

CITY NEWS

Miss Louise Meyer at Elkader was a city shopper Monday. A. H. Hergen of Maynard was a business caller here today. C. Connes of Chicago was a business caller in the city today. Adeline King of Sumner was a city caller yesterday afternoon. Mr. Archie Stebbins who has been seriously ill is slowly improving.

NO NEW DEVELOPMENTS IN THE DOWNING MURDER

There are no new developments in the Downing murder case, no one having been held except Ernest Heller, of whom mention was made yesterday in these columns.

JAMES WILLIAMS DIED

James Williams, aged 84 years, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Dudley, 102 Eighth avenue SW, at 8:30 this morning. After short services at the home the body will be taken to Sigourney, Iowa, Wednesday morning where the funeral and burial will be held.

FIRE AT CHEVROLET GARAGE

The fire department was called to Wardell's Chevrolet garage on South Frederick about four o'clock yesterday afternoon. The oil on the floor had become ignited from the oil burner used for heating. The amount of the damage has not been estimated, although it will not be very heavy. Fortunately the fire was quickly extinguished.

SOME RAISE IN TAXES

The Gas Company of Oelwein finds they have had their taxes increased just this year. They were taxed at \$1100 last year and this year it is placed at \$3300. This increase was made by the state board of assessment and review, who have taken over the assessment of all utilities in the state.

GRAND JURY EM-PANNELED

Judge Taylor, holding court for Judge Blechendorf at West Union today, is hearing the default case. The grand jury for the term, was empaneled today and is as follows: Arthur Benz, Vernon Bliss, Leonard Wagner, John Potratz, C. A. Oldfather, Chris Messerli and A. R. McLaurey, the latter chosen foreman.

AMERICAN LEGION MEETS

The American Legion will meet at Pete's Shoe Shop Wednesday evening, Jan. 11th at 8:00 P. M. instead of Thursday evening.

M. E. DISTRICT RALLY AT HAZLETON

A Dubuque District Rally of the Methodist Episcopal churches of Independence, Hazleton, Stanley, Arlington, Volga, Oelwein, Sumner, Oron, Fairbank, and Jessup, was held at the Hazleton Methodist church Monday evening, January 9th. Those who participated in the program were Mr. P. R. Ketchum and Mr. and Mrs. Ray A. Bell, and Miss Evelyn Cook of Oelwein, Dr. and Mrs. G. J. Chalico, of Independence, and Dr. J. S. Bryant, superintendent of the mountain work of Tennessee.

INFANT OF MR. AND MRS. GEORGE DIED

Friends of Mrs. George, nee Helen Bovis formerly of Oelwein, will be grieved to learn that their little two day old son died at their home in Hamilton, Ohio. The Hamilton Journal has the following brief account of the little one's death: Billy Bovis George, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald George, 510 Harrison avenue, passed away Thursday, 7 a. m., at Mercy hospital, at the age of two days.

OELWEIN CREAMERY MEETING YESTERDAY

The annual meeting of the Oelwein Farmers Creamery was held yesterday at the creamery offices, and there was a splendid attendance, being about 400 who sat down to the noon lunch. The report of the secretary was submitted and so far as the creamery was concerned was most pleasing. It showed there had been 162,000 pounds more butter made during 1932 than in 1931, and that the average price paid for butterfat during the year was 23.9 cents. This is about 2.5 cents more than the state average. Sec. Bechtelheimer, of the Iowa Creamery association, made the remark that this was the highest average in the state so far as he had knowledge. It was found that the cost of producing a pound of butter, that is the manufacturing cost, was quite low this year, it being 2.2 cents per pound.

C. & O. OFFICIALS HERE

A car containing some of the officials of the Chesapeake & Ohio railroad are in Oelwein today. They are here by invitation of the C. & O. W. and are said to be here for the purpose of checking up on the shops and round house for expert advice on improvements to be made. It is also reported, it has not been put out 50 more men back to work Monday, making a total of 215 who are now working, which is pretty good considering the season.

U. I. U. MAKING AN OFFER

The Upper University of Iowa at Fayette is trying out a new scheme. They have secured a fine home near the campus in Fayette and they propose to make a co-operative home for Oelwein boys out of it at a low cost. The purpose is to give the next semester of 18 weeks tuition, board and room in this co-operative home, for the small sum of \$140 to any from Oelwein who wish to enter on this new plan. This makes a semester of very cheap educational advantages for those who can avail themselves of it.

