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PROCEEDINGS OF THE THIRTY-SEVENTH ANNUAL MEETING OF THE IOWA ACADEMY OF SCIENCE

Held at Mount Vernon, April 27 and 28, 1923

The sessions of the thirty-seventh meeting were held with Cornell College at Mount Vernon on the 27th and 28th of April, 1923. The first session was called to order at 1:30 p. m. on Friday the 27th in Chapel 1, by President Wylie. The minutes of the Drake meeting were read and approved and the report of the secretary was read and accepted. As the treasurer had not yet arrived his report was deferred. The president, as representative of the Academy on the Council of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, reported his attendance on the meetings. The secretary read the report of Dr. Paul Bartsch as representative of the Academy at the Spencer Fullerton Baird Memorial Service at Washington, D. C., February 23, 1923. The president then announced his committees for the session.

The Academy then listened to addresses given by invitation, on Teaching and Learning a Local Flora, The Field of Ornithology and The Application of Laboratory Methods to the Study of Mental Diseases, by Messrs. Conard, Stephens and Orton, after which it separated into sections for the remainder of the afternoon. At 6 o'clock the groups met for dinners and at 8:15 President Wylie gave his illustrated address on Experiences in Fiji and New Zealand before a large audience of members and towns-people. After this address the College Faculty tendered a reception to the visiting members.

On Saturday morning the sections completed their programs and at 10:30 the Academy met for its final business session. Doctor Stephens, for the nominating committee, presented the following report and moved its adoption:

President, L. H. Pammel, State College.

Vice-President, O. H. Smith, Cornell College.

Secretary, James H. Lees.

Treasurer, A. O. Thomas, State University.

The report of the committee was adopted by the Academy.

Doctor Stromsten, for the committee on resolutions, gave its report, which was accepted. He also presented a resolution by Mr. George Bennett relative to the drainage of Goose Lake, Greene County. It was moved and carried that this resolution be referred to the committee on conservation.

Professor Plagge, for the committee on necrology, reported the death of Professor J. E. Todd, one of the charter members of the Academy and also one of its Honorary Fellows; also of Mr. Whitaker of Corydon.

Doctor Stewart reported for the committee on secretary's report four recommendations which were considered separately. The first three were adopted and the fourth was referred to the committee on conservation. In connection with the discussion of the publication of the Proceedings Doctor Hendrixson moved: "That, to avoid duplication in publication and to secure more space for other matter in the Proceedings of the Iowa Academy of Science, and at the same time to secure in this annual volume a more nearly complete record of the new work in science within the state, the Committee on Publication be requested to consider the advisability of including in the Proceedings, a system of brief abstracts of papers, by Iowa members, which have been published in other periodicals." Professor Keyes reported that the report of the committee on conservation was incorporated in the report of the committee on resolutions.

Professor Wilson reported that the auditing committee had examined the books of the Treasurer and found them correct.

The report of the membership committee was adopted and the persons were declared elected.

Under the head of new business an invitation for the 1924 meeting of the Academy was extended by the delegation from the State College and was accepted by vote of the Academy. The invitations of the State Teachers College and Penn College for 1925 were referred to the Executive Committee. In accordance with the fourth recommendation of the committee on secretary's report a motion was made and seconded that the Academy contribute \$100 to a fund for the purchase of a park near Rockford on which are located specimens of a rare Juniper. Some objection was made on the ground that this might be establishing a rather dangerous precedent, and the motion was amended to refer the question to the Executive Committee, which should report at the next meeting. The motion as amended was carried.

The secretary read greetings from several absent members, after which the president declared the Academy adjourned.

The following persons being chairmen of their sections are thereby members of the Executive Committee:

- Botany—J. N. Martin, State College.
- Chemistry—Anson Hayes, State College.
- Geology—E. J. Cable, Teachers College.
- Mathematics—F. M. McGaw, Cornell College.
- Physics—J. W. Woodrow, State College.
- Zoology—F. M. Baldwin, State College.

At 1 p. m. the members of the Academy were taken on a trip to the Palisades of the Cedar, which was greatly enjoyed by all, for the scenic beauty of the region as well as for its scientific interest.

At a joint meeting of the Botany and Zoology sections of the Academy the question of a biologic survey of the state was discussed and it was decided that the President of the Academy should appoint a committee to assist the Iowa Geological Survey in carrying on the work it has been doing on the biologic survey of the state. President Pammel later appointed on this committee the following:

Dr. T. C. Stephens, Sioux City; Dr. H. S. Conard, Grinnell; Dr. Dayton Stoner, Iowa City; Professor H. E. Jaques, Mount Pleasant; The President, The Secretary.

As a committee on co-ordination of research President Pammel later appointed Dr. H. M. Kelly, Mount Vernon; Dr. G. W. Stewart, Iowa City; Dr. B. Shimek, Iowa City; Dr. R. E. Buchanan, Ames; Dr. L. S. Ross, Des Moines. As a committee on publication the president appointed: Dr. H. S. Conard, Grinnell; Dr. W. S. Hendrixson, Grinnell; Professor Guy West Wilson, Fayette; Dr. Louis Begeman, Cedar Falls; Professor J. A. Baker, Indianola.

