

Appropriate Grave Side Services For A. L. Child

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Burial services for A. L. Child, pioneer Grinnell business man, who died January 12 in North Hollywood, Calif., were held Sunday afternoon in Hazelwood cemetery. It was feared at first that the services originally planned for Sunday would have to be postponed, on account of the delay occasioned by the illness of Mr. Child's daughter, Mrs. O. H. Mathews, who accompanied the body here, was able to reach Grinnell so that the service could be held at the appointed time.

The services at the grave were in charge of Rev. Robert Inglia, who led in prayer, and of Dr. E. A. Steiner, who spoke with feeling and eloquence of his friend of many years. A number of intimate friends were present.

Those who were here from out of town, in addition to Mrs. Child and her son R. L. Holyoke and Mrs. Mathews were Mrs. Walter Hammond of Berkeley, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Burns of Des Moines and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Davison of Wapello.

Children, grandchildren and great grand children, cousins and many old Grinnell friends attended the funeral services which were held for Mr. Child Jan. 13, in a beautiful funeral chapel in North Hollywood. It was extraordinary that such a reunion was possible in California of a family whose roots had been so deeply sunk in Grinnell. Floral offerings, exquisite and suitable music by a string trio provided by Wilbur Hatch, musical director of KNY radio studio, who married Margaret Mathews, Mr. Child's grand daughter, combined with sympathetic remarks by the officiating minister to produce a service of unusual beauty.

Many old friends who had known Mr. Child during his long life in Grinnell welcomed the opportunity afforded by the service Sunday afternoon, to say farewell to one whom they had learned to love and appreciate during the passing years.

SCHOOL ELECTIONS



shows the start of one of Grinnell's booster trips. Do you recognize? Note especially the cars and the

Robert Shaw Addresses Well Attended Legion Meeting.

"America wants peace - she will never seek a war - she does not want war, but she must maintain an adequate national defense in order to have peace." Speaking on National Defense Robert Shaw, Signourney attorney and prominent Legionaire, declared for peace and preparedness for war at the American Legion meeting Tuesday evening before a large crowd of Legionaires and guests. Postmaster Wilford Smiley and a large group of post-office employees were present as were others. Following the business meeting and speech, a lunch was served and then the moving picture, "Here Comes the Mail" was shown. It proved to be a complete story of the work of the postal department and the crowd was well pleased with the showing.

At the business meeting A. W. Brock, chairman of the committee on the benefit bingo game for the milk fund benefit, made a report and indicated that a fine group of prizes will be offered Friday night. Ralph Longley, chairman of the milk fund committee, reported concerning the distribution of the milk and the benefits that are being derived from its use. He praised the cooperation of the school authorities and stated that the project was a worthy one.

Commander John Thompson and Honor Lowrey reported on the adjutants' and commanders' meeting at Des Moines. Russell George, Poweshiek county chairman for the boy state, reported on the new Legion activity which will send nearly a thousand boys to Camp Dodge for training in Americanism, citizenship and government.

A county meeting of Legionaires is planned for the near future. Grinnell has invited the

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Burial Services For A. L. Child Are Postponed

Burial services for the late A. L. Child, pioneer Grinnell photographer, who died recently in California, which were to have been held Sunday in Hazelwood cemetery, have been indefinitely postponed. A letter from Mrs. O. E. Mathews, Mr. Child's daughter, who was to have accompanied the body from Los Angeles, received by Snyder Brothers, states that arrival would be delayed on account of the flood and no date can be set.

Farm Residence Near Gilman Burned To Ground

Gilman, Ia., March 10, Special: The two story frame house on what was known for a long time as the Todd farm seven miles



Dr. L. M. Adkins

Dr. L. M. Adkins of Grinnell is a candidate for state Senator in the Twelfth Iowa District in the Democratic primary election. This district is composed of Keokuk and Poweshiek counties. Dr. Adkins was born on a farm near Grinnell and attended country and the public schools in Grinnell. He has been a practicing chiropractic physician for thirty years and most of that time right here in his old home town, Grinnell. In his early practice he received advanced degrees in Chiropractic in colleges in Kansas City and Chicago. He has been a successful practitioner and has made many warm personal friends in this community.

