnesses for Board

The University of Iowa and the board of education are to be "given the bat" as Attorney Emmet Tinley phrased it in his plea for a university inuring last week.

Three of five witnesses scheduled to testify when the hearing resumes in the senate chamber of Old Capitol at 8:30 this morning were named in another request made yesterday morning, two in the original petition.

Direct examination will be conducted by Attorney Henry Walker, who first asked questions of John Blair of the Chicago Federal Reserve bank in the only previous instance where a board attorney had first chance at a witness.

Today's witnesses: Milo Dimity, grounds and buildings employe; Reed Hedges, grounds and buildings employe; Mrs. J. M. Fisk; Robert E. Neff, administrator of university hospitals, who is to be interrogated at his headquarters, and Roy McGinnis, university electrician.

Of the others named in the request, Earl Wisdom has assisted Denis M. Kelleher in the investigation, Eric Brown is the budget director's office auditor who reported on the Rockefeller endowment funds, and E. D. Atwater is an accountant from the Arthur H. Young company who has also audited university books.

The petition follows:

Zager Holds Easter Court for 7 Sunday

Number of cases 67
Illegal transportation 9
Illegal possession of liquor 1
Inmates of liquor resorts 3
Intoxication 37
Injunctions 6
Violations of injunctions 6
Driving while intoxicated 2
Liquor nuisance 2
Days in jail suspended 26
Fines \$5,145

Easter Sunday was no holiday for Police Judge Charles Zager, who held court for seven persons arrested Saturday night.

Fred McClellan, R. J. Reynolds, and Jess Schumaker were fined \$25 and costs on charges of intoxication. The fines were suspended when they agreed to leave town.

Robert Wells was fined \$20 and costs on an intoxication charge. He took 10 days in jail instead of the fine. Lou Alberhasky was fined \$25 and costs for intoxication. He took a jail sentence of 20 days in lieu of the fine.

John Murphy was fined \$20 and costs on a charge of night walking with no reasonable excuse. He was given a 10 day jail sentence in lieu of the fine.

On Monday Leonard O'Donnell was fined \$5 and costs by Judge Zager on a charge of intoxication.

Bowery Club Fire Causes \$1,000 Damage

Fire of unknown origin in the Bowery Golf club Sunday night resulted in \$1,000 damage to the building and contents. A call sent in at 10:55 p.m., was answered by the fire department, who fought the blaze for an hour and a half.

The fire started in the basement, went through the floor to the rooms above, and travelled up the stairway to the second floor.

THE WEATHER

IOWA—Partly cloudy Tuesday and Wednesday; warmer Tuesday. Continued mild Wednesday.

Urges City to Buy Plant on Option in '32

Claim Rate Value Too High, Tax Base Too Low

By ROLAND WHITE

Declaring that rates for water in Iowa City are exorbitant, the city council waterworks committee yesterday advocated municipal ownership in its annual report.

Chairman Lou Kaufmann and Jacob Van der Zee, members who signed the report, were completing their last official act as members of the 1929-31 city council in tendering their findings and recommendation to the group yesterday morning.

They reported:

1. That 7.6 per cent profit is being made by the company, while the rate of return allowed by law is 7 per cent;

2. That the property value on which rates are based is padded through excessive allowance for depreciation, and no allowance for decline in reproduction cost;

3. That the assessment on which the company pays taxes was set by city council representatives without access to an appraisal made in 1929 which a committee believes would have resulted in a higher taxable valuation;

4. That the company paid \$150 less in taxes on its Iowa City property than the year previous, while earning more in receipts than ever before;

5. That Iowa City water consumers paid \$4,866 for the 1929 appraisal, which has not been disclosed to them because the item was considered in computing rates, as part of the 1929 operating expenses;

6. That the company has gone into the "banking business" by the expedient of increasing its bonded indebtedness and loaning some \$77,000 to affiliated companies;

7. That the bondholders set 5 1/2 per cent and affiliated companies pay 6 per cent for loans while city consumers pay more than 7 1/2 per cent profit to the company, leaving a "2 per cent rakeoff";

8. That any blame for these conditions must go to the New York holding company which owns the waterworks rather than to the local manager;

9. That 515 of 527 Iowa municipalities now own their waterworks;

10. That the city council should exercise the power it has under the waterworks franchise to give notice in March, 1932, relative to acquiring the plant by election in March, 1933.

John Piper, first ward alderman, is also a member of the committee but did not attend its meetings with the waterworks representatives.

Kaufmann served as chairman, Van der Zee as secretary prepared and yesterday read to the retiring city council the report, which follows verbatim:

"In compliance with the council's instructions, we met with Manager Keller last Friday morning (April 3). The three hour visit enabled us better to explain the company's report for 1930 and also to clear up some of the contents of a mysterious appraisal made in the summer of 1929 at great expense but never divulged to any city official or the public.

Calls It Holding Company "Pawn"
"Since the Iowa Water Service company here is merely one of the pawns of the People's Light and Power corporation, the report for 1930 as usual came from Mr. F. W. Peters, 40 Exchange place, New York City. That holding company, it may be added, is the real manager of the local operating company and all serious complaints about local conditions should be lodged there.

"The 1930 report is the first one that separates the report of plant, property, and equipment at Iowa City, Corvallis, and University Heights, as requested by the city council several months ago, because consumers in Iowa City are not responsible for a return on company investments outside the city.

Corvallis Property Added In
"The balance sheet states that the whole property at Iowa City is worth \$949,706. This figure includes \$6,661 that should have been added to the Corvallis valuation.

"That this error crept in is clear from page two of schedule two of the report. The balance sheet and schedule one (items of fixed capital) should in the future eliminate this error.

"The Iowa City value is, therefore, \$943,045. It includes \$78,887 the cost of reproduction estimated by Day and Zimmerman, March 31, 1926) and \$159,558 representing additions at cost made between March 31, 1926 and Dec. 31, 1930. These sums minus \$193,870 of accrued depreciation make a valuation on which the company in 1930 collected a return of over 7 1/2 per cent.

"We believe that the annual report should show a valuation that demonstrates the practical operation of the U. S. Supreme court's view

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ST. LOUIS, April 6 (AP)—Plans are under way to launch a public subscription campaign for funds with which to further defend Leo V. Brothers, convicted slayer of Alfred Cardell Jensen of Suburban Webster Grove, said tonight.

Motion for a new trial will be filed immediately, she said, and in the event of an adverse decision the case will be appealed.

CEGAR RAPIDS, April 6 (AP)—Three Des Moines youths, Russell Halley, 17, Bernard Riley, 21, and George A. Munday, 17, are in jail here on charges of stealing an automobile at Marion last week.

"Mrs. J. M. Fisk, residing in Iowa City."
"Milo Dimity, residing in Iowa City."
"Reed Hedges, residing in Iowa City."
"H. T. Breene, residing in Iowa City."
"Prof. G. W. Stewart, residing in Iowa City."
"Prof. C. A. Phillips, residing in Iowa City."
"Eric Brown, residing in Des Moines."
"J. L. A. Andrew, superintendent of banking of the state of Iowa, residing in Des Moines."
"E. D. Atwater, residing in Chicago, Ill."

April Showers Decorative Scheme to Feature Dance

Women's Pan-Hellenic Council to Entertain at Formal Dance Friday; Marty Stone's Orchestra Will Play

An effect suggestive of April showers will be utilized in the decorative scheme for the Women's Pan-Hellenic dance at Iowa Union Friday evening. As a background for the orchestra platform, a couple strolling down a pathway under an umbrella in the rain is to be depicted. The crests of the 17 sororities, members of Pan-Hellenic council, will surround the picture. Programs are of black celluloid, tied with a black and gold silk cord, and bear a gold Pan-Hellenic crest. The dance is to be formal.

Tickets were placed on sale at the sorority houses April 1, 450 already having been sold. Others are obtainable from Frances Stearns, P2 of Corydon, chairman of the ticket committee.

Chaperons of sororities and fraternities are to be guests at the event. Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Fitzgerald, Prof. and Mrs. O. K. Patton, Dean Adelaide L. Burge, and Dean Robert E. Henson are to chaperon.

The committees in charge of the formal are Blossom Henton, A4 of Wakefield, Neb., Alpha Xi Delta, general chairman; Jayne Shover, A4 of Monticello, Pi Beta Phi, music; Una Wallace, A3 of Ft. Dodge, Kappa Delta, decorations; Helen Frann, C4 of Davenport, Chi Omega, chaperons; Miss Stearns, Gamma Phi Beta, tickets; and Helen Hansen, A4 of Holstein, Kappa Alpha Theta, programs. Florence Lawton, A4 of Alden, president of the Pan-Hellenic council, Phi Omega Pi, is supervising the arrangements.

Marty Stone's orchestra, formerly of the Edgewater Beach and the Congress hotels in Chicago, will furnish the music, which is to be broadcast over WSUL.

Margaret Wahlig to Marry Clifford Russell April 25

Announcement of the engagement and approaching marriage of Margaret Wahlig, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George C. Wahlig of Davenport, and Clifford Russell, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Russell of Wilton Junction, has recently been made to friends of the couple.

The ceremony will be an event of April 25 at 7:30 a. m., at the Sacred Heart cathedral in Davenport. The date chosen by Miss Wahlig is the thirty-seventh wedding anniversary of her parents.

Mr. Russell was formerly a student at the university and is a graduate of the Wilton high school. Miss Wahlig has attended the Sacred Heart cathedral school and the Immaculate Conception academy in Davenport.

Mr. Russell is employed as a salesman with the Gordon-Van Tine company.

Cameron, Adams Former Students, Tell of Betrothal

The engagement and approaching marriage of Gertrude Cameron, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest B. Cameron, to Deane Lowden Adams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Deane C. Adams, both of Cedar Rapids, has been announced by Mr. and Mrs. Cameron. The couple plan to be married in the late summer.

Miss Cameron spent her freshman year at Ward Belmont school at Nashville, Tenn., and graduated from the university last June. She was a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority.

Mr. Adams attended the university and was affiliated with Beta Theta Pi fraternity. He has recently been appointed head of the Waterloo branch of the Wiltner Grocery company.

Auxiliary Holds Business Meeting

Members of the American Legion auxiliary met for business yesterday at 2:30 p. m., at the American Legion building.

No definite date has been set for the children's party which was postponed from March 28.

Mrs. T. Dell Kelley Entertains Club

The Ruddle club met yesterday at 8:30 p. m., at the home of Mrs. T. Dell Kelley, with Mrs. R. G. Bowen as assistant hostess. The time was spent socially.

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Reveal Engagement of Margaret Stevens, Wendell Dunkerton

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Stevens announced the engagement of their daughter, Margaret, to Wendell Dunkerton, son of Mrs. C. E. Dunkerton, also of Iowa City, yesterday.

The engagement was revealed at a luncheon given by Mrs. Stevens at her home, 214 S. Summit street. The luncheon honored Jane Dutch, who is home from Stephens college at Columbia, Mo., for the spring vacation.

