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CITY NEWS.

Mrs. Holmes of Okaloosa is in the City this week.

Chas. Tarrar will spend Sunday at Colfax.

Robert Woods was an Oelwein visitor this week.

The Iowa State Bystander one year for \$1.00 for thirty days only.

MINERS WANTED—We want good coal miners at the Elks coal mines in South Des Moines. Inquire at the mine.

Lucian Brown has been given the position as messenger for the Citizens National Bank.

Remember that you can now secure the Iowa State Bystander one year for one dollar.

Mrs. J. C. Bradley will leave Monday for Denver, Colo., to spend the winter.

WANTED—A woman for general house work, call at room 28 Rollin's block, Mrs. L. R. Palmer.

Lonnie Lawrence Dennis will preach at Corinthian church Sunday.

WANTED—A TRUSTWORTHY GENTLEMAN or lady in each county to manage business for an old established house of solid financial standing. A straight home life weekly cash salary of \$10.00 paid by check each Wednesday with all expenses direct from headquarters. Money advanced for expenses Manager, 301 Oaxton Bldg., Chicago.

Mrs. Eller Wesley mother of Mrs. L. J. Shelton whose husband is now serving as chorister of the Corinthian Baptist church died at her home at Nelson, Mo., Dec. 2nd.

The holiday number of the Bystander will appear next week, therefore our correspondents and news gatherers are requested to have their news to reach our office not later than Tuesday evening.

Mrs. James Hamilton and granddaughter, Miss Lily of Ottumwa are attending the wedding of her daughter Miss Ida Hamilton.

Mrs. Genevieve Dade went to Terre Haute, Ind., to attend the funeral of her sister, Mrs. Gardner, this week.

I. E. Williamson spent a few days of last week at Ackworth with B. N. Hall. He says that Mr. H. has some of the finest stock that he has seen for some time and is one of the successful farmers of Warren County.

UNION LABEL SUITS TO ORDER

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Coats and Vests	1.00 to 1.50	Dress Skirts Cleaned and Pressed	1.00

Dan Connolly

Born to Mrs. and Dr. A. G. Edwards a bouncing baby girl Thursday morning. The mother and child doing well, the Doctor is all smiles this week.

Mrs. J. W. McDaniels who has been very sick for several months is worse at this writing her many friends are much alarm at her condition.

Gov. E. T. Banks has been on the sick list the past week although better at this writing.

Subscribe for the Bystander.

VERY LOW RATES TO INTERNATIONAL LIVE STOCK EXPOSITION, CHICAGO.

Via the North-Western Line. Excursion tickets will be sold December 1, 3 and 5, with extreme return limit until December 9, inclusive. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

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WINTER RESORT TICKETS are now on sale, Florida, California and a great many other places, full information may be had from any Burlington Route Agent or F. L. Ganaway 400 Locust, Des Moines, Iowa.

Mrs. E. S. Morgan who has been very ill has about regained her former health.

On the account of his health Mr. Fulton Washington has resigned his position as messenger of the Citizens National bank, and will leave for Denver, Colo., to make his future home. Mr. Washington is frugal and energetic, and certainly he will continue to be successful.

Mrs. Christina Williams of Missouri, daughter-in-law of Mrs. Thomas Williams, formerly of Des Moines, joined her husband, Mr. Williams, in this city last Saturday, and will make it her home.—North-Western Vine.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jones who have been in Denver for the last five months left Monday for Des Moines, Iowa, where a nice position awaits them. Mrs. Jones is a sister of our popular drink mixer, W. D. Mayo at the Mining Exchange drug store, 15th and Arapahoe Sts.—Colorado Statesman.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Gould entertained a few of their friends at their cozy home last night, an elegant four course luncheon was served and the hour hand of the o'clock was pointing toward one o'clock before the guests departed thus another evening of pleasure had been spent.

Married at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Price Alexander North of Highland Park College Wednesday evening occurred the marriage of Miss Ida Hamilton recently of Ottumwa to Mr. Geo. Hudson; only the relatives and a few friends were present. Rev. H. S. Graves performed the ceremony. The young couple went immediately to light house keeping in the apartments of Mrs. Theodore Williams on 9th and Grand Ave. We extend our best wishes to them on their matrimony journey.