THE ELKS SKAT NEWS

Those of the Elks Skatters who were not down with the "flu" took advantage of their absent brethren, consequently the prizes for the evening went as follows: Forthum first, Grant second and Larson third. Club Standing Won Lost Net Pts. Ritchie 118 43 75 2716 Schoenberg 81 14 67 2215 Ward 79 13 66 1490 Oelberg 83 22 61 1550 Hoyer 67 11 56 1432 Walrath 77 21 56 1646 Foltmire 66 11 55 1793 Holmes 75 20 55 1682 Graff 88 37 51 1298 Hill 90 41 49 1520 Thiele 53 5 48 1130 Neubauer 83 36 47 1133 Flanagan 73 27 46 1151 Larson 53 20 33 1000 Ignotz 29 1 28 1197 Cotnam 20 1 19 610 Morse 13 1 8 256 Webb 16 9 7 246

DANIEL WARREN DAVIS ELLIS—OBITUARY

Daniel Warren Davis Ellis, seventh youngest child of Joseph and Sara Davis, Ellis, was born in Kane County, near Elgin, Illinois, June 5th, 1850, and very peacefully fell asleep at his home in Fairbank, Iowa, Jan. 5th, 1933. His parents, two sisters, four brothers and one infant daughter preceded him into the Great Beyond.

ASHLEY DOWNING—OBITUARY

Ashley Downing was born at Palatine, Cook county, Illinois, June twenty-fifth, eighteen fifty-five. His parents, with whom his childhood was spent, were Macy Brooks Downing of Canada, and Richard Downing, a native of Lunceston, England. In his late teens he came to Fremont township, Fayette county, Iowa, to join his elder brother, Henry, his elder sister, Jennie (Mrs. James Smith) and his twin sister Emma, (Mrs. Charles Tomkinson) residing there. On June thirteenth, eighteen seventy-eight, at Maynard, Iowa, the Reverend Mr. Woods officiating, he was married to Ella Jane Campbell, of Westmoreland county, Pennsylvania, who had been visiting her sisters, Mrs. Elizabeth Baird Downing, and Mrs. Nancy McClain also residents of Fremont township, Fayette county, Iowa. The remainder of his life, almost fifty-five years, was spent on his farm, two miles south and one-fourth mile west of the present site of Westgate, Iowa. He departed this life on Wednesday, January fourth, nineteen thirty-three at the age of seventy-seven years, six months and nine days, his wife having passed away at Tillamook, Oregon, on Wednesday, December sixteenth, nineteen hundred, thirty-one, aged eighty-one years, nine months and nineteen days. He was for years the sole survivor of his father's family having preceded in death by his brothers Henry and John, and his sisters Jennie Smith, Emma Tomkinson, and Mabel Downing. He is survived by five great-grandchildren, seventeen grandchildren, his three sons, Ralph of Henry, South Dakota, Arthur and Roy of Parkers Prairie, Minnesota, and by his only daughter Ethel, Mrs. C. W. Quinn of Tillamook, Oregon.

DOUBLE FEATURE AT SACRED HEART GYMNASIUM TONIGHT

The Tiger will try to repeat its night when the Sacred Heart basketball team meets the St. John's High School of Independence that fell under the Tiger's claw in an early season game. St. John's put more, that the St. John's coach has lightened up the defense and put new hills into the offense for tonight's battle. If Messrs. Preble and Jamieson, star St. John players get loose with the ball tonight, the Tiger will have their hands full guarding goal.

ABOUT OUR SCHOOLS

I am continually reminding myself in these times of financial stress, when we would like to reduce more and more all but absolutely necessary costs, that the public objective is purely educational; but I find it difficult somehow to differentiate between the purely educational, the social, and the physical well being of our children. Education, after all, is more than "reading, writing and arithmetic"—it is more than subject training. Education is a part of life itself, and to educate is to develop those things in the lives of our people which will make life fuller and deeper and better. Educational welfare, therefore, is very closely related to the social and physical welfare; and the schools must continue to be concerned about the social and physical while we devote ourselves to the educational development of our people.

CARD OF THANKS

For all the kindly deeds and words of helpfulness and cheer, we thank you. And when Death's Angel takes from you someone to you most dear, may he take from you as he takes from us, all thought of fear of the Great Unknown. May he bring to you as he brings to us the peace and comfort of Faith made strong.

CONGRESSMAN IS ELECTED

Belleville, Ill.—(UP)—Congressman Edwin M. Schaefer, of twenty-second Illinois District, was elected in November after the shortest "campaign" of any member of the next congress. Schaefer was nominated two days before the election after the death of Congressman Charles M. Kavach, the original Democratic nominee. He did not make a single speech.