Miss Stevens is a sophomore at the University of Iowa and is a member of Delta Gamma sorority. Mr. Dunkerton is a senior commerce student and is affiliated with Phi Gamma Delta fraternity.

Bates Denies Testimony of 3 Witnesses

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tion that he heard the rumors, never before.

Although it had been testified that 2,025 sacks of cement were hauled from the university siding to the site of the Bates' wall, the witness pointed out that the Wallace Lumber company bill was for 336 sacks, the actual amount used in the construction.

Attorney Fees

Earlier in the session, Auditor Cobb presented to the committee a list of attorney's fees totaling over \$14,000 in the last 12 years to Charles M. Dutcher's firms. The list of payments follows:

Dutcher and Davis \$2,157.00
Dutcher and Hambrecht \$583.00
Dutcher and McClain \$8,767.22
Dutcher Walker, and Ries \$2,545.82

Total \$14,052.94

Other lawyers might have been hired by the university, Cobb told Attorney Kelleher, but none, besides those listed, for substantial amounts. He said the list presented above covered the last 12 years and that he did not hire any of them but other officials of the university had.

A transition from the examination of J. M. Fisk was effected when Cobb was asked about payroll vouchers for the chemistry building, distribution costs in construction and other matters that tied in with the grounds and buildings superintendent's testimony. Cobb was queried at some length on the manner in which his records checked in with those of Fisk's office in regard to building materials and labor costs.

Ledgers

What started out to be a stormy session yesterday morning after the first half hour resolved itself into a routine examination of ledgers, disbursement sheets, and other records of building accounts.

Attorney Kelleher, continuing his direct examination of Cobb, proceeded to point out that an omission of an \$87,000 item from the liability side of a ledger on the chemistry building report was arbitrarily made up by inserting that figure on the asset side.

Cobb explained that the omission had been made through a clerical error and that the books were balanced in that manner as a matter of course. He added that the amount was entered in a later report taking care of the matter completely. Cobb said he had explained the matter to the committee accountants, who were satisfied on that point.

KNOW YOUR UNIVERSITY

Humanist Society Founded in 1897; Then Named After Whitney, Yale Philologist

Founded at the University of Iowa as the Whitney society, Dec. 11, 1897, the Humanist society is now represented in the faculty by two charter members, Prof. Charles Bundy Wilson, head of the German department, and Prof. Franklin H. Potter of the department of Latin and Greek.

Three Iowa City women who formerly taught in the university are also charter members. They are Mrs. Roberta Holmes Seashore, wife of Prof. Carl E. Seashore, dean of the graduate college; Della Hutchinson, 11 E. Davenport street; and Louise E. Hughes, 528 N. Gilbert street.

The organization was named in honor of Prof. William D. Whitney, noted philologist of Yale university, who died three and a half years before the founding of the society. Professor Whitney was a Sanskrit expert who became famous in Europe as well as in America.

Early members included Dean Amos N. Currier, who with his wife, was honored in the naming of Currier hall; Harry E. Kelley, formerly of the

English department and now a well known Chicago lawyer; and George Cram Cook, an American writer who died in Greece several years ago.

The constitution of the Whitney society declared that the purpose "shall be the study of languages and literature and the methods of teaching them."

When the name was changed to the Humanist society, Dec. 2, 1907, the constitution was revised to read: "The purpose shall be the cultivation and advancement in the university and elsewhere of the humanities, particularly of language, literature, art, and kindred subjects."

Since the founding of the society, the meetings have consisted of the reading and discussion of papers, usually at the home of a member, but sometimes in one of the university buildings.

Meetings are now the second and fourth Monday of every month. Prof. John Hubert Scott of the English department is president, and Prof. Herbert O. Lyte of the German department is secretary.

Cobb spent most of his time on the stand, nearly the entire day, in describing the system of bookkeeping used in his office and explaining the methods of carrying on university business.

The auditor assumed a bristling attitude toward Attorney Kelleher at the start of the proceedings when the latter attempted to curtail his answers and require his familiarity with methods and records of the department that were in existence before Cobb became auditor.

"You can't scare me for a minute, Mr. Kelleher," Cobb retorted to the attorney during one of the numerous clashes participated in even by the court reporter near the start of his examination.

Ledgers and record books were dusted off and brought into use during the examination of Cobb and office assistants were kept busy throughout the day carrying up materials from the vaults and looking up old records.

Payroll Vouchers

During Attorney Tinley's cross examination, Cobb produced vouchers for a payroll introduced several days ago for the chemistry building and upon which Attorney Kelleher had tried to point out inefficiency in the business office. Cobb said that he could turn to any records of the department if he were given enough time since those compiled before he instituted a new system of bookkeeping would be hard for him to locate.

The vouchers had been missing for several days although both Cobb and Louis J. Myhrle, the committee accountant, had searched for a while when J. M. Fisk was on the stand.

Under Tinley's quizzing Cobb explained that his preparation for his present position consisted of the general business course, including accounting, at the University of Illinois and working his way through in the business office there in a similar capacity to his present position at Iowa. After his graduation, he testified, he worked for three

months at the University of Illinois, and then for three months at the University of Iowa, where he worked for three months.

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In response to a question by Senator Doran, Cobb explained that the state auditors spend about six weeks on the books before making a report. They check every voucher and make a detailed report that includes receipts, expenditures, accounts, analysis of expenditures, and total expenses. In addition, he said, the Arthur Young company of Chicago makes a balance sheet audit each year.

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"No," Bates replied. He went on to describe how the notes were not made payable to the university because if they were on some bank or outside person "the boys would pay them more promptly."

The boys were sent to the First National bank, Bates continued, and the transactions were handled entirely through that institution.

In answer to Kelleher's question of whether he went to the bank about the matter, Bates replied that he thought he telephoned over.

Kelleher shifted the quizzing to the matter of automobiles owned by the university, in reference to testimony by Orville Simmons that he had used a car owned by the university to travel about the state.

Bates explained that this was furnished by the athletic association at Belting's direction. To the attorney's question Bates replied that a Ford was in use by the preventive medicine department that was bought some time ago when an epidemic of Malta fever throughout the state required an automobile for public health work.

He added that several other cars, a Ford in the athletic department and an old Dodge were the only other cars owned by the university.

Although he said "he had promised not to bring the sand pump matter up again," Kelleher asked Bates what he knew about the matter. Bates admitted that Langford had obtained an option on the property at the request of E. S. Bates, and that he had paid for the property out of university funds.

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Reproduction Cost Declines
"Since the prices of labor and materials entering into a waterworks system have steadily declined since 1926 when Day and Zimmerman made their appraisal, so that present prices are almost 25 per cent under those of 1926, it is fair to say that the 1930 cost of reproducing the waterworks system may be roughly estimated at \$200,000 under the \$243,945 reported by the company."

"In support of this statement is the manager's declaration that hydrants once costing \$65 now sell for \$41 and meters costing \$12 sell for \$7.50, while the government reports six inch cast iron pipe as costing about 30 per cent less than in 1926."

Rates Too High?
"The people of Iowa City are paying over 7 1/2 per cent on a reported valuation that is altogether too high. In this connection reference should be made to Moody's 1929 'Manual of Investments' (public utilities), page 768, where it is stated that the Iowa City company serves 'with its water supply on favorable rates.' Frank advertising likes that is rather refreshing and helps to bear out our contention that the rates are not fair but exorbitant."

"According to our latest information, the rates in Iowa City are still fourth highest among the 527 water plants in the state of Iowa, chiefly, we feel, because the rate base—the valuation—is set far too high."

What About the 1929 Appraisal?
"We firmly believe there is convincing proof of excessive rates in the office of the local manager. Although we asked Mr. Keller in December, 1929, to file with the city clerk a copy of the appraisal made in the summer of 1929, he has steadfastly refused to comply, because, as we suspect, the publication of the contents of that appraisal would seriously undermine the company's rate structure."

"The manager was asked how much that appraisal cost and the bookkeeper showed us a book entry of \$4,366 but no receipt or canceled check to show that sum had been paid."

Cost Consumers \$4,366
"That's what it cost Iowa City water consumers," alleged Mr. Keller, "and Van der Zee is to blame for that! Because when you raised the assessed valuation of our property in May, 1929, New York headquarters ordered an appraisal to be made to protect the company."
"So Mr. Tate, a Milwaukee engineer, headed up the work; but before it was finished, at the June taxation conference between city council and company representatives in Mr. Dutcher's office, Mr. Tate estimated the value of the waterworks system to be 4 per cent under the company's valuation. Eventually, in October, the city council surrendered to the figures insisted upon at the conference."

Was Tax Valuation Too Low?
"When the appraisal was completed," declared Mr. Keller and his bookkeeper, "Mr. Tate's final valuation was actually 10 per cent higher! It should be noted here that the most authoritative evidence of the real facts is the appraisal itself but we were not allowed to see its contents."

"This wholly unexpected revelation, assuming it is true, shows that the assessed valuation of \$252,174 agreed to by the city council in 1929 should in fact have been \$296,900, not far below the city council's original assessment of \$308,000 but well above the waterworks committee's suggested final figure of \$260,549."

Taxes \$150 Less Last Year
"What was the net result of all that trouble in 1929? The company in 1930 reports a payment of \$150 less in taxes than the year before! And now we learn that it should have paid considerably more."

"After this startling discovery, we suggested that since the responsibility for the expense of the appraisal had been pinned on Van der Zee and innocent water consumers had paid the bill, Mr. Keller should have at least the courtesy to give them a copy of the appraisal in return for the \$4,366 which they should not have made in 1930 since Van der Zee has not been proved to be at fault."
"The city should refuse to accept its waterworks committee's hearsay evidence of the statements made by Mr. Keller and his bookkeeper—it should at once demand the appraisal and let that appraisal speak for itself."

Request "Mysterious Document"
"The least Mr. Keller can do is to invite the city council to see and study that exceedingly mysterious document now on file in his office."

"It is fair to inquire why the New York city comptroller did not use the 1929 appraisal in making the last two reports. It was not until the waterworks committee called attention to the glaring omission of the 1926 appraisal from the annual reports for 1926, 1927, and 1928 that it finally appeared in the report for 1928."

Say New Appraisal Not Used
"Now we emphasize the further astounding fact that both the 1929 report and the 1930 report could and should have reflected the 1929 appraisal made by the Trojan Engineering company's experts. We see no reason for this failure unless it be that the company wishes to hide something from the public."

"This is the report of 'co-operation' the city has been getting the last two years—it shows how eagerly the company has volunteered to do everything to maintain harmonious relations between the company and the city!"

"Since cities and towns in Iowa are in general too timid, feeble, ignorant, and poor to exercise their legal power of regulating public utilities, we recommend that the city council urge the company to volunteer to deflate its valuation to a more modest and reasonable figure and then to reduce the price of water at the same time when the prices of other things have declined and are still further declining."