The Negro bar association held its annual meeting last Tuesday at the cozy home of Harrison Gould on 13th, and Grocker street a banquet was enjoyed. Hon. Josiah Given ex-judge of the Supreme Court of Iowa and Dean of the Highland Park Law College and one of the best living friends to the colored race was present as the guest of honor. He spoke giving some reminiscence of his early struggle in the practice. Attorney I. E. Williamson who has practiced longer in Iowa than any other colored lawyer was next introduced and spoke very interestingly of his struggle in the practice. He also spoke of the life of the late Judge Conrad of our District Bench. Mr. Williamson will soon leave to join his wife in Washington, D. C.

Mrs. D. Roy and family wish to extend thanks to their friends and neighbors for kindness shown during the illness and death of their husband and father.

WANTED—FAITHFUL PERSON TO TRAVEL for well established house in a few counties, calling on retail merchants and agents. Local territory Salary \$1024 a year and expenses, payable \$19.70 a week in cash and expenses advanced. Position permanent. Business successful and rushing. Standard House, 334 Dearborn St., Chicago.

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BURLINGTON ROUTE EXCURSIONS.

Christmas and New Years Holiday Rates. Rate one and one-third fare for round trip to all points on the Burlington System within a radius of 300 miles from selling station. Tickets sold Dec. 24th, 25th and 31st, also January 1st good to return until and including January 2nd. The Burlington Route will sell excursion tickets to students and teachers of educational institutions on dates such institutions closes and day after, but earlier than December 13th or later than December 30th, upon presentation of certificate, signed by proper officer of the institution with which applicant is connected such tickets good to return date institution opens, but not later than January 8th.

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Hawkeye Hat Factory, 310 Locust St.

THOMAS B. REED.

The death of Hon. Thomas B. Reed formerly of Mainelast Saturday, removes from the American arena one of the greatest statesman, law maker and parliamentarian that this country has yet produced. He was born in period when this country needed strong men that would dare to do right and raised in a school of experience, trained by the hand of the "Plumed Knight." Mr. Reed was easy matter of the situation, he was an apt and ready debator, but not an orator. He was a true friend of the colored race at all times and under all circumstances he was out spoken for their equal rights. He was the author of Modern Eloquence a product rich with the American thought. Civilization has lost one of her bright jewels and our race a loyal friend.

CLINTON ITEMS.

Clinton was visited last week by one of the worst storms of rain and snow it has experienced for sometime followed by a severe cold spell at this writing the temperature is rising.

A committee headed by Rev. P. P. Taylor are arranging for an entertainment to be held on Wednesday evening Dec. 17th. A programme will be rendered after which lunch and refreshments in general will be served.

Mrs. Wm. Giles and Miss Estella Bush returned Friday from Chicago where they spent several days the guests of relatives and friends.

A few of our people are suffering from attack of the grip and other maladies. The members of the Second Baptist church are arranging for an old fashioned Poem supper to be held on Christmas night.

A few of the friends of Mr. and Mrs. Holland Williams dropped in upon them last Wednesday evening, it is said the evening was spent pleasantly by those in attendance.

Jas. Williams continues quite sick.

ALBIA NOTES.

The Household of Ruth gave a social at the Odd Fellows Hall Saturday evening.

The young men entertained the ladies at the Odd Fellows Hall on Monday evening, there were twenty-eight ladies present. The repast was ice cream, cake, candies, frappa and nuts they were entertained by playing checkers dominoes and others. A graphophone entertained them through out the evening.

Mrs. G. A. Davis left Monday for Garden Grove to visit with her daughter Mrs. Martin who is sick.

Geo. Willis and Tom Perkins was in town from Buxton Saturday evening.

Copper Bull Mining Co.

Capital Stock of \$3,000,000. Headquarters at St. Louis, Missouri. Mine at Pueblo, Colorado. Stock 15 cents a share for a short time.

MARSHALLTOWN ITEMS.

Rev. Nickerson who has been in Des Moines, Ill., and Lincoln, Neb. for the past few weeks arrived home Wednesday morning, he reports a pleasant time. On Thanksgiving day at Lincoln, Neb. he delivered a lecture on the Negro in the commercial world, and the virtue of our women which was well received. The musical and social club met with Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Brown last Thursday evening. Those present report a pleasant time.

Mr. Robert Allen age 90 years died very suddenly at his home in Rector East of this city Saturday evening at nine o'clock. He had been ill with dropsy and heart trouble for about a month, but was considered well until a week ago. Mr. Allen had lived at Rector a little over a year and was a foreman for the Louis Drach Construction Co. of Cincinnati Ohio. He leaves a wife and two sons, Harry residing in Cincinnati, Charles lives with his parents.

