

School Bonds in Benton Rejected

VAN HORNE — A bond issue for construction of a new high school in the Benton Community school district was rejected by voters Tuesday.

The \$1,380,000 bond plan received only a 44.15 percent yes vote, far below the 60 percent majority required by law.

The total vote was 842 yes; 1,065 no. A total of 1,918 votes were cast with 11 ballots spoiled.

The vote by director districts was:

Blainstown — 144 yes; 325 no; one spoiled.

Keystone — 189 yes; 310 no; three spoiled.

Newhall — 173 yes; 254 no; seven spoiled.

Van Horne — 336 yes; 176 no; none spoiled.

The proposal had first been voted on in February of 1967. At that time it received a 37.1 percent yes vote.

The plans had been changed somewhat for the second vote, including elimination of an administration area and inclusion of a gymnasium. The school would have housed grades 9 through 12.

Iowa Falls Okay

IOWA FALLS (UPI) — Voters in the Iowa Falls community school district approved Tuesday a school bond measure calling for construction of a new high school in Iowa Falls, but rejected the inclusion of funds to build a swimming pool in the new school.

Voters, by a 64 percent majority, approved a \$2,164,000 bond issue to build the high school with 1,364 votes cast in favor to 764 against the measure. On the proposal to build a \$250,000 swimming pool, 1,257 voted against the measure and 869 voted in favor.

Ottumwa "No"

OTTUMWA (AP) — Voters here turned down a proposed \$6,754,000 bond issue Tuesday. The vote was 3,356 in favor and 3,875 against.

The money would have been used to finance construction of a new high school and remodeling of other school buildings.

Sioux City "Yes"

SIOUX CITY (AP) — A \$600,000 school bond issue received overwhelming approval Tuesday from Sioux City voters. The vote was 5,832 to 1,542, for a 79.1 percent majority.

The money will finance construction of a new elementary school in the Morningside area of the city.

Taylor Resigns as Poweshiek Sheriff

MONTEZUMA (AP) — Poweshiek County Sheriff Wiley E. Taylor has submitted his resignation to the county board of supervisors effective June 15.

Taylor said he will accept a position as assistant jail inspector for the Iowa department of corrections.

He has been sheriff since 1964.

The supervisors are to appoint a replacement for Taylor.

Iowan Drowns

WAVERLY (AP) — Herman Gauthier, 80, of Waverly drowned in the Cedar river just north of here Tuesday when, authorities said, he apparently slipped and fell into the water while fishing.



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Forming of UNI Teacher Union Set

CEDAR FALLS (AP) — A group of University of Northern Iowa faculty members, who say they are disappointed over salaries and restrictions produced by lack of funds, took the first step Tuesday toward establishing a teachers' union local at the school.

The group formed a "provisional local" at UNI of the American Federation of Teachers, according to Dr. Josef Fox, an English professor.

He said the provisional local is responsible for doing whatever is necessary to prepare a constitution and seek a charter from the AFT.

The local here would be the first at any Iowa college or university.

Dr. Fox said the local's ultimate goal will be to bargain collectively on salaries and working conditions. But, in the meantime, he said, "we feel we can be a pressure group that will help get some things done."

He said disappointment over salary increases averaging just under 6 percent for UNI faculty members next school year was one reason for forming the local.

However, he said the "most serious problem here . . . is that we're not succeeding in maintaining the quality of faculty that we should have. It will take better salaries and lighter work loads to do this."

He said there also is dissatisfaction over the lack of adequate office space for instructors in some departments.

Dr. Fox said the faculty's problems are with the Iowa legislature and not the UNI administration, adding: "If you know Dr. James Maucker (UNI president), you know that he's doing all in his power to get these things taken care of."