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The Company's Debt

"The company in 1930 increased its debt from \$523,000 to \$571,000 for the purchase of land and the construction of a new settling basin thereon, all this in spite of the fact that Mr. Keller's letter to the city council in May, 1929, and Moody's 'Manual' in 1929 told the world that the 'plant is modern in every respect and of ample capacity to take care of future growth for many years.'"

"The company in 1930 paid bondholders 5 1/2 per cent but charged consumers over 7 1/2 per cent on these bonds. At the same time the report shows that the company has advanced \$37,617 to affiliated companies and the books show that the company got only 8 per cent on such loans."

"Since consumers are paying more than 7 1/2 per cent on the total debt of \$571,000, in order to protect them the debt should be reduced to about \$535,000 by taking up the loans to other companies."

"2 Per Cent Takeoff"
"Just why a public utility company should get a 2 per cent 'take-off' on \$571,000 of first mortgage bonds at the expense of water consumers—why it should lend excess borrowings to other companies is more than we can figure out."

"If 'public service' is a waterworks company's business, why should it be allowed to do a banking business at the expense of its consumers? Is it any wonder that the New York holding company which owns all 1,056 shares of common stock of our local operating company took exactly \$21,120 in dividends in 1929 and again in 1930? That is a nice fat annual profit of exactly 20 per cent!"

"And it should not be overlooked that in addition to dividends the New York city holding company in 1930 got 3 per cent of the gross revenues for 'services' rendered to the Iowa City company—over \$4,000 more, not to mention the inflation of the fixed capital in several ways

and over-charges for depreciation each year."

"Ancient History"

"Schedule 1 on fixed capital in the 1930 report purports to repeat but does not give the items of the Day and Zimmerman appraisal of March 31, 1926, as filed in the city hall. Where, for instance, Day and Zimmerman estimated 'engineering and superintendence' at \$38,977 or 6 per cent of the total direct costs, Mr. Peters' 1930 report leaves a blank opposite that item in the first column and in the second column charges 10 per cent on additions made since 1926."

"Frankly, this sort of thing puzzles an ordinary Iowa councilman. No wonder he gets dizzy in the rarefied atmosphere of public utility finance. Since the experts in New York City handle all this, of course, in the most up to date and approved manner, the Iowa City manager and consumers will just have to swallow these nice doses of inflation."

"As pointed out before, this schedule on fixed capital contains errors in detail; and more important still, it should have presented the appraisal of 1929. Instead of that, it perpetuates ancient history, the valuation version of 1926!"

Fixed Capital Schedule "Worthless"
"Schedule 1 is, therefore, worthless, lacks authority, and is wholly out of date. Let Mr. Keller trot out the Trojan Engineering company's appraisal of 1929; we are sure Iowa City will see a real Trojan horse!"

"The 1930 income account shows receipts in Iowa City from all sources of over \$137,318—by far the highest figure in the company's history, notwithstanding the loss of \$12,000 of university business in the past two years! The operating expenses and taxes amounted to \$59,954, leaving \$78,264 of gross income."

"Too Much" for Wear and Tear
"From this the company pocketed \$21,346 for wear and tear, and once more we object that that is roughly \$10,000 too much. The charge for depreciation has been too high in all of the last five reports. Schedule 2, page one, states briefly how the annual depreciation was computed for the past five years but the figures given do not correspond to the

amounts actually taken from gross income year by year.
"The company takes 2 1/2 per cent of the average value of 'depreciable property' for depreciation. We still

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Students Play Before C. of C.

Local Winners of Prep Contest Appear at Legion Building

Nine Iowa City high school students, who won places in the recent district music contest at DeWitt entertained the chamber of commerce members at their luncheon yesterday noon at the Legion building.

The clarinet quartette is composed of Carl Cone, Virginia Sidwell, Donald Secrest, and Thomas Ayres. Robert Hedges, accompanied by Kathleen Porter, sang two baritone solos.

Accompanied by Director Paul W. Thomas, director of music at city high, Virginia Schroeder presented a baritone horn solo. Edwin Albright rendered a flute solo, accompanied by his mother, Mrs. George C. Albright.

Other numbers were given by Lawrence Smith, a tuba solo, accompanied by Arlene Finch and Sidwell Smith, a violin solo, accompanied by Miss Porter, director of music at city high.

Collision Injures Three
FORT DODGE, April 6 (AP)—E. C. Corcoran and Carl Graham of Iowa Falls and Lloyd Pletcher of Crystal Lake are in a local hospital with serious injuries suffered in a head-on collision near here Sunday night.

FAIRFIELD, April 6 (AP)—A fire at the Clarke hatchery destroyed 1,000 baby chicks and an unknown quantity of eggs.

Chest Officials Pick Leaders for Campaign

Plans for the community chest campaign took further form yesterday noon when Albert B. Sidwell, drive director, and E. H. Lauer, finance secretary, began the selection of campaign captains in a meeting at the Legion building. It was decided that this year's drive will be identical in plan to last year's, with the city mapped out into divisions and captains appointed for each division.

A meeting of the captains selected will be held Monday at the Legion building. A rally dinner will be given for all workers April 20, the first day of the campaign.

Starbuck Talks Here on Philosophic Faith

Prof. E. D. Starbuck, formerly a member of the University of Iowa faculty, now of the University of Southern California, will speak on "A confession of philosophic faith" in liberal arts auditorium at 4:10 p. m. today.

Professor Starbuck arrived in Iowa City last Sunday and plans to leave for Los Angeles by airplane this evening.

AMES, April 6 (AP)—Funeral service will be held here Tuesday at 2 p. m., for Prof. H. E. Bemis, head

LOOK!

Watch for announcement of special educational demonstration starting Monday, April 13th.

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of the veterinary department of the University of Pennsylvania and former vice regent of the veterinary division of Iowa State college. He died in Philadelphia Saturday when his parachute failed to open here late today.

Test Pilot Dies in Leap
KANSAS CITY, April 6 (AP)—Bert Thomas, a test pilot, was killed in a leap from a disabled plane when his parachute failed to open here late today.

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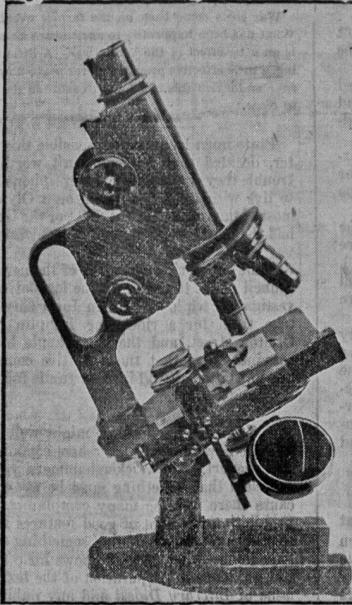


Post Easter Offerings

- Potatoes, Whoopee Brand U. S. Grade Number 1 Idaho
- Russet Burbanks, 100 lb. bag \$2.10
- Chili Sauce, Snider's 10 oz. bottle 19
- Diced Carrots, No. 10 tin 45
- Per Case of Six Cans \$2.38
- Kidney Beans, Snider's, No. 10 can 60
- Per Case of Six Cans \$3.25
- Spinach, Snider's, No. 10 tin 50
- Per Case of Six Cans \$2.75
- Corn, Scarlet King Brand, Fancy Country Gentleman, No. 10 tin 73
- Per Case of Six Cans \$4.13
- Le Grande Brand, Standard Evergreen, No. 10 tin ... 59
- Per Case of Six Cans \$3.23
- Sauer Kraut, Meeter's Brand, No. 10 tin 36
- Per Case of Six Cans \$1.97
- Cherries, Red Sour Pitted, New York State, 72 oz. can. 86
- Per Case of Six Cans \$4.75
- Blueberries, Loggie's Eagle Brand, No. 10 tin 90
- Per Case of Six Cans \$4.95
- Peaches, Libby's Brand, Sliced or Halves, No. 10 tin .. 69
- Per Case of Six Cans \$3.80
- Rosedale Brand, Sliced or Halves, No. 10 tin 65
- Per Case of Six Cans \$3.63
- Pears, Snider's, New York Bartletts, No. 2 1-2 tin 25
- Per Dozen \$2.75

The Story of Sidwell's

No. 14— This is the 14th of a series of 26 "ads" presenting "The Story of Sidwell's." They appear in the Tuesday and Thursday issues of both local papers. —No. 14



Then -- a Final Bacteria Count By Univ. Dept. of Health

In our previous "ads" we have pointed out the rigid tests taken, both by our men and by the technicians from Ames, as a guide in purchasing only the purest Milk. We have explained our modern equipment, our supervision of the farms, our employees health exams, our pasteurization process, etc.

We come very logically now to the finished product—the Milk that you receive. Every aid, every precaution to purity has been taken. It must then be excellent Milk. But we want to be positive. What final check is there?

Our Milk is tested bacteriologically, at times unknown to us, by the University Department of Health. These tests are made on supplies of Milk as regularly delivered to the University Hospital, the Dormitories, or any of the various departments using Milk. The results are forwarded to us and placed in our files. We should be pleased to have you call and see them. These tests are conclusive evidence of the Purity of our Milk.

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HENRY BERNARD HOOK, Night Editor

Iowa City's Waterworks

THE city may during the month of March in the year 1933 purchase the entire waterworks plant and property at a value to be ascertained, in case the authorities of the city and the owner are unable to agree upon the value, by appraisement.

"The city council shall give the company one year's notice of its intention to submit the proposition of purchasing to the voters of Iowa City.

"The value of the property shall be ascertained at least six months before the right to purchase accrues. If not agreed upon, such payment shall be fixed by five appraisers, who shall not be interested as taxpayers or otherwise.

In those terms does the city's waterworks franchise set forth the basis on which the plant may become municipally owned.

Any water consumer in Iowa City should be interested in the report urging that this virtual option should be exercised by having the council a year from now give notice of intention to hold an election in March, 1933, for the acquisition of the property.

Public minded individuals who study the issue, and it deserves close attention by every citizen, should beware of false issues.

That the company which owns the plant is located in New York is not and cannot be the real issue. That fact is incidental.

That managementship of the company need not change if the property is acquired and George Keller is willing to continue to administer it should be observed.

That the council committee's report, carried in full today, does not charge poor service but rates that are declared to be too high indicates the real issue.

If the people of Iowa City follow the situation from now through probable notice of election next year and election in 1933, the verdict they render then will be a sound judgment as to whether the city can more economically operate its own waterworks.

To the end that the people of Iowa City can begin to form their conclusions now, THE DAILY IOWAN this morning prints the report in full and will continue to give adequate space to developments in the waterworks situation, in the belief that an informed electorate is the only surety of sound voting judgment.

Carrying On

THE often asked question, "Just what advantage has suffrage been to women in the United States?" may find an adequate answer in the accomplishments and study programs of the League of Women Voters since the inception of that group 11 years ago.

If the league did nothing other than study questions which arise in government, it would be accomplishing much. A definite line of procedure is necessary before a subject can be put on the program of study.

The subject is studied one year before it is placed on the study program.

It was Irvin S. Cobb who remarked that when a man used to reach back under his coat it was a threat; now it is a promise.