OTTUMWA NEWS.

Mrs. Jones of Albia was an Ottumwa visitor last week.

Mr. Mogul of Galesburg, Ill., is in the city visiting with his daughter Mrs. Owens.

Mrs. Edna Taylor and Gess are on sick list.

The friends of Mabel Harris are sorry to hear that she is not recovering with much rapidity.

The K. of P. lodge gave an entertainment at their hall the 26th of Nov.

Mrs. (Mrs. Young and son Lloyd of Baltimore, Md., has returned to our city after spending a few years in the east.

The ladies of the Second Baptist and Methodist churches prepared a very inviting dinner for weary pilgrims Thanksgiving.

Little Lonnie Dennis the child Evangelist arrived in the city Saturday to conduct a series of meetings at the A. M. E. church, two persons Misses Geneva Canon and Lorine Vincent united with the church Sunday morning.

to Ohas Davis, Rev. M. I. Gordon officiating. The house was very prettily decorated for the occasion. The bride looked very charming in white silk and carried cyanide. Miss Florence Downey a sister of the bride acted as bridesmaid and wore blue muslin de rot. The groom and best man Chas. Thompson wore conventional black; after congratulations had been extended to the happy couple a sumptuous two course supper was served, about sixty guests were present, Mr. and Mrs. Davis received many valuable and beautiful presents, they went immediately to house-keeping on Plum street. The young couple have the wishes of future happiness from their many friends.

MUCHAKINOCK NEWS.

Mr. Geo. Walker and Mr. W. Carey returned to Buxton Saturday.

Teachers meeting was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Foster Friday evening. Mrs. Susanna Jones was an Okaloosa visitor Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Washington have moved to Buxton where Mr. Washington is employed in W. E. Wells store.

Mrs. Carv is on the sick list.

Mr. Romeo Jones is a little better.

Miss Dora Johnson is a little better.

Teachers meeting will be held next Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Welch.

Mrs. Welch is a Buxton visitor.

Mrs. M. Winston and Miss Cora Harry will leave this week for St. Louis.

Miss Terry and Olive Tolson are the guests of their sister Mrs. John Lewis.

Mrs. Martin Jones entertained a number of ladies from Okaloosa last Saturday also Messrs Pece and Williams.

Miss Kitty Jones and Mrs. E. Thomas will entertain a number of friends next Tuesday.

Mrs. Carr is expecting to move to Saylor where he is employed.

Mrs. Chocole who has been ill for the past four weeks is some better.

Mrs. Harry Williams will leave the middle of the month for Colfax where her husband is employed.

NEWTON NOTES.

Mrs. Geo. Cary and little Martha Lucas returned to their home in Grinnell Sunday after a pleasant visit with numerous friends in the city.

W. E. Fine has returned from his trip in the Southeastern part of the state.

Mrs. M. E. Hudson and C. Miller have purchased beautiful new upright piano.

E. Turner was seriously ill with pleurisy last week but is better at this writing.

Mr. C. J. Toller of Rock Island Ill. will leave Friday for Omaha to visit friends. He has spent a fortnight with her mother Mrs. J. Green who has been quite ill but is much improved at present.

Mrs. Gus Renoir of Chicago departed Saturday for Grinnell after a most delightful visit in this city.

Agnes Pine has returned from Omaha and declares there is no place like home.

Miss Evelyn Hayes a popular young lady of Des Moines returned home Saturday after a pleasant visit with the Misses Miller.

FORT MADISON NOTES.

Rev. Wm. Maget preached a very able sermon at the second Baptist church Sunday. Rev. Maget is from Georgetown, Ohio and has accepted the call that was extended to him by the Second Baptist church, and now our flock is no longer without a shepherd.

Mr. Green Jackson fell Sunday evening hurting his arm for which cause he will have to lay off from work a few days.

A cold wave struck Ft. Mad on Friday and as some were not prepared, it caused them to say, "What did I do with my winter wages?"

Geo. Mack fell Sunday evening receiving slight bruises, the side walks were very slippery Sunday.

Rev. Brown of Memphis, Mo. preached at the A. M. E. church Sunday.

Mrs. Edward McCain was very sick a days last week.

All are cordially invited to attend services at the Second Baptist church next Sunday.

Are we going to have the Minutes of the association as a Christmas present this year, or are we going to get them at all?

Miss Marie Basfield was in Chicago last week.

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CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENT.