Dr. and Mrs. Adkins have three children and reside at 1008 Sumner street. In talking to a Herald-Register reporter this morning he says that he plans to make an active campaign. His platform will be broad minded and progressive. He will advocate farm to market roads, teachers' annuity and he will not oppose any farm organization that has a constructive program to offer. On these few planks mentioned he expects to make a vigorous campaign. Dr. Adkins further stated that if he should win in the primary and at the general election this fall he will cooperate with his colleagues in the senate and assist in giving Iowa laws that will be beneficial to the greatest number of Iowa citizens and especially his home district.

Dr. Adkins has a pleasing personality. He has always taken an active interest in all public matters. The senatorial race in the democratic camp will probably be a spirited one. Senator Don Mason is the present incumbent and seeks re-nomination. Dr. Adkins is some campaigner and he will put up a real fight.

Polls Open At Noon Monday For School Election

Polls for Grinnell's annual school election will open in the city offices at noon next Monday and will remain open until 7 o'clock p. m. The candidates whose names appear on the official ballot are all for re-election. Dr. R. T. Mills and Mrs. C. L. McNally, whose regular terms expire at this time, are candidates for a three year term, and Hugh McCleery, who was named to the board to fill the vacancy caused when Walter Oberst moved

High School Will Be The Scene of Musical Activity.

Grinnell will be the Mecca for high school students from all over this part of Iowa on Friday and Saturday of next week when one of the mid-district music centers will be held in the Grinnell high school auditorium. In addition to Grinnell, the following high schools will be represented: Waterloo, Brooklyn, Colo., Lynnville, Monroe, Newton, Okaloosa, Malvern, Ia., Miago, Mitchellville, Fair City, Montezuma, Sully and Ne Sharon.

Friday morning, afternoon and evening will be occupied by instrumental solo and group sections and Saturday morning, afternoon and evening will be occupied by the vocal department. Grinnell soloists and musical organizations promise to play a prominent part.

Musical judges will be on the job three for each of the three parts: instrumental, vocal and solo. Instrumental: Herbert Good of West High, Waterloo; Jim McDaniel of Cedar Falls; H. Mummer of Iowa University.

Vocal: Freda Johnson of Grinnell; Carl Malabar of Park College at Fairfield; Olive Bart of Iowa State Teachers College Cedar Falls; Edna Fowler of Iowa State College at Ames. Morning sessions at the high school will start at 8 o'clock afternoon sessions at 1 o'clock and evening sessions at 7 o'clock. The piano division contest has been assigned to Room 12, Grinnell College, and will get underway Wednesday Friday evening.

Superintendent Rupert has announced the following:

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Last Services For Mrs. Charles Fish Held Today

Funeral services for Mrs. Anna Fish, who died at 1200 West 1st street from the flu, will be held today at 2 o'clock in the First M. E. church and conducted by Rev. E. W. of Okaloosa. Burial will be in the Grinnell cemetery. Mrs. Fish was born in the Point of View, August 1852 and was 64 years old. Her husband died in 1917. Her only son, Fred, is a prominent attorney in New York, and his wife, Mrs. Fish, is a prominent attorney in New York. Her husband, Fred, was a prominent attorney in New York.

Jeanne K... Will Appear in Piano Recital

TREAT WAITING MUSIC LOVERS

Symphonic Will Fine Program Friday Eve.

Shapiro will bring his symphonic orchestra Friday evening for a promise to be one of this year's best. The program announces every indication of delight for all music lovers. Mr. Shapiro is a conductor and his orchestra is considered as a fine organization. The program is being given by the "Mignon" Thomas.

"The Rustic Wedding" Theme and Tuna Pie's Antimata, lute con moto quasi allegretto, Allegro vivetto quasi andante, Tempo the theme, legro moderato scherzoso, Dance, Allegro

No. 1 and Intermezzi "The Jewels of the Wolf" and "The June Debussy No. 2 Debussy.

Dance in G minor, Rose MacDowell, Lily MacDowell, Motion Johann

ve numbers have been rebrated for this by George H. Sha... ed Head stock Offered In Mason Sale

THE MASONS ENTERTAIN AT TABLE LODGE

Stimulating Address On Masonry Delivered By R. Y. Kerr.