With the signing of Governor Dan Turner March 31 of a bill providing for a five day interim between the application and the issuance of a marriage license, the league scored a victory. The measure is nationally backed by the group, two states this year passing a similar law, three state legislatures considering it, and 14 states having had such a law previously.

The part members of the Iowa City league played is worthy of approbation. Mrs. Frank Stromsten, president of the state league, and many local citizens have participated actively in sending the bill through and in other activities.

With the issuance April 1 of an eight page Iowa League bulletin comes an official organ for assimilating state comment. Mrs. C. E. Seashore, assisted by Ruth A. Gallaher, is editor of the pamphlet. The first issue contains lists of reference material, mentions the subjects of national league radio programs broadcast from 6 to 6:30 p.m. Tuesdays from January to May, and announces

a biennial general council meeting at Washington, D. C., April 14-17.

The need for education of women along political lines, felt by Carrie Chapman Catt, organizer of the league, is being satisfied. Not only that; it is being carried on.

Iowa City has just cause for being proud of the part local leaders are taking in the advancement of political knowledge.

Optional Drill in State Schools

(From Wallace's Farmer)

Farm people in Iowa will regret the failure of the Iowa house of representatives to pass the bill to make military training at the state schools optional instead of compulsory. They should be pleased, however, that 42 representatives voted to support the measure, and that 30 of these were farmers.

Those favoring the bill pointed out that compulsory military training was of little value as physical education, or as preparation for war, and that it did increase the costs of federal and state government. They objected to the training also on the ground that conscription in time of peace was un-American, and that propaganda put out by instructors in the compulsory courses helped to make college youth believe that war was inevitable and that the war department should be given as large appropriations as it asked for.

Wallace's Farmer and Iowa Homestead, of course, believes that optional training is desirable. So far as we can find out, the only benefits that come to national defense from military training in colleges come from the optional advanced courses, which would still be retained. The argument that every boy owes something to the state, and therefore should learn elementary drill, does not appeal to us very strongly.

We are glad that the state of Iowa is discussing optional versus compulsory military training, and that it will continue to discuss it. Bound up with that issue are the wider issues of international relations, economy in military expenditures, preparation for peace through removing the economic causes of war, and a host of other subjects.

What has been happening to agriculture since 1919 is an after-effect of the World war. A little thinking, a little effective preparation for peace now, may save up incalculable blood and treasure in the years to come.

Pluto must have become sensible this winter, decided that women aren't worth the trouble they cause, and sent Persephone back to live with her mother on Mount Olympus most of the winter. Either that or the Greeks had the wrong dope on what causes winter.

Some enterprising member of the new city council ought to round up the legislative investigators while they're in Iowa City and take them for a ride over Templin road, Clinton street, and the Quadrangle hill to convince them that the executive council's appropriation should include funds for paving purposes here.

The "probe" committee might well emulate the now famed Wickersham commission in its report. The Wickershamers, you recall, said that something must be wrong because there were so many complaints, that prohibition has a lot of good features which should be retained, and that something ought to be done—what, nobody knows for certain.

Reports from Chicago are that College Humor has withdrawn its claim to instigation of the investigation on learning that no inquiry has been made concerning "shovel thumbs" among the children of alumni, leaving the field to the Cedar Rapids Gazette.

Reports are that every time a telephone rings an automobile has traveled six miles. And can the excessive number of accidents parallel central's wrong numbers?

It was Irvin S. Cobb who remarked that when a man used to reach back under his coat it was a threat; now it is a promise.

Days are long and nights are dreary, they say, on Polar expeditions, and in the case of this trip across the Arctic in a submarine there won't even be the weather to discuss.

If there is anything in the theory that one may contract an ailment by brooding on its symptom, we must read up more on ergomania, a condition of desiring intensely to work.

"Shine, no waiting," the cry heard in city streets is apparently to be supplemented with "divorce, no waiting" when western states get through cutting down their requirements.

Just as humorists were swearing off further allusions to the Wickersham report, London comes out with a statement that the reading public is turning again to the old-fashioned long novel.

OFFICIAL DAILY BULLETIN

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University Calendar

(All students and faculty members shall schedule events involving the use of university buildings at the president's office in Old Capitol as far in advance of the dates as possible. No other dates are included in this official calendar, which takes the place in most cases of ordinary bulletin notices.)

Tuesday April 7 8:00 a.m. Classes resumed 10:00 a.m. Tuesday Morning Music club, Iowa Union 4:10 p.m. Lecture: Prof. E. D. Starbuck, liberal arts auditorium 8:00 p.m. Lecture: Count Carlo Sforza, natural science auditorium

Wednesday, April 8 Waterworks conference Law faculty, Iowa Union Engineering faculty, Iowa Union Religious Workers council, Iowa Union Luncheon, University club 4:10 p.m. Lecture: Count Carlo Sforza, senate chamber, Old Capitol 4:15 p.m. Freshman club, Iowa Union 5:00 p.m. Pi Lambda Theta initiation at Iowa Union; dinner at 6 p.m. 6:15 p.m. Dinner and joint meeting of American Society of Mechanical Engineers, student branch, Tri-City section, Iowa Union 7:15 p.m. Scabbard and Blade, Iowa Union 7:20 p.m. Pi Epsilon Pi, Iowa Union 7:30 p.m. Iowa Dames club, liberal arts drawing room 7:30 p.m. Lecture: Prof. Merle Randall, University of California, chemistry auditorium 8:00 p.m. Demonstration: Mrs. Agnete Bertram, head of department of physical education for women, University of Copenhagen, Denmark, women's gymnasium

Thursday, April 9 Waterworks conference 4:10 p.m. Classical club, liberal arts drawing room 7:15 p.m. Octave Thanet literary society, Iowa Union 7:30 p.m. German club, liberal arts drawing room 8:30 p.m. Spring party, Triangle club

Friday, April 10 Waterworks conference 4:10 p.m. Lecture: Count Carlo Sforza, senate chamber, Old Capitol 7:30 p.m. Radio club, radio laboratory, West side 9:00 p.m. Women's Pan-Hellenic, Iowa Union

Saturday, April 11 High school museum convention, natural science auditorium 2:00 p.m. Recital: school of music, liberal arts auditorium 7:30 p.m. Bridge party, University club 7:30 p.m. Phi Psi "Empire State Building," American Society of Civil Engineers, chemistry auditorium

Sunday, April 12 2:30 p.m. Phi Delta Epsilon, Iowa Union 6:00 p.m. Negro Forum, liberal arts drawing room

Monday, April 13 4:10 p.m. Lecture: Count Carlo Sforza, senate chamber, Old Capitol 6:00 p.m. Gamma Theta Phi, Iowa Union 7:15 p.m. Iowa City Women's chorus, Iowa Union 8:00 p.m. Child Study group, Iowa Union

Tuesday, April 14 3:15 p.m. Concert: Verbrughen quartet, Iowa Union 6:00 p.m. Picnic supper, Triangle club 7:15 p.m. Erodelaphian literary society, Iowa Union 7:15 p.m. Hamlin Garland literary society, Iowa Union 8:15 p.m. Play, natural science auditorium

Wednesday, April 15 12:00 a.m. Religious Workers council, Iowa Union Engineering faculty, Iowa Union Law faculty, Iowa Union 4:10 p.m. Lecture: Count Carlo Sforza, senate chamber, Old Capitol 4:15 p.m. Y.W.C.A. Freshman club, Iowa Union 6:00 p.m. College of law dinner, Iowa Union 7:15 p.m. Christian Science students society, liberal arts drawing room 7:20 p.m. Pi Epsilon Pi, Iowa Union 8:15 p.m. Play, natural science auditorium

Thursday, April 16 3:00 p.m. Child Study group, Iowa Union 6:00 p.m. Research club dinner, Iowa Union 7:15 p.m. Octave Thanet literary society 7:45 p.m. Alpha Phi Omega, Iowa Union 8:15 p.m. Play, natural science auditorium

Friday, April 17 Commercial Education conference, senate chamber, Old Capitol Kensington, University club Junior Prom, Iowa Union

Saturday, April 18 Commercial Education conference, senate chamber, Old Capitol High School Museum convention, natural science auditorium Times club: Countee Cullen, speaker, American Legion building Cosmopolitan club, liberal arts auditorium

Senior Invitations Orders for senior invitations must be left with the University bookstore before April 15. All seniors desiring invitations are requested to place their orders at once. SENIOR INVITATION COMMITTEE.

All-University Golf Championship, 1931 Entries for the golf championship may be made at the club house, Finkbine field. The list is open until April 10. Any student may compete for the Kuever-Beye championship trophy. The qualifying round will be played Saturday, April 11. Eighteen holes medal play. Entry fee is 50 cents. COACH CHARLES KENNETT.

Freshman Golf Championship The freshman championship will be played for the first time this year. A trophy has been presented by Dr. Charles Van Epps. Entries may be made by any freshman, the list being open until April 10 and the qualifying round being played Saturday, April 11, in connection with the All-University championship qualifying round. Suitable prizes will be given. All entries must be made at the club house. Entry fee is 50 cents. COACH CHARLES KENNETT.

Robert T. Swaine Scholarship in Harvard A scholarship of \$350 is offered annually by Robert T. Swaine, L. A. 1905, to graduates of the university who desire to do professional or other graduate work at Harvard university, preference being given to students who enter law. Applications should be sent to the office of the dean of the graduate college by April 15. C. E. SEASHORE.

Lecture Prof. Edwin D. Starbuck will deliver a lecture, "The philosopher's quest," in the liberal arts auditorium Tuesday, April 7, at 4:10 p.m.

Botany Club Margaret Wolf will talk on the "Polyporaceae of Iowa" today, April 8, at 4:10 p.m. in room 408, biology building. PROGRAM COMMITTEE.