WELFARE WORK IN THE SCHOOLS



G. B. Ferrell, Supt.

The physical welfare of our children has not been a serious problem in the schools until within very recent times, though such work in a small way, has received the attention of school people for many years. As a definite school program such welfare work came into the Oelwein schools during the winter of 1929-30 at which time the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools designated a small sum from the General School fund to be used through the school health department to purchase milk for under-nourished children. Until this time the only welfare work undertaken by the local schools was related strictly to health and was possible from funds available through the Red Cross and Christmas Seal sales. Unemployment had developed so much by the winter of 1930-31, however, that the need for warmer clothing and better balanced diet among our school children became pronounced, and the large

er program of relief was undertaken. Close cooperation with local welfare organizations through our school health department was of course our first step; but as a purely relief project, from free will donations we developed our School Milk Fund program to be administered through our school health department, as a supplementary diet for our undernourished children. This School Milk Fund program proved very popular and has been continued; and to this has been added, through the special efforts of the teachers and the cooperation of Parent-Teacher organizations, our present school lunch projects.

Table with 3 columns: School, No., Project. Rows include Harrison, Central, Parkside, Southside, S. H. S.

PENNSYLVANIA AUTOS TO CARRY SLOGAN

Harrisburg, Pa.—(UP)—Every automobile registered in Pennsylvania will carry a sticker slogan, "Take time to be careful" during January 1. The slogan, adopted by the Governor's Committee on Street and Highway Safety, will be affixed to automobile windshields when the machines are inspected during the first inspection period started January 1. Every automobile in the state must be inspected before March 31 to be permitted to operate on the state roads.

GLASSES FITTED

At a price you like to pay. Prices to meet the times.

Dr. A. H. Berger, Opt. 4 1/2 West Charles St.

BLUE - RIBBON LUMP

Will Give You the Most For Your Heating Dollar— \$6.65 CASH, Delivered

Oelwein Farmers Creamery

January Sale! Special Reductions On Our Entire Stock During This GREAT JANUARY SALES EVENT! One special lot of Cloth Coats, excellent styles, choice at \$5.00. A fine group of Coats that sold at \$29.50, now you can buy these for \$14.50. 20 DOZEN SILK AND WOOL HOSE, that sold regularly at 75c. Per pair, while they last at 15c. One lot of \$16.50 and \$14.75 Winter Dresses only 50 in this lot to go at \$4.95. Our entire stock of Hats on sale, one big special lot go now—only 39c. CLEAN-UP SALE OF SANITARY NAPKINS, 12 in a box, now you can buy 2 boxes, only 25c. A Sale of Women's Shoes VALUES YOU MUST NOT MISS in these quality PEACOCK SHOES, On Sale Now \$5.00. A SPECIAL LARGE GROUP of our QUEEN QUALITY ARCH SUPPORT SHOES, regular \$7.50 values, featured cushion heels \$1.95. BLUE RIBBON STYLE SHOES in Pumps, in Straps and Sandals. Regular \$5.85 to \$7.50 values, Closing Out Now, Only \$1.95. All Rubber Galoshes, zipper and pull-over 89c. One Rack of Shoes in good styles at \$1.00.

Iowa Provision Co. Wed. and Thurs. Specials Pure Lard, lb. 5c 3 lbs. Pork Chops 25c 3 lbs. Sirloin Steak 25c 4 lbs. Pork Steak 25c 6 lbs. Spare Ribs 25c 6 lbs. Fresh Pork Shanks 25c Boiling Beef Hamburger Pork Sausage Pork Liver 5c

Tonight and Wednesday A STORM OF EMOTION! JOAN! The lightning star of stardom! At the peak of her career in the most talked-of picture of the year! JOAN! WOMAN OF THE SOUTH SEAS! JOSEPH M. SCHENCK Presents JOAN CRAWFORD in RAIN with WALTER HUSTON In Addition, Sherlock's Home — News Events

Are You Living In A 1910 Home? Of course you think your home is modern, up-to-date in every respect, but if you are not enjoying the full advantage of your most practical and economical servant... ELECTRICITY... you really are behind the times. Electricity can do so much more for you in your home than simply light a few bulbs that you are not getting full benefit of this modern servant if you do not take advantage of its various helps. Does Electricity do your washing each week? Does Electricity do your ironing? Does Electricity do your cleaning? Does Electricity do your cooking? Does Electricity heat your water? In the modern home, these and many other every day tasks are performed better and cheaper by your modern servant... ELECTRICITY! If you are interested in increasing the efficiency of your home and decreasing the cost of maintenance, a visit to our office will quickly convince you of the economy of the electrically equipped home. Interstate Power Co.

NELS HAUSER ON THE RETIRED LIST

Nels Hauser, extra policeman, has not been circulating about his old haunts recently, the cause of it being that he is having the same fight that Job had and so far has come out second best. The plague sent upon him has made it necessary for him to take his meals standing up.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to acknowledge every act and token of sympathy and thoughtfulness tendered us by all our neighbors and friends during the illness and passing of our dear husband and father. Mrs. Edward Stevens & Family.—adv.

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