Grinnell Masons of Hermon Lodge No. 273, A. F. & A. M., held what they term a "table lodge" in their lodge room Wednesday evening which was enjoyed by upwards of 150 men. A "table lodge" implies that the regular ritual is discarded for the evening and guests are privileged to enjoy the supper and the program which follows.

The feature of the evening, over and above the abundant and delicious meal served by the ladies of the Eastern Star, was an address on "Masonry" full of poetry and illumination for non-Masons, delivered by R. Y. Kerr, executive secretary of Grinnell College and a Thirty-Second Degree Mason in his own right. F. W. Tomasek, Worthy Master of Hermon Lodge, presided as toastmaster.

The program was opened with a songfest of familiar ditties led by O. Dale Smith, with Dr. John Parish at the piano. "Fin" Clindino was given an opportunity to expand on "My Wild Irish Rose" and took advantage of it.

Rupert Hawk, superintendent of the city schools, demonstrated his artistry as a public speaker in an address of welcome in which he set forth the underlying aims of Masonry as a sugar coated pill in his cordial word of greeting.

E. L. York, well known Masonic warbler, delighted his hearers with two fine vocal solos, "The Monarch of the Woods" by J. W. Cherry and "Off to Philadelphia in the Morning" by Battalion

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Appraisal-Made Of Federal Work Program Results

Arthur L. Child, a successful and esteemed resident of Grinnell, has devoted his attention to photography throughout his entire business career and now owns one of the most up-to-date studios of the west. His birth occurred in Bath, New Hampshire, on the 8th of November, 1854, his parents being Jonathan and Martha (Walker) Child, who were likewise natives of that place. Benjamin Child, the first representative of the family to emigrate to America, came from Great Britain in 1630. The family was prominently represented in the Revolutionary war and also in the conflict between the North and the South. Benjamin Child was patriarchal in the best sense, having been earnest in character and in the promotion of that Puritan stamp of piety for which the Massachusetts settlers were especially distinguished. Legal manuscripts carefully preserved at the present time attest his familiarity with public affairs and his prominence in the community.

Jonathan Child, the father of Arthur L. Child, was an agriculturist by occupation and was likewise interested in the starch factory at Bath, New Hampshire. In 1868 he brought his family to Grinnell, Iowa, where he resided for twenty-five years, being engaged in the livery business and other pursuits and acting as a director of the First National Bank of Grinnell. Professor Parker said of him: "In his days of active business he oppressed no man and as bank director he never desired to have a creditor needlessly embarrassed. He was glad to help an honest man in need to get on his feet and walk more firmly." When he passed away in 1905 the community mourned the loss of one of its most substantial and respected citizens. His wife was called to her final rest in 1900.

Arthur L. Child supplemented his preliminary education, obtained in the common schools, by a course of study in Grinnell College. After putting aside his text-books he began working as an assistant to his uncle, C. L. Walker, who at that time owned the business which is now in possession of our subject. In 1881 he bought the studio of Mr. Walker and the following year purchased the location which he now occupies. In 1884 he rebuilt his studio and occupied the second floor until 1900, when he established himself in his present quarters on the ground floor. Subsequently the scope of his activities

were enlarged by adding an art and photo supply department. In 1907 his stock and fixtures were largely destroyed by fire but he immediately repaired the damage and now has one of the most modern studios of the west. A skillful artist, Mr. Child closely observes the effects of light and shade in bringing out the characteristics which every conscientious photographer attempts to portray in transferring to paper the living likeness of his patrons. He is one of the directors of the People's Gas Company and is a prosperous and representative resident of the community.

On the 13th of October, 1885, Mr. Child was united in marriage to Miss Ella Stone Worsham, a native of Muscatine, Iowa, and a daughter of William Green Worsham, who was one of the old settlers of eastern Iowa and established the stage line between Keokuk and Dubuque. Mr. and Mrs. Child have two children. Maud was married in 1907 to O. B. Mathews, whom she met while they were students in Grinnell College. Mr. Mathews installed the gas plant in Grinnell and is the manager of the People's Light & Heat Company and a heavy stockholder of the concern. Arthur Leon Child, Jr., is now attending school. The family attend the Congregational church of Grinnell. Those who have regard for the true worth and value of character give to Arthur L. Child their entire respect and accord him a position of prominence in public regard in Grinnell.