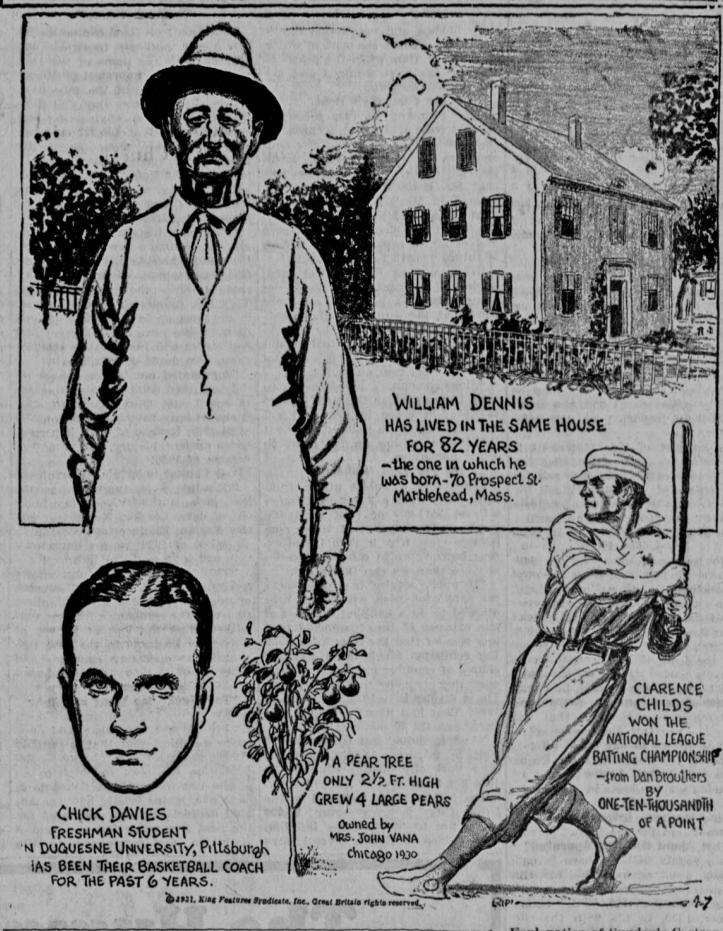
Pi Lambda Theta Pi Lambda Theta initiation will take place at Iowa Union Wednesday, April 8, at 5 p.m. Following initiation, dinner will be served. Please notify Genevieve Christner by Monday, April 6. ALMA HELD.

EXAMINATION SCHEDULE Second Semester, 1930-31 Thursday, May 21, 8:00 a.m. to Thursday, May 28, 4:00 p.m., 1931 The regular program of class work will be suspended, and the following semester-examination program substituted for it. Classes will meet for examination in the rooms in which they have been regularly meeting (except classes in French (2) and (4), and speech (2), as shown below). The program committee directs the attention of both students and instructors and professors to the regulation that there is to be no deviation in the case of any examination, from this schedule—except as authorized by the committee, on the student's written petition filed in ample time, supported by the recommendation of the department concerned—to provide relief from an excessive number of examinations within a single day. Deviation for the purpose of getting through earlier will not be permitted.

Classes (except in freshman English, first and second year French, and speech), N.B. below, whose first meetings occur: Monday at 8, meet for examination Wednesday, May 27, 10-12 Monday at 9, meet for examination Wednesday, May 27, 8-10 Monday at 10, meet for examination Saturday, May 23, 8-10 Monday at 11, meet for examination Monday, May 25, 10-12 Monday at 1, meet for examination Thursday, May 29, 8-10 Monday at 2, meet for examination Thursday, May 29, 10-12 Monday at 3, meet for examination Thursday, May 29, 10-12 Tuesday at 8, meet for examination Thursday, May 28, 10-12 Tuesday at 9, meet for examination Monday, May 25, 8-10 Tuesday at 10, meet for examination Friday, May 23, 8-10 Tuesday at 11, meet for examination Saturday, May 23, 2-4 Tuesday at 1, meet for examination Tuesday, May 26, 8-10 Tuesday at 2, meet for examination Wednesday, May 27, 2-4 Tuesday at 3, meet for examination Friday, May 22, 10-12

The first meeting of the class means the first lecture or recitation period in courses having both lectures and recitations, and laboratory periods; or, in case of courses involving only laboratory periods, the first clock-hour of the first weekly meeting. For example chemistry (2B) meets for lectures TTh at 11. The first meeting is, consequently, Tuesday at 11; and the class will meet for examination Saturday, May 23, 10-12, according to the foregoing table. Again, physics 128 meets twice a week, TF, for a three-hour laboratory exercise, 1-4. The period for the examination is, therefore, Tuesday, May 26, 8-10.

BELIEVE IT OR NOT (Reg. in U. S. Patent Office) By Ripley



WILLIAM DENNIS HAS LIVED IN THE SAME HOUSE FOR 82 YEARS - the one in which he was born - 70 Prospect St. Marblehead, Mass.

CLARENCE CHILDS WON THE NATIONAL LEAGUE BATTING CHAMPIONSHIP - from Dan Brothers by ONE-TEN-THOUSANDTH OF A POINT

CHICK DAVIES FRESHMAN STUDENT DUQUESNE UNIVERSITY, PITTSBURGH HAS BEEN THEIR BASKETBALL COACH FOR THE PAST 6 YEARS.

N.B. All section of freshman English will meet simultaneously in the rooms designated below, Saturday, May 23, 2-4 p.m.

Table with columns for Sections, English (UH), and French (2). Rows include sections A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, I, J, K, L, M, N, O, P, Q, R, S, T, U, V, W, X, Y, Z.

N.B. All sections of French (2) and (02) and all sections of Spanish (52) and (052) will meet simultaneously in the rooms specified below Friday, May 22, 2-4.

Table with columns for Sections, French (2), and Spanish (52). Rows include sections A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, I, J, K, L, M, N, O, P, Q, R, S, T, U, V, W, X, Y, Z.

N.B. All sections of French (4) and (04) will meet simultaneously in the rooms specified below Monday, May 25, 2-4.

Table with columns for Sections, French (4), and Spanish (052). Rows include sections A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, I, J, K, L, M, N, O, P, Q, R, S, T, U, V, W, X, Y, Z.

N.B. PRINCIPLES OF SPEECH (2): Group I: All sections of speech (2) having their regular meeting on Monday and Tuesday will have their examinations according to the regular schedule presented in the first tabular statement above (Sections A,B,C,D,E; and section 4—speech for physical education majors).

Table with columns for Sections, French (02), and Spanish (052). Rows include sections GA, GB, GC, GD, KA, KB, KC, KD, LA, LB, LC, LD, MA, MB, MC, MD, NA, NB, NC, ND, OA, OB, OC, OD.

Group II: The following sections will meet simultaneously in the rooms specified below Thursday, May 21, 1-3: GA 6 HA 314 HE 118 GB 14 HB 15 IA 16 GC 20 HC 4 IB 115 GD 7 HD 19 IC 116

Group III: The following sections will meet simultaneously in the rooms, in the liberal arts building, specified below, Tuesday, May 26, 2-4: FA 6 JA 115 02-2A 14 FB 4 JB 110 02-2B 7 FC 16 JC 224 FD 207 JD 314

(Consult your instructor if you have conflicts for this examination period, Tuesday, May 26, 2-4. "Odd" classes, whose first or only weekly meetings occur Wednesdays, Thursdays, Fridays, or Saturdays; or which meet "as arranged," will be assigned for examination at either one or another of the following three periods, as announced to each class by the instructor in charge of the class:

Table with columns for Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday. Rows include sections GA, GB, GC, GD, KA, KB, KC, KD, LA, LB, LC, LD, MA, MB, MC, MD, NA, NB, NC, ND, OA, OB, OC, OD.

It should be borne in mind that there is possibility of announcing two or more "odd" classes for any one or more of these three periods available for "odd" classes. Therefore, in connection with any such announcement it would doubtless be well for the instructor making the announcement to ascertain whether any member of his class is already under appointment for examination in some other class for the proposed period. To be sure, it is possible to have examinations in more than one class at any of these times—if no student is a member of more than one of these classes.

According to one clause in the formal faculty action providing for a special semester examination program, "The instructor may use the examination period as he sees fit, provided he holds the class for the full period. He may have an oral, or a written examination, or both, or neither. He may continue regular work or he may use the time for review, or for any phase of his work which may seem to him desirable at this time."

PROGRAM COMMITTEE, H. C. DORCAS, secretary.

Phi Tau Theta The April supper meeting of Phi Tau Theta will be at the Methodist student center at 6 o'clock tonight. Prof. Charles Hawley will give an illustrated talk on Czecho-Slovakia. Phone reservations to 3373 by noon. BLAINE DEYARMAN, chairman.

Alpha Phi Omega Alpha Phi Omega will have an open meeting Thursday, April 9, at Iowa Union. It is important that all actives and pledges be present. LARUE A. THURSTON, president.

American Society of Mechanical Engineers The third annual joint meeting of the Tri-Cities section and the University of Iowa student branch of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers is to be Wednesday, April 8, at 6:15 p.m., at Iowa Union. W. L. Abbott, chief operating engineer of the Commonwealth Edison company of Chicago, will speak on "Our dwindling fuel reserves and thereafter."

Explanation of Sunday's Cartoon

Benjamin Stillman (1818-1885) came of a family greatly distinguished for scholarly accomplishments. The list of his scientific achievements and honors is long, and very remarkable. He was also Professor of Medical Chemistry in the University of Louisville, Kentucky, and was State Chemist of Connecticut.

Urge City to Buy Plant on Option in '32

insist that 1 per cent on two-thirds and 2 per cent on the other one-third of this value is quite sufficient and we quote Raymond's "The Public and Its Utilities," page 267, in support of this contention.

Quoted Dean Raymond: "A very large part of any waterworks property is the distribution system—mains of cast iron pipe, the life of which under favorable conditions is unknown. Cast iron will last longer than anyone knows. But when estimating depreciation it is common to give it a life of from 40 to 100 years. Reservoirs have long lives. Pumps have a long life of 30 years or more if not rendered inadequate by growth of the service or obsolete by new improvements effecting large economies in operation. Tools, machinery, and small supplies are undependable and can be cared for out of the maintenance allowance."

"We believe and repeat our statement of 1929 that the company has charged the consumers \$40,000 too much for depreciation in the years 1926 to inclusive, so that the total accrued depreciation for these years almost equals the total for all years previous to 1926! Consumers in Iowa City will no doubt continue helpless in the face of this astonishing fact. Will the company ever volunteer to change its ways?"

"The company last year made a profit of 7.6 per cent in Iowa City. Since 7 per cent is a fair rate of return, the net of \$27,163 available to surplus is roughly \$4,500 more than is allowed by law. The water rates have been and are still too excessive, or such profits would be impossible.

"The real dictator in all this business sits far away among the cave dwellings of New York City while the underlying population in Iowa City helplessly pay tribute at his bidding. It will take a mayor and council with solid backbone and ability and a good purse to bring relief to their people in a situation like that. And the state of Iowa will not add its strength to their weakness.

"The best way out is for the city council to exercise its power under the waterworks franchise in March, 1932, and one year later to submit to the voters the question of purchasing the local waterworks system.

"Let us hope that Iowa City will join the ranks of municipal ownership now prevailing in 515 other cities and towns in Iowa."

—Lou Kaufmann, chairman.

—J. Van der Zee.

S.K.

Asks O to Str Action

Ed O'Connor Defense in

An application for dismissal of the proceedings brought was filed by local attorney Charles W. Stevens.

11 lawyers of alleged unethical conduct.

The applicant attorneys for requests that an order dismissing the action and strike files and records be granted.

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"No Inform Evans, the judge, did not file above court.

d. That no 11 members of Bar association said cause.

e. That the said information Evans on Feb. 13, 1931, in which were keeping the order shows up was based upon and that no ever filed in said.

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S.K. Stevenson Applies for Dismissal of Charges

Asks Order to Strike Out Action Cause

Ed O'Connor, Baldwin Defense Attorneys in Suit

An application for the dismissal of the disbarment proceedings brought against him was filed by S. K. Stevenson, local attorney, in the district court yesterday.