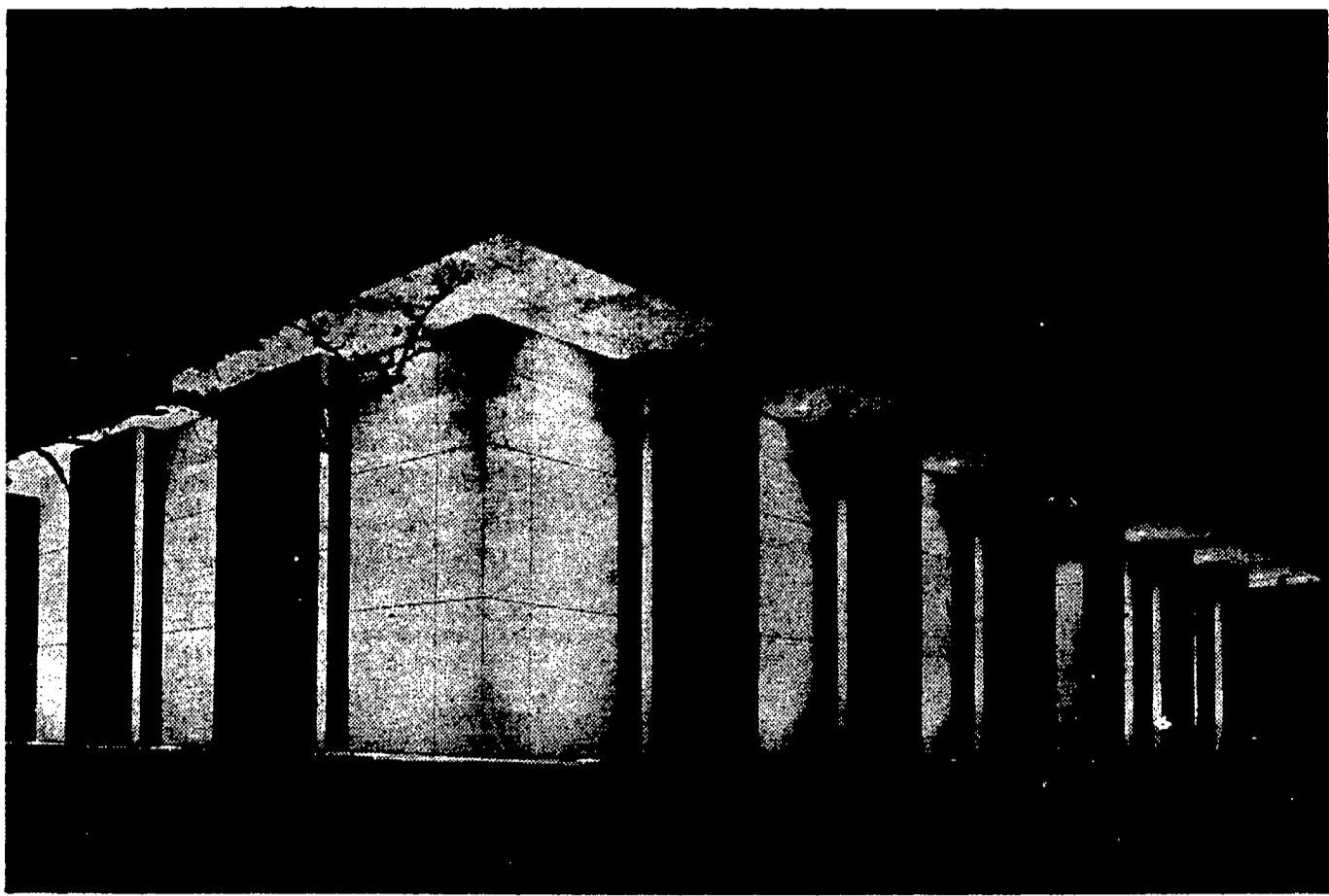
Anamosa Rites for Jennie Ireland, 79

ANAMOSA — A lifetime resident of Anamosa and a former business woman there, Jennie N. Ireland, 79, died Tuesday evening at the Anamosa Community hospital following a heart attack a week earlier.

For more than 40 years, Mrs. Ireland operated the Grill cafe in Anamosa. She was the widow of C. H. Ireland, warden of the Iowa men's reformatory at the time of his death in 1933. From a pioneer Iowa family, Mrs. Ireland was related to three of the four families which founded the settlement of Fairview near Anamosa. She was also a descendant of the first white woman settler in Linn county.