The Corinthian Baptist Church, situated on 11th St. between Grocker and School, St. Preaching: at 11 a. m.; Sunday School at 9 o'clock. Preaching, W. L. Grinnell, Pastor.

St. Paul A. M. E.—Corner of Second and Center Streets. Preaching: at 10:30 a. m.; Sunday School at 3 o'clock; Epworth League at 7 p. m.; preaching at 8 p. m. Horace S. Graves pastor.

First African Baptist Church—Corner School and Fourth streets. Rev. F. Lomack pastor. Preaching: at 10:30 a. m.; Sunday school 2:30 p. m.; Mr. M. E. Houston, Superintendent; Young People's meeting 7 p. m., preaching 8:00 p. m.

Sun's Chapel M. E. Church—Corner of 11th and Grocker Sts.—Church services, preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.; Class and prayer meeting 12 on Sunday; Sunday School 2:30 p. m.; Epworth League 7 p. m.; Prayer and Class meeting every Wednesday 8 p. m.

O. A. Johnson, pastor, 365 11th St. Tabernacle Baptist Church—Situated on 6th East Locust street. Preaching 11 a. m.; Sunday School 9:00 a. m.; preaching at 8 p. m. Rev. J. B. Winters, pastor.

SECRET ORDERS.

North Star Lodge, No. 2 A. F. & A. M.—Meets First Thursday in each month at Masonic Hall—North-west corner of Tenth and Center streets. Geo. H. Chagren, W. M.; T. S. Ruff, secretary.

King Solomon Commandery, No. 8.—Meets Second and Fourth Thursday in each month at Masonic hall. Fred Jackson, M. C.; G. H. Chagren, Sec.

Nicom Lodge, No. 2.—Meets Second Monday in each month at Masonic hall. Mrs. J. H. Shepard, matron; Mrs. Fred Jackson, sec. ary.

St. Olive Court, No. 4.—Meets First Thursday of each month at Masonic hall. Mrs. E. A. Wilburn, matron; Mrs. Georgia Midgott, secretary.

Charity Lodge, No. 2198. G. U. O. of O. F.—Meets First, Second and Third Tuesday each month at Odd Fellows hall on West Street and Walnut streets. D. Burns, N. G.; F. Brown, P. S.

H. H. of R. No. 338 of G. U. O. of O. F.—Convenes the second and fourth Thursday in each month, promptly at 8 o'clock. Mrs. B. B. B. M. N. G. Mrs. G. L. Williams, W. R. Arto Tabernacle No. 498.—Meets first and third Thursday in each month, at Odd Fellows Hall West 4th and Walnut streets. Mrs. Nettie Davis, G. P.; Mrs. E. Johnson, Sec. Mrs. Mollie Gordon, Assistant Scribe.

Should Chastown Be Burned? Chastown, in San Francisco, according to the president of the board of health, should be burned. As it is at present, it cannot be rendered sanitary except by total obliteration.

NEWTON NOTES.

(Special to Bystander.)

The Thanksgiving services and entertainment at the church was a success, Mr. J. J. Waldon received the prize for raising the largest amount of money. The stewards served at the church seated quite a little sum.

Mrs. Renoir of Chicago and Mrs. Craig of Grinnell was the guest of Mrs. Walker Waldon for Thanksgiving.

Mrs. Spence entertained at ten the 25th. Misses Vera Mayo and Martha Lucas.

Mrs. Toller of Rock Island is spending a few weeks with her mother Mrs. Green who has been very sick.

J. J. Waldon made a flying trip to Grinnell Thanksgiving.

Mrs. John Miller entertained Mr. Mary Moore and daughter to dinner Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Waldon entertained Rev. and Mrs. Spence for dinner Thanksgiving.

The Literary Society was well attended the debate, Resolved that Washington did more for his country than did Lincoln was decided in favor of the affirmative.

CEDAR RAPIDS BUDGETARIAN. Why don't some one get up a literary society, it is to bad to see so much good talent going to waste.

Those who are saying away from the Sunday School are missing a great and grand treat. Come out to Sunny School all who have not much to do on Sunday.

Several ladies and Rev. Boyd met at Mrs. Raspberry last Tuesday afternoon and formed a club which they call Book-er T. Washington club the officers are Mrs. Clay Brooks, president; Mrs. Lowery, Vice-President; Mrs. Price Secretary Mrs. Raspberry Treasurer, this club is to be an auxiliary to the trustee board.

The Christian Endeavor meetings have been very interesting a grand thing for every church to organize a Christian Endeavor.