Charges were brought against Mr. Stevenson by a committee of 11 lawyers of Iowa City Feb. 21 alleging unethical and unprofessional conduct.

The application was signed by Ed L. O'Connor and E. A. Baldwin, attorneys for the respondent. It requests that "the court to enter an order dismissing said cause of action and strike the same from the files and records of this court for the following reasons, to wit:

1. That said proceedings are null and void and the court does not have jurisdiction to try the case for the following reasons:

a. That the order of the court made and filed herein on January 13th, 1931, was based upon matters that were never properly before the court.

"No Information Filed"
b. That the order of court made January 13th, 1931, refers to an information in writing signed by 11 members of the Bar of Johnson county, Iowa, having been presented to the court, whereas charges of unethical and unprofessional conduct were alleged to have been made against S. K. Stevenson, and said order shows upon its face that it was based upon said information and that no such information was ever filed in said court.

c. That whoever presented said information to the Hon. H. D. Evans, the judge who made the order, did not file the same in the above court.

d. That no information signed by 11 members of the Johnson County Bar association was ever filed in this said cause.

e. That the ones who presented said information to the Hon. H. D. Evans on Feb. 13th, 1931, have withdrawn and secreted the same and are keeping the same from the accused for reasons unknown to this respondent.

"Evans Withdrew Information"
f. That it appears from the order of court of February 12, 1931, that said proceedings to remove and suspend Attorney S. K. Stevenson were commenced on the motion and written information of 11 unnamed members of the Bar association of Johnson county, Iowa, and that said motion or information was not filed and placed of record in said court as contemplated by Sec. 10931 of the Code of 1927; that the accused, S. K. Stevenson, has no means of knowing whether or not said information or motion was sworn to as directed by law and therefore denies that said information or motion was sworn to.

g. That the information, motion, or charges contained in the proceedings to remove or suspend attorney S. K. Stevenson were not sworn to as by law provided.

Signed by 11 Lawyers
h. That the court's order of January 13, 1931, was based upon this said written information signed by 11 members of the Johnson County Bar association.

i. That the court, in this said order, made a judicial finding of the allegations contained in said information, or some of them were true.
j. That the court had no jurisdiction or authority to appoint Henry G. Walker, Edwin B. Wilson, and O. A. Byington to investigate said charges already before the court, and the court had already passed upon the sufficiency of said charges and had already found that said charges were sufficient to warrant proceed-

From Iowa City Pulpits

Resurrection Source of Inspiration, Affirms Rev. Dillinger at Christian Church

Christendom was united in one thought Sunday. All sermons centered on a single subject. All music brought out a similar theme. The Easter Sabbath fixed attention on Jesus and His Resurrection.

The Rev. J. A. Dillinger has been a frequent occupant of the Christian church pulpit since the death of the late Rev. Guy H. Findly. He is the executive secretary of the Christian churches of Iowa.

(Editor's note: This is the twelfth of a series of articles on sermons delivered from local pulpits, to be presented on this page every Tuesday morning.)

By WILLIAM RUTLEDGE
The solace and hope of the poor, discouraged, and sick—

ings in disbarment.

k. That the committee, Henry G. Walker, Edwin B. Wilson, and O. A. Byington, have no legal standing or authority to file the 17 different and separate charges against the accused, S. K. Stevenson, that are now filed herein in connection with the report of said committee made and filed as of February 20th, 1931.

l. That said proceedings have not been filed and commenced in the manner as provided by Sec. 10931 of the Code of Iowa, as herein above set forth.

III. That the charges numbered from 1 to 17 inclusive, filed in connection with the report of the committee on Feb. 20, 1931, should be dismissed and stricken from the records of said court for the following reasons, to-wit:

a. That the same are too remote and too stale and that the charges show upon their face, if true, that they occurred many years ago and that the details in connection with said charges have been destroyed or lost or taken from his files, and that it is unfair to require this respondent to meet such ancient, vague and indefinite charges.

b. That said charges, if true, allege that the respondent is guilty of felonies and misdemeanors involving moral turpitude, and that there is no allegation contained in any of said charges that the respondent has ever been convicted of any such felonies or misdemeanors.

c. That there is no allegation contained in any of said charges to the effect that the respondent has willfully refused to comply with any order of court made on proper motion requiring him to turn over any of the moneys or funds mentioned in said charges.

d. That paragraph one of Sec. 10930 of the 1927, Code of Iowa, is exclusive of all other causes in cases wherein felonies and misdemeanors involving moral turpitude are alleged and involved.

e. That there is no allegation contained in any of said charges to the effect that the respondent has been guilty of deceit or collusion or has consented thereto with the intent to deceive a court or judge or party to an action or proceeding as provided by Sec. 10921 of the 1927, Code of Iowa.

f. That Sec. 10927 of the 1927, Code of Iowa, does not state or specify a ground for disbarment, but simply defines the crime of receiving money from a client and refusing to pay or deliver it in a reasonable time after demand, and that said crime therein defined as a misdemeanor involving moral turpitude; that alleged facts violative of Sec. 10927 does not of itself allege any statutory ground for disbarment, unless it be further alleged that the respondent has been convicted of such a crime.

g. That in no case is it shown that such charges are brought by any of the parties mentioned in said above proceedings.
h. That said charges are not brought for the benefit of the public, in that there is no allegation by any private party or any client or any one else interested in said proceedings, except that 11 unnamed parties in the first information presented to the court on Jan. 12, 1931.

source of all progress. Yes, indeed, in Him was and is life."

Spirit Motivating Force
The spirit of Jesus has been the motivating force for the establishment of hospitals and sanatoriums, the Rev. Mr. Dillinger asserted. "There are multitudes of those, who in every century and country, have been able to carry on in spite of pain, sickness, and disease. In moments of despair people laid hold on Him. Wherever His story and life have been taught, there one finds sympathy and love, skill and health. In lands where Jesus is not known, nothing is done for the sick and diseased."

If the Roman empire were to speak on the Resurrection, it would say something like this, the Rev. Mr. Dillinger believes, "Ours was what we thought the conquering force of the world. Our army was known and feared everywhere. At Rome a carpenter whose home was in Nazareth was considered a fanatic, a magic worker. Pilate, our Jewish governor, had allowed Him to be put to death as a common criminal. . . . Jesus was not dead, but living, and many were believing in it."

Caesar's Name Pales
"And within three centuries after the Peasant was killed, Rome was down and out, and the name of Jesus was a name glorified. "Caesar's name paled into the dim

twilight beside the name of Jesus. Rome fell but not by the sword, but by something greater. History says it fell before the story of the Resurrection."

The poor find Jesus a source of inspiration, the Rev. Mr. Dillinger said. "The poor in nations that do not know Christ never get ahead. They are fixed, once poor they are always poor. It is not so when Christ's life comes in. To none other save the living Christ can we give credit for this energizing hope that lifts us from the mirey pits of poverty."

The tollers says, in the words of the Rev. Mr. Dillinger, "Ours are the backs that are bent under daily

tasks. We build cities, we dig coal, we bear burdens, we sit at desks long hours. We stand at the machines in the factories. Before there was a risen Lord we could not sing at our tasks. Now that he is in the world there is a song in the air and smiles on our faces."

Nab Escaped Prisoner
R. V. Murray of Rolfe, who escaped from jail here December 6 after serving two of his three months' sentence at the county jail for driving while intoxicated, was arrested in Pocahontas yesterday, the sheriff of the county notified Sheriff Don McComas yesterday.

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Hawkeyes Open Home Baseball Season With 3 to 2 Victory Over Norsemen

Luther Game Develops Into Pitching Duel

Hawkeyes Come From Behind to Score Two Tallies

By AUSTIN RUTLEDGE (Sports Editor)

Whether or not the new ball had anything to do with it, Iowa's 3 to 2 victory in the season opener against Luther yesterday developed into a real old-fashioned pitchers' battle. Johnny Ingraham, junior south-paw who worked the first seven innings for the Hawkeyes, allowed four hits, and John Carlsen, who pitched the eighth and ninth, gave only one. Aase, elongated Norseman, held the Iowans to three safeties, but walked six.

Albertson Drops Throw
The Hawkeye win was accomplished in this manner: with the score Luther 2, Iowa 1, Joe Kenny, first up in the eighth, got a lift when Albertson, Norse first sacker, dropped a throw from Tangen, second base. Elmo Nelson sacrificed Joe to second, and Captain Joe Mowry got a single, but was forced at second by a fielder's choice on Leo Frigo's tap through the box, Kenny going to third.

With "Biggy" Reedquist at bat, Frigo stole second, and when Biggy laced a hard drive into center, both Kenny and Frigo scored, giving the Hawkeyes their winning runs.

Kenny Scores First
The other Hawkeye run came in the third on a base on balls to Kenny, a throw to deep center by Halverson, Luther catcher, and some fumbling in the outfield.

Luther accomplished its two runs in the fifth and sixth innings. In the fifth, with two down, Halverson worked Ingraham for a base on balls, stole second, moved to third on a wild pitch, and scored on Aase's single.

Nelson Tries Arm
Albertson, first sacker, scored the other Norse run by going to third when Nelson dropped a third strike and threw to center field, allowing Albertson to go to third. He came home while Eddie Groepper was throwing out Rogstad at first.

Art Porter, Iowa shortstop, collaborated with the Norse infield in contributing most of the fielding features of the game. The little short fielder went into deep short for hard hit grounder and displayed a whip to first which may cut off many base hits before the season ends.

Tangen and Lande, second and short for the Norse, turned in several fast plays around the keystone, and Neseth handled his three chances at third perfectly. Albertson made 12 putouts, and dropped a throw which later resulted in Iowa's tying and probably winning runs.

Reedquist Stars
Reedquist, in addition to handling 15 chances without error, contributed two of Iowa's three hits. Mowry got the other.

Ingraham walked three and struck out four. Carlsen gave one pass and struck out two, and Aase yielded six passes and slipped three strikes over on two Hawkeyes.

The second and final game of the home series will be played at Iowa field this afternoon at 4 o'clock. Friday and Saturday the Hawkeyes go to Decatur for a two game series with the Norsemen.

Box score:
IOWA: A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E.
Koser, lf 4 0 0 1 0 0
Kenny, 2b 2 2 0 2 2 0
Nelson, c 3 0 0 6 2 1
Mowry, cf (c) 3 0 1 0 0 0
Frigo, rf 3 1 1 0 0
Reedquist, 1b 3 0 2 15 0 0
Groepper, 3b 0 0 0 0 2 0
Porter, ss 1 0 0 2 5 0
Ingraham, p 2 0 0 0 1 0
Carlsen, p 0 0 0 0 1 0
Carey 1 0 0 0 0 0
Totals 26 3 3 27 14 1
LUTHER: A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E.
Tangen, 3b 4 0 0 3 1 0

Sportively Speaking

By Bill Rutledge

Some surprisingly good pitching was served up by John Ingraham and John Carlsen for the Hawkeyes yesterday afternoon in the season debut of Coach Otto Vogel's nine against the Luther college outfit. The fielding was somewhat shaky in spots, but as steady as one could expect on the first time out in a regulation encounter.