Survivors include a son, Charles Ireland of Santa Barbara, Calif., and two daughters, Mrs. George Schweitzer and Mrs. Tait Cummings, both of Cedar Rapids. Services will be Friday at 3:30 p.m. in the Goetsch funeral home, Anamosa. Burial will be in the Riverside cemetery.

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State Office Building at Night

Lending additional beauty and drama to the Iowa statehouse grounds in Des Moines is the new James W. Grimes state office building, pictured here at night. The three-story \$3 million structure, named after Iowa's third elected governor, was designed by Smith-Voorhees-Jensen, Architects Associated, of Des Moines and Sioux City. State departments and agencies began moving into the building earlier this year.

Set Experience In Pre-Teaching

FAYETTE — Upper Iowa college will inaugurate a pre-student teaching experience for future teachers this fall, according to Dr. Donald Fostvedt, director of student teaching.

Under the program students who are preparing to become teachers will be required to spend five days at the beginning of a fall school term with a public school faculty. The five days will include the normal faculty workshop or orientation period. Dr. Fostvedt stated that Upper Iowa officials believe this new experience "will be of tremendous value to our students" who plan to become teachers.

Since UIC does not begin classes in the fall until after most public schools have started, students will be permitted to have their September experience in either the school where they will student-teach later in the year, or in a school near their home.

Job Corpsmen Help Out in Tornado Areas

DES MOINES (UPI) — Two groups of job corpsmen and supervisors from Wisconsin have been sent to Oelwein and Charles City, the two northeast Iowa communities struck by tornadoes last week, the Iowa Office of Economic Opportunity said Tuesday.

In Oelwein, 64 job corpsmen and eight supervisors arrived Monday to assist local cleanup crews. The corpsmen and supervisors are from the Blackwell and Clam Lake job corps training centers in Wisconsin.

Iowa officials said the men are trained in the use of heavy earth moving equipment, trucks, chain saws and other power equipment needed in a disaster area.

In Charles City, an estimated 60 job corpsmen and supervisors arrived Tuesday night to assist the community in cleanup operations. They also were from the Blackwell and Clam Lake centers.

Officials said the arrangements for the job corpsmen were made by the Iowa OEO office at the request of Gov. Harold Hughes. Both cities, Oelwein and Charles City, placed requests for the services.

East Iowans To Receive Degrees at U. of Dubuque

DUBUQUE — The liberal arts college of the University of Dubuque has 141 candidates for graduation at the commencement exercises Sunday.

In addition to these, there will be 21 candidates from the Dubuque Theological seminary. The largest class to be graduated from the liberal arts college previously was in 1966 when the class numbered 135.

Commencement activities will officially begin Saturday, when a reception at Lindsay Walk, between Steffens Hall and Van Vliet Hall, from 8 to 10 p.m., will honor President and Mrs. William Chalmers and the candidates for degrees. All friends of the university are invited.

Baccalaureate services will be at 9 a.m. Sunday in Westminster Presbyterian church, Dubuque.

Dr. Robert French, the executive of the United Presbyterian Synod of Iowa and president of the Iowa Council of Churches, will deliver the sermon.

Dr. Helene Pratt, assistant professor of music and chairman of the fine arts division of the liberal arts college, will present an organ recital at 2 p.m. in McCormick gymnasium.

The commencement convocation will begin at 2:30 p.m. in McCormick gymnasium. Dr. Chalmers will give the graduation address.

East Iowans receiving degrees will be:

Atalissa — Robert C. Barkhurst.

Cedar Rapids — Jeffrey D. Blum, Elaine C. Egger.

Dyersville — Ann Matthews Boenish.

Viola — Margaret Kay Dunn.

Rowley — Duane A. Gerstenberger.

Hazleton — James W. Krapf.

Volga — Bill W. Crandall.

Monticello — Patricia Wild Franzen.

Marquette — Gerald Walsh.

Mrs. Ray To Speak in Mt. Vernon Thursday

MT. VERNON — Mrs. Robert Ray, wife of a candidate for the Republican nomination for governor, will speak Thursday at 7:30 p.m. in the Presbyterian church meeting room.