The Thanksgiving dinner at the church was success and a nice programme was rendered.

Rev. Ford and wife of Boone was in the Rapids last week visiting friends and relatives. Mrs. Ford who is well known as a preacher, preached Sunday evening, her text being in Revelation, and preached a noble inspiring sermon to a large audience.

Mr. O. B. Clarie is still at his old stand selling oysters in all styles.

Only six months off and the Sunday School Convention will meet in Muscatine.

Marshall Perkins is still serving the public with good things to eat.

WIT AND WISDOM.

The best time to marry is some other time.

Many a man gets groggy over nothing stronger than a pipe dream.

A young girl marries in the hope for the future, the widow to forget the past.

A critic is a moral butcher who will cut into, and cut up, and cut out anything.

There is a lot of incense burned on the altar of love that goes up in smoke.

Tact is the art of making people think they are right when you know that they are all wrong.

I admire the fellow who succeeds in borrowing all that he wants. He has the nerve that converts itself into hard cash.

They say that a giraffe's tongue is long enough to go around a woman's waist, but a woman's tongue will waste even more than that.

Women worship money, but the man who stands for it gathers the foggy incense to himself and smiles a self-satisfied, hard cash smile.

When a woman speaks of her husband as being such a domestic man you can gamble on it that he is always hanging around when he is not wanted, and poking his nose into everything.

When a man proposes to a girl he should be extremely modest. A woman likes to think it a lovely piece of condescension on her part to accept any man, even though she may be dying for him (for his bank account, his auto or his yacht—but what on earth am I talking about, anyhow?).—Kate Thyson Marr.

MEMORY.

You are not only what you are now; you are everything you have ever been.

Whoever lives entirely in the present does not know the meaning of sympathy.

Your childhood is in you; your youth is in you; every hour of your life is still being lived.

Consider, then, the importance of the present time, which in its turn shall form a part of the future.

Bring back your youth—it is thus you shall understand youth, with its laughter, its rapture, its enthusiasm.

Live again your childhood—it is thus you shall understand the intensity of every childish joy and trouble.

Bring back your hours of trial, the dark hours of suffering, and no one shall come to you in vain for consolation.

Somewhere in your life the experience has been that shall give you a fellow feeling for every happiness, for every sorrow.

Among my fellow men I see too many who are prisoners of the present. They shut themselves out from the past. Now and then the memories force themselves upon them. They sigh and shake their heads and turn away.</

RACE ECHOES.

Memphis has the only Negro daily paper in America.

J. G. Grove colored of Edwardsville, Kansas is worth \$190,000 and made it farming. He is still a rich planter.

Miss Jessie Fortune, the daughter of T. T. Fortune of Red Bank, New Jersey, is now teaching in the public schools of New York City. She graduated from the Teacher's Training School of Brooklyn, last June. Miss Fortune is a fine musician; can translate French, Latin and Spanish, and is only 19 years of age.

Joshua Drifendaffer of Chicago, colored, formerly employed as a porter on a Pullman car, secured a verdict for \$5,000 damages against the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company in the United State District Court yesterday. The porter was injured in a collision near East Buffalo, N. Y., in September, 1900, and is said to have been crippled for life. The case was tried before Judge J. Otis Humphrey.