The hitting strength was not up to par, but the fault lay mainly with Aase, the Luther hurler, who permitted but three safe blows. Iowa converted every hit into a run. Hit when hits mean runs is a good slogan for any ball club.

The same teams will be in action this p.m. in the second game of the series. Rivalry between the club's will be concluded for this season Friday and Saturday at Decatur. It won't be long before the Big Ten teams will be coveting on the local diamond.

In a week the tuning up training activities of the big and minor leaguers will be finished. April 14 formal competition for the National and American league flags will be under way.

Pre-campaign speculation should attain its peak this week. The A's and the Cards rank as the top-notchers in the opinion of most fans and will remain as such until independence Day at least, regardless of what happens.

In the 154-game schedules of the major league teams, the first 30 or 50 tilts don't count for much. It's the teams that stand up under the grueling grind that gets places in the majors.

The mediocre entrants have a habit of jumping up to a high place for a few weeks, but it is seldom that they can stand the gaff. The bunting-winners usually are content to linger around third or fourth place during the early months, while the other contenders are sapping their strength to hold the lead.

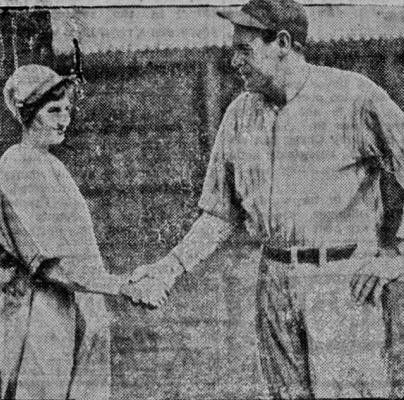
McDonald Hurts Victory
PHILADELPHIA, April 6 (AP)—With Hank McDonald, 19 year old right hander from the Pacific coast league, going the route, the Athletics scored their first victory of the Philadelphia city series today, defeating the Phillies 3 to 2.

Blues Even Count
KANSAS CITY, April 6 (AP)—The Kansas City Blues evened things up a little more today by taking a 4 to 3 exhibition game from the St. Louis Browns, following a 4 to 1 victory by the American leaguers yesterday.

Reds Lose to Colonels
LOUISVILLE, April 6 (AP)—The Cincinnati Reds dropped an exhibition game to Louisville today, 3 to 1, when they were unable to solve the pitching of Marcum and Greenfield, who held them to seven scattered hits.

Albertson, 1b 3 1 1 12 0 1
Rogstad, cf 4 0 0 0 0 0
Neseth, 3b 4 0 0 1 2 0
Lande, ss 3 0 0 2 2 1
Nelson, lf 4 0 0 1 0 0
Bell, rf 4 0 1 0 0 0
Halverson, c 2 1 1 4 1 1
Aase, p 2 0 2 1 8 0
Totals 30 2 4 24 14 3
*Batted for Ingraham in seventh.
Summary—Bases on balls, off Aase 6, off Ingraham 3, off Carlsen 1; wild pitch, Ingraham; struck out, Ingraham 4, Aase 3, Carlsen 2; passed ball, Nelson; hit by pitched ball, Reedquist.

GIRL TOSSER STRIKES OUT BABE



A 17 year old girl, Verne Beatrice Mitchell, has gained an enviable spot in baseball's hall of fame by striking out two of the greatest sluggers of all time, Babe Ruth and Lou Gehrig. The feat was accomplished in the first inning of an exhibition game between the Yankees and the Chattanooga Lookouts, of which Verne (nicknamed Jackie) is a regularly signed member, before an enthusiastic crowd in the Tennessee city. The mighty Bambino is shown as he congratulated his fair opponent after the game, which the Yankees won.

Strikes and Sares

DEE RECREATION

	Daily Iowan		T. I.
Moffitt	133	191	165
W. Kanak	236	159	147
Norris	177	165	186
Fryaug	164	173	124
Baldwin	187	177	180
Total	897	865	800

Gartner Motor

	Daily Iowan		T. I.
Barnes	130	149	154
Boeck	111	157	184
Merritt	147	126	171
Lindsey	152	163	170
Irvine	176	149	160
Total	717	744	839

Dee Recreation

	Daily Iowan		T. I.
Dee	158	169	184
Lind	178	117	156
Pandall	129	135	185
Roeder	169	207	139
Shawley	235	145	165
Total	869	833	829

Strand Barber Shop

	Daily Iowan		T. I.
Clark	183	204	182
Secor	156	136	115
Ferris	170	152	166
Melnerly	198	192	224
Jones	141	167	177
Total	848	851	864

Reliable Electric

Forfeited three games.

Baileys Insurance

	Daily Iowan		T. I.
Bailey	167	180	165
Shoupe	170	141	152
Houpe	162	187	164
Frazier	192	164	167
Novotny	181	178	191
Total	872	805	839

Crackers Beat Cards

ATLANTA, April 6 (AP)—The Atlanta Crackers registered a 6 to 3 victory over Gabby Street's National league champions here today. Burleigh Grimes and Al Grabowski were the Cardinal pitchers. The right-hander worked six innings and Al two frames.

Postpone Action on Tulsa Franchise at Request of Owner

TULSA, Okla., April 6 (AP)—Action to clarify Tulsa's muddled baseball situation was postponed today pending a report from Mrs. Lucille R. Thomas, new owner of the Tulsa Western league franchise, on her efforts to provide a park.

At the request of counsel for Mrs. Thomas, a committee representing the league agreed to wait until tomorrow before taking final action on the Tulsa franchise.

Club owners of the league, at a special meeting here Friday, had voted to allow Mrs. Thomas until noon today to make a showing and had authorized Dale Gear, president of the league, Jack Holland, owner of the Oklahoma City club and Lee Keyser, Des Moines owner, to act as a committee for the league in the matter.

Joe Jacobs Favors Cleveland as Site for Schmeling Bout

SIOUX CITY, April 6 (AP)—Final agreement on the site of the world's heavyweight championship bout between Max Schmeling and Young Stribling will be made at South Bend, April 15, Joe Jacobs manager of the German champion, said today.

Jacobs and Schmeling were here for an exhibition bout here tonight. Jacobs said Cleveland was the favorite because of its proximity to centers of population and the availability of a stadium seating more than 100,000 persons. Chicago, he added, was still being considered for the fight.

The champion is on an exhibition tour through the middlewest. He will appear in one-round exhibitions against three opponents at Des Moines Tuesday night.

Weight Men to Strengthen Track Squad

Weldon, Nelson to Toss Javelin; Boast Fast Shuttle Team

After closing a successful indoor season the track squad will move down on Iowa field where they will start training for the relays and dual meets.

With the addition of the outdoor field events, the team should be greatly strengthened. The hammer throw, javelin throw, and discus will be the events added to the schedule. Most of the weight men have been working out daily under Coach Thomas E. Martin and have been showing good enough performances to insure points in those events.

Weldon, Youngerman Return

Some of the point winners of last year who have reported already are E. D. Weldon, winner of several major contests in the javelin throw, Wesley Youngerman, a junior who won prominence by placing in the hammer throw at the national meet season, Elmo Nelson, another crack tosser who placed in the conference meet last year. There are a number of other weight men who have not won similar distinction, but are expected to make themselves known before the year is up.

In the track events most of the competitors have appeared who will compete for the team in the outdoor meets, however, there will be a number of freshmen who expect to make their first appearance on the Iowa track.

Crop of Distance Runners

Among some of the outstanding men who will be expected to score points for the Hawkeye team are Howard Wickey, Stuart Skowbo, Emil Trot, Fremont Isaacs, Henry Miller, and a number of other men in the distance runs.

In the 440, Gordon Lagerquist, Everett Ferguson, Clarence Hubbard, and Calvin Hoskinson will be the main performers.

Boast Two Hurdlers

Iowa has two good hurdlers that are expected to prove themselves valuable in the outdoor meets. They are Everett Handorf and Edward Gordon. Both of these men have placed high in indoor meets throughout the season. Bud Miller and Merrill McDaniels are also capable lumber tappers. These men should furnish plenty of competition in the shuttle relay.

Gordon will have a chance to display his ability as a broad jumper and is expected to make a good showing in his favorite event. With the loss of Henry Canby, the pole vault will fall upon Justin Albright.

Philadelphia Pair Wins Bowling Title; Clack, Mauer Cop Honors

BUFFALO, N. Y., April 6 (AP)—Eddie Rafferty and Charley Reilly, Philadelphia, are the 1931 American Bowling congress doubles champs: Wally Clack, Erie, singles title holder, and Mike Mauer, Youngstown, all-events winner.

The national pin classic was concluded here early tonight and despite the efforts of 320 out-of-town pinsters, the top-notchers remained undisturbed and the curtain was rung down on the biggest tourney in A.B.C. history.

Only two changes occurred among the leaders on the windup card, Harold Levan and Sam Phillips, Reading, moved into second place in the doubles event with a 4,398 total while Phillips took fifth place in the all-events division, aggregating 1,910.

Rafferty and Reilly topped a field of 3,649 teams in winning the doubles title. Their 1,316 total wins a prize of \$500, besides the diamond medals awarded to all the champions. Clack outclassed 7,305 in the singles division, winning \$300 and Mauer's 1,966 total, topping the all-events division, was worth \$175.

Friends Plan Memorial for Knute Rockne

SOUTH BEND, Ind., April 6 (AP)—With money already received from various sources, although no effort had been made to solicit funds, plans for a memorial to Knute Rockne were inaugurated today.

Frank E. Hering, captain of the 1896 Notre Dame football team and national president of the Notre Dame alumni association, and James E. Armstrong, national secretary, met today with the Rev. Fr. Charles L. O'Donnell, president of the university, to discuss the memorial project.

Suggestions as to the form of the memorial will be made by a committee, nationwide in its scope, and composed of Notre Dame alumni and friends of the famous coach.

The solemn high requiem mass for the repose of Rockne's soul will be sung by Father O'Donnell Thursday morning. Examinations, postponed last Monday, will be given next week.

Vance Makes Debut

MACON, Ga., April 6 (AP)—Aided by four bases on balls in the ninth inning, the Brooklyn Dodgers managed to defeat Hartford of the Eastern league 4 to 1 today.

Jack Dempsey to Retire for Two Months

Physicians Order Rest; Ex-Champ Cancels Engagements

COLUMBUS, April 6 (AP)—Jack Dempsey, former heavyweight champion of the world, here to referee a boxing bout between Bushey Graham and Johnny Farr, announced tonight that after tomorrow night he was going into absolute retirement from public life for at least two months on the order of his physicians at the Mayo clinic in Rochester, Minn.

Dempsey's decision necessitates the cancelling of more than 95 engagements to referee boxing bouts in all sections of the country. He will refer to Tuesday night at Wheeling, W. Va., and after that will retire.