A dinner party will precede the meeting at 6 p.m. at the Holiday House. Ray, former Iowa Republican chairman, is convalescing from injuries suffered in a plane crash.

Luana Horse Show Saturday, Sunday

LUANA — A horse show, with proceeds going to the crippled children's fund, will be held here Saturday and Sunday.

Junior riders, 18 and under, will participate Saturday at 1 p.m. The Sunday show, open to everyone, will begin with halter classes at 10:30 a.m. Performance classes will begin at 1 p.m.

Investigate Possible Glue Sniffing Party

TIPTON — The Cedar county sheriff's department is investigating the breaking and entering of and malicious mischief done to a cabin 7 miles southwest of Tipton along the Cedar river Saturday. The sheriff declined to give the name of the cabin owner.

Evidence found at the property leads the sheriff to believe that four people held a glue sniffing party at the cabin. In addition to causing a great amount of damage to the interior of the cabin, a chain holding the owner's boat was broken and the boat was found docked some distance from the cabin.

Neighbors had seen a light on in the cabin about 10 p.m., but assumed the owners had returned for the weekend.

British Art

IOWA CITY — "British Art Today" will be the topic of a lecture Thursday at 8 p.m. in the University of Iowa art building auditorium by Roy Slade, of Leeds college of art, Leeds, England.

Reduced Level

"We're in the dark as to when we will get the money and how much it will be," Eaton said. "We do know the program will be funded at a reduced level and we have reduced our staffing level to a degree which will permit us to operate with the funds we think we will have available."

Purpose of the counseling centers is to help alcoholics find the proper agencies to get a job, find a place to live and obtain spiritual help from the clergy, Eaton said.

In turn, the centers' employees try to educate the community how to best help alcoholics

Fund Cut Hits Program To Aid Iowa Alcoholics

By Mark Brown

DES MOINES (AP) — A cut-back in federal funds has caused curtailment of state efforts to help alcoholics back to a normal life, a state official said Wednesday.

Kenneth Eaton, acting director of the Iowa Comprehensive Alcoholism Project, said the agency has been forced to close three of 10 centers for counseling alcoholics.

The centers are in Burlington, Clinton and Council Bluffs.

Funds to keep the centers open are obtained through the U.S. Office of Economic Opportunity, Eaton said. Some 120 to 130 persons have received advice and help at the three centers since their inception in March, 1967, he added.

State Funds

ICAP was created by the 1967 legislature and given an annual appropriation of \$17,000. The state money is used to support another ICAP program, "half-way houses" for alcoholics just released from institutions," Eaton said.

State money is matched on a 9 to 1 ratio by funds from the federal office of Social Rehabilitation Services, he said, giving that phase of the ICAP program an annual budget of about \$170,000.

OEO funds have amounted to some \$580,000 in a 19-month period beginning July 1, 1966, Eaton said. Prior to creation of ICAP, the program was carried out by another agency.

The grant for future operation is still pending.

Memorial Day Events Set at Center Point

CENTER POINT — The Legion auxiliary will hold Poppy day here Saturday in downtown Center Point. However, the Junior Auxiliary will canvass house-to-house Thursday after school.

The auxiliary will also sponsor activities for Memorial day. Services begin at 9:30 a.m. May 30 on the Washington street bridge with a ceremony honoring the navy. The school band and Legion members will participate.

From there the group will march to the cemetery where Dr. Loren T. Jenks, pastor of the First Christian church and the Legion state chaplain, will speak. His theme will be "They Had a Dream". The Evangelical church women will serve their annual chicken noodle dinner beginning at 11:30 a.m.

Dietetic Internships For 2 East Iowans

AMES — Two East Iowa seniors in dietetics at Iowa State have been appointed to internships at hospitals and other institutions in 11 states.

All of the recipients will graduate from the food and nutrition — dietetics curriculum at Iowa State May 25.

The dietetic internship is a one-year program which provides advanced study and experience in hospital dietetics. On completion of the program, the interns qualify for membership in the American Dietetic Assn.

The East Iowans are Beverly Miller of Cedar Rapids, who will intern at Rochester, Minn., and Martha Thompson of Vinton, who will intern at Oakland, Calif.

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