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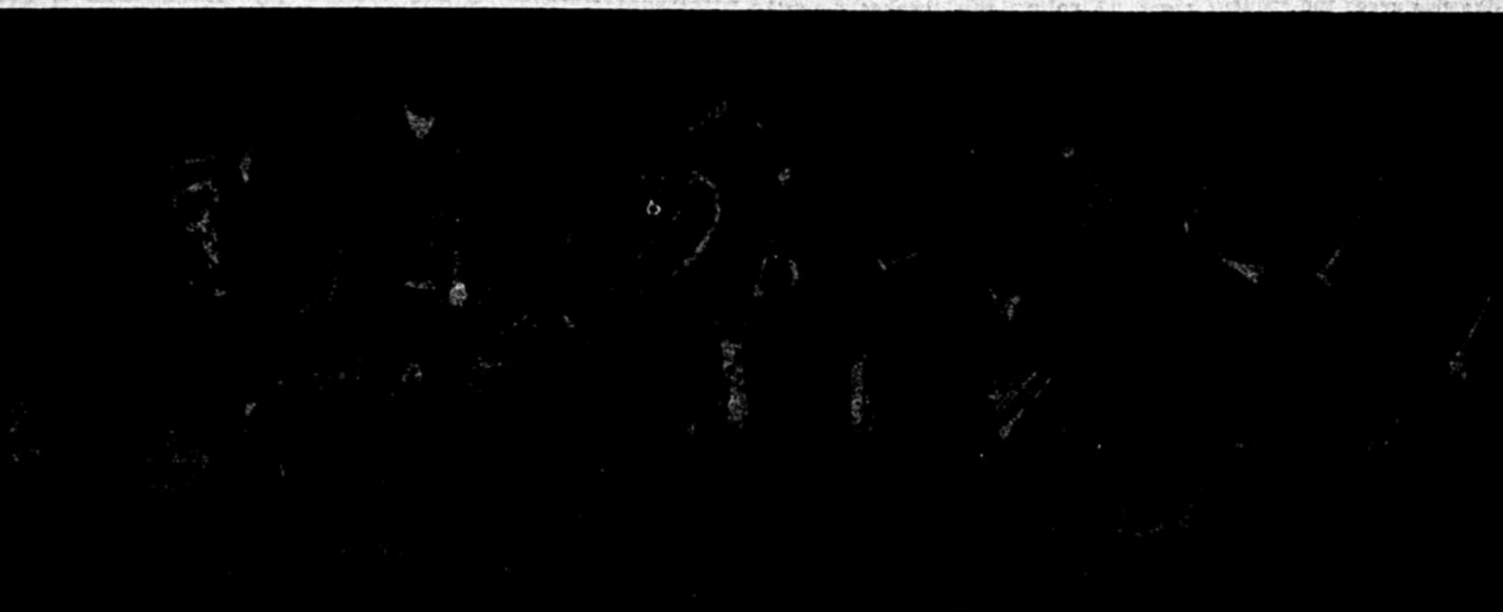
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30 Colored Artistic Performers 30

Under the Auspices of North Star Lodge No. 2, A. F. & A. M. Will give a grand concert at the Y. M. C. A. Auditorium on

FRIDAY EVENING, DEC. 26.

This band is well known throughout the State of Iowa and the West. It was the only colored band at Omaha and Council Bluffs to meet the 51st Iowa Regiment from the Philippines, over two years ago, and out of the 98 different bands they carried away the admiration of the masses.



This band is composed of the best selected Negro talent, many of whom are competent teachers, and under the conductory of Prof. A. R. Jackson, through his skill they have reached the highest point of excellence. Among the soloists are such men as Mr. Harry Franklin who is styled as the, "Black Kryn" of the West; Mr. Wm. B. Thomas as the "Fearless Euphonium Soloist;" Mr. H. C. Lee Trombone Soloist.

The program consists of two parts: First part will consist of fine instrumental music, interspersed with a musical sketch entitled, "The Haunted House." Second part will consist of Solos, Duets, Quartetts ending with a fine musical Idyle "The Forge in the Forest," with anvil effect and bird imitation.

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Committee on Arrangement.

E. T. Banks Wm. Coalson Jas. Woods John Wilkerson
Wm. Buckner H. D. Woods H. E. Jacobs J. H. Shepard, Ch'r.

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF RIGHT OF REDEMPTION.

To Hannah Clanton (in whose name the same is taxed): You are hereby notified that on the fourth day of December A. D. 1899, the following described real estate, to-wit: Lot Two (2) Block Six (6), Town of Corydon, and all situated within the County of Polk and State of Iowa, was sold for the then delinquent and unpaid tax of the year 1898, to J. L. Sands, that the undersigned is now the legal owner and holder of the certificate of purchase issued in pursuance of the above mentioned sale; and that the right of redemption will expire and a deed for the land be made unless redemption is made within ninety days from the completed service hereof. ANNIE E. HAHN Owner and holder of certificate

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To unknown (in whose name the same is taxed): You and each of you are hereby notified that on the fourth day of December, A. D. 1899 the following described real estate, to-wit: Lot No 1 of Blk 4 Lot 1 Blk 5 Lot 1 Blk 6, being now included in and forming a part of the Town of Corydon all situated within the County of Polk and State of Iowa, was sold for the then delinquent and unpaid tax of the year 1898 to J. L. Sands; that the undersigned is now the legal owner and holder of the certificates of purchase issued in pursuance of the above mentioned sale; and that the right of redemption will expire and a deed for the land be made unless redemption is made within ninety days from the completed service hereof. ANNIE E. HAHN Owner and holder of certificate

HENRY GRAY

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