Lossing Weight

Nervous condition and a persistent loss of weight makes necessary the rest, according to Doctors D. M. Bertram and Louise A. Butte of the Mayo clinic, who examined the former champion a few days ago.

Although Dempsey appears in perfect health, he admitted that he does not feel well and that the difficult routine of one night stands, which he has been pursuing as a referee of boxing and wrestling contests, is the most trying work he has ever experienced.

"I will go to the country for at least two months, longer if necessary," said Dempsey.

Plan Rest in Country

Neither Dempsey nor Leonard Sacks, his business manager, would

Risko Beats Heenev

TORONTO, Ontario, April 6 (AP)—Johnny Risko, Cleveland baker boy, avenged his recent defeat at the hands of Tom Heenev, New Zealand heavyweight, by decisively outpointing the "hard rock from down under" in a grueling 10 round bout here tonight. Risko weighed 191 1-2; Heenev 209 1-2.

Graham Whips Farr

COLUMBUS, April 6 (AP)—Bushey Graham, Utica, N. Y., former lightweight champion, scored a technical knockout over Johnny Farr, Cleveland, in the eighth round of the ten round main bout on a boxing card here tonight. Referee Jack Dempsey stopped the bout after Farr had been floored eight times in the final round.

The doctors report characterized Dempsey's illness as a "nervous condition, irritable, sleepless and very restless." The doctors recommended the rest and warned the former champion that if he continued he was facing a "state of complete nervous exhaustion."

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New York Stocks (By the Associated Press) Table with columns for High, Low, Close and various stock symbols like Al Chem, Am Can, etc.

Daily Radio Program (TUESDAY, APRIL 7) Table listing radio stations and their respective programs throughout the day.

A New Yorker at Large By MARK BARRON NEW YORK, April 6—The death of Arnold Bennett recalls the time when he visited on these shores as the most honored celebrity.

"He is a very old friend of mine," she said, "and I like him very much. I like him because he does not try to make love to me. Every man you meet these days tries to make love to you and I hate men who are so impolite."

Lowell Thomas is another whose adventure writings are so prolific that he has to maintain a stable of writers to assist him. Thomas is one who is not only an adventurer himself, but also has searched out some of those who do not write about themselves—notably Count Von Luckner and T. E. Lawrence.

Financial Heads of U. S., Great Britain Discuss Conditions WASHINGTON, April 6 (AP)—The directors of financial policies of the United States and Great Britain exchanged ideas today about world wide business conditions.

CENTRAL CLEAR CHANNEL STATIONS Table listing various radio stations and their broadcast schedules.

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FREE, WHITE and FEMALE

by Clarence Budington Kelland

What has gone before: Martha Bundy, just out of college, finds her conventional Long Island family tiresome, and goes to live her own life in New York, where she sees a great deal of Mortimer Blade, a wealthy man-about-town, and of Richard Lane, an artist who mysteriously resembles Mortimer. She gets mixed up in the murder of a movie magnate, Colburn, when she goes with Mortimer to the man's apartment. The murder is committed by one Dickie Vernon, who escapes.

Martha, in a dice, picks up the murder revolver and puts it into her handbag. She flees with Mortimer to Miss Patty's speakeasy, where the revolver falls from her bag to the floor. Richard Lane appears and orders Mortimer to get out. Then Lane takes Martha back to her home.

Now go on with the story: Richard Lane, having impressed his identity upon the clerk of Martha Bundy's hotel, signalled a taxicab and drove to another and more pretentious hostelry on Park Avenue, where he inquired at the desk for Mortimer Blade. Mortimer was not in, so Richard found for himself a corner from which he could watch the lobby, and waited. Rather more than an hour elapsed before Blade appeared and went hurriedly to the elevator. Richard allowed him to ascend without accosting him, and then himself took the next elevator to follow.

Mortimer's door was ajar—as if the young man had been in such haste as to be guilty of this carelessness—and Richard paused outside to listen. He heard Mortimer's voice and then stepped softly inside. Blade's back was toward him, and he permitted the conversation to go forward briefly before he stepped forward, catlike, snatched the instrument from Blade's hand, and tossed it upon the desk with a crash.

Mortimer leaped up and away, to stand with face pale to the lips, facing the young man who had interrupted so rudely.

"What's the idea?" he demanded furiously, but Lane noted a tendency to tremble in his voice.

"I never did admire you," said Richard quietly, "but I did credit you with ordinary or garden intelligence."

Mortimer picked up the telephone and replaced it in an upright position.

"What do you want?" he demanded.

"Well, a little cooperation will help."

"In what?"

"Has it occurred to you the police of this town may take a slight interest in the Colburn affair?"

"What of it?"

"The tradition of our family never was benign," said Richard wearily.

"Why shouldn't I telephone Martha?"

"For one reason—because I tell you not to. When I'm gone you may ponder on my reasons. What I want to impress on you is that any connection between you and that young woman ceases with the late interrupted conversation."

"Oh," said Mortimer, lifting his brows, "does it?"

"You will not write, phone, meet, accept or otherwise get into communication with her from now on."

"Until the end of time," said Mortimer ironically.

"Precisely," said Richard.

"Are we by chance rivals?" asked Mortimer.

"Not since your elimination," said Richard.

"Which took place when?"

"The transaction," said Richard, "has just been completed."

"You always were," said Mortimer, "a meddler."

"My brother," replied Richard, "always required meddling with." He paused. "It's curious," he went on, "but the only decent standard our family has been at pains to maintain through the past few centuries has been honesty."

"I understand we are building up an aesthetic standard—art and the like."

"It is remarkable," said Richard, "how low-class BlahW et al noisiness that we haven't taken on any decent qualities from the women we've married. We've been pretty careful about our women. The Blade strain seems always to dominate."

"Except, of course, in your case," said Mortimer.

"I've often wondered about myself," Richard said. "It's strange I should have formed a distaste for the family character so young. I can't remember when I wasn't ashamed of being a Blade."

"Oh," said Mortimer with a shrug, "it will be cropping out in you sooner or later."

"I have always had a horror of that very possibility. But I think not. By some miracle I must derive from Mother."

"Did you come here to patter about heredity?"

"No, I came to lay down the rules of the game. . . . By the way, aren't you a bit decadent?"

"As how?"

"Well, we Blades usually have hunted for our own benefit. We never were weasels to be sent down rabbit holes to fetch out the game for somebody else. Just why did you become Colburn's weasel?"

"The Bundy girl's affair?"

"Yes."

"I never wanted her myself—not that I wouldn't have accepted the gifts the gods provide. No, brother, I never was Colburn's weasel—he was cast to be my catspaw."

Richard considered this. "You didn't care who smashed her toys so long as they were smashed," he said finally.



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"You should notice people's eyes."

"Jimmy is someone else I haven't time to worry about."

"You might take time. I suppose it's his sister—that little Katie."

"Going to Sir Galahad her too?"

"They're a family you have to dissociate from their occupation," said Richard. "Rather admirable, on the whole. Cohesion and loyalty, and that sort of innate decency. Molly and Tom go on about the job of being parents just as if they were running a grocery store. They interest me. Soes does Miss Patty. . . . What does she give them in return for their loyalty to her?"

"Not interested," said Mortimer.

"Well, I'll be getting along—so you may pack and be on your way. You've heard the rules. I'm the umpire. If you break one, I'll have to impose the penalty."

"You," said Mortimer, "will oblige by going to the devil."

"Good night," said Richard, still gravely, without display of rancor or other emotion.

"Good by," said Mortimer pointedly.

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Behind the Scenes in Hollywood

By HARRISON CADROLL

HOLLYWOOD, Cal., April 6—Having at last come around to the opinion that Clara Bow should have dramatic roles, Paramount plans for the red-headed star to follow "Kick In" with "The Woman," a story about a telephone operator.

Stuart Walker, who has given many stage stars their early training, will come out to direct as soon as he finishes his season at the Cincinnati Repertory theater. In the meanwhile, Clara looks forward to a month's vacation at her Malibu Beach place.

"The Woman" was written several years ago by William De Mille but never found its way to the screen.

Among the stars whom Walker has helped to train for the stage are Peggy Wood, Mary Ellis, Francis Rathbone, Ben Lyon, Kay Francis and Bert Lytell.

Local Governments Heaviest Spenders Say Research Men

NEW YORK, April 6 (AP)—The national industrial conference board which has been making an intensive study of taxation for several years gave the taxpayers another "bomb" to digest in the announcement that local governments are the biggest spenders.

The board's study indicates that local governments account for 54 per cent of the combined gross expenditures of all governmental units—federal, state and local—in the United States.

The federal government has kept a tighter hold on its purse strings than state and local governments.

"Gross expenditures of the state governments for the fiscal year 1928 totaled 1,834 million dollars, and local governments amounted to 6,813 millions, a combined total of 8,629 millions and comparing with 8,110 millions in the preceding year," the board reports.

Seeking the answer to where the money goes, the board found that in 1928 highways—construction and maintenance—caused the biggest drain on the treasuries of the 48 states, with education ranking a close second.

Education held first place in expenditures of local governments, and in the fiscal year ended in 1928 absorbed 1,943 millions or approximately one-third of all net expenditures.

New York, wealthiest and most populous state in the union, is also the greatest spender by a wide margin. Its net expenditures in the fiscal year 1928 amounted to 222 millions. Pennsylvania was second with expenditures in excess of 100 millions. Nevada spent the least.

W. L. Abbott Will Speak on Problems of the Engineer

W. L. Abbott, chief operating engineer of the Commonwealth Edison corporation, will speak on "Every day problems of the engineer" at 3:10 Wednesday in the chemistry auditorium.

Although the meeting is public, it is intended primarily for senior, junior, and sophomore engineering students. Dean C. C. Williams will introduce Mr. Abbott, who is also past president of the Western Society of Engineers and the American Society of Mechanical Engineers.

"Our dwindling fuel reserve and thereafter" will be his subject in Iowa Union, following a dinner meeting of the Tri-Cities and Iowa student sections of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers.

Testify Against Stuart

Sheriff Don McComas and Deputy Sheriff Preston Koser leave for Davenport this morning to testify in the federal court against Mr. Stuart, whose Lighthouse Inn at North Liberty was raided March 2, before the grand jury.

Marriage License Issued

A marriage license was issued by the county clerk to Jesse J. Walker of Grand Island, Neb., and Kittie Blair of Lincoln, Neb.

THE OLD HOME TOWN



Student Leadership Conference Plans Meet Cancellation

The student leadership conference scheduled to be held at the university, Friday, Saturday, and Sunday, has been cancelled because it fell within the Easter vacation period when only a few high schools would have been able to participate.

Divorce Petition Filed

A petition alleging cruel and inhuman treatment was filed with the clerk of the district court yesterday by Grace H. Gordon against Clarence E. Gordon.

Contractors Fight Union Wages

WATERLOO, April 6 (AP)—Union bricklayers continued working at the same wage while Waterloo building contractors refused to employ tradesmen in five other crafts because they would not accept reductions in the wage scale.

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