THE REPORT OF THE SECRETARY

Mr. President and Members of the Academy:

As I have recalled in thought the meetings of the past few years it seems to me that there has been a good deal of sameness in the report of the secretary. He has each year congratulated the Academy on its fine spirit and commended it on its steady growth. Now it is a well-known psychologic law that monotony is stultifying and continued adulation induces a state of self-satisfied complacency. Perhaps, therefore, it is time to adopt a change in tone, for the good of the order, as it were. This attitude may be justified by the fact, among others, that whereas a year ago our membership had increased from 313 to 340, a growth of twenty-seven, the increase this year is only from 340 to 357, a growth of only seventeen. Now what is the psychologic process by which 313 members can attract twenty-seven candidates while 340 can attract only seventeen? There are a few more figures which I would like to analyze for your benefit. At the Simpson meeting we elected fifty-four persons to associate membership. Of this number ten refused the honor thus thrust upon them. At the Drake meeting there were elected as associates fifty-one persons and as fellows ten persons, all ten of whom are college instructors. Of the fifty-one associates only twenty-two accepted membership and of the ten fellows only five accepted, according to the treasurer's list. These facts show one or more of several possible conditions to be true. Either the Academy has not been properly "sold" to these prospective members, to use a current expression, its merits have not been sufficiently explained to them, or they, being informed, still consider that membership in such an organization, with its privileges and its obligations, and with receipt of its annual Proceedings, is not worth what it costs. Probably each of these conditions is effective in different instances. Here is another element in the problem. Each year the secretaries of the physicists and of the mathematicians send me lists of their groups in order that we may send our programs to these persons. I find on inspection of these lists that out of a total of forty-nine physicists, twenty-three are not members of the Academy; that of fifty-three mathematicians, thirty-five are not members of the Academy. There are a few duplicates in these two lists, but the ratios will not be seriously affected. Now why are these fifty or more teachers and scientists not sufficiently interested in the progress of

science to wish at least to receive the Proceedings of the local organization of scientists which most closely represents them and their interests? I can see some reason for the seeming exclusiveness of the mathematicians, since up to this time we have published very few mathematical papers. But that is the fault of the mathematicians themselves, not of the Academy or of its editor. In the case of the physicists the reason is less clear. Lest the other divisions of science represented here should look with scorn on these two groups let them inspect their own ranks carefully and see whether they are as full as they should be. The case of the chemists is somewhat similar, as I notice on the program each year, several names which are not on the Academy roll.

Here, then, is the situation. What are we going to do about it? There are a good many scientists and friends of science, in the schools and out of them, who should be more interested in the Iowa Academy of Science. Some of them doubtless would be more interested if they were better informed. Is it not possible to inaugurate some campaign which will bring in these people, whom we trust we can help and who could, no doubt, help us? At the same time it will be well to exercise judgment in proposing names for election, so that fewer persons will ignore the privilege of admission.

Again, it seems as if the dictates of conscience would prick the soul of any seeker after truth and knowledge who offered for publication in our Proceedings the results of his investigations and did not at the same time offer himself for initiation into the circle of our scholarship. But occasionally there are a few persons who present papers but do not join the Academy. I suspect that this may be due, at least in part, to the fact that while teachers are anxious to encourage their students to their best efforts and so suggest publication as an incentive, they are not always so careful to urge the claims and privileges of the publishing organization. With a membership of over three hundred and fifty in our Academy and with a limit of four hundred pages on our publications it is necessary that we be somewhat chary in extending the privilege of publication to those who are not members of the Academy, glad though we are to recognize the fruits of genius. I think it would be well for members to keep this situation in mind.

Another point which I may call to your attention is the size of the program. I sometimes wonder if there is another state academy of science in the Union which has so large a program. But on the other hand it must be remembered that a number of the papers included are by persons who are not members of this Academy. Furthermore, the number of titles offered is somewhat less than that of last year. Is this due to a loss of interest or is it merely a temporary fluctuation? Incidentally I would like to ask the members to keep in mind the fact that if the printed program is to reach them before the meeting it must go to press nearly two weeks before the convening of the Academy. Therefore titles should not be sent in within a week of the meeting with the expectation that they can be included on the program. The secretary should have them two weeks in advance of the meeting at least. Further, titles and abstracts should always be typewritten, not submitted in handwriting.

It has seemed to me that this Academy could contribute largely to human welfare if it would hold occasional symposia on general topics, such as the teaching of various subjects; what should be presented to students and what should be required of them; the progress and province of certain sciences; and topics of related or of different scope. Some papers on such themes have been read and more such would be a welcome and desirable addition.

A few years ago the Academy published a cumulative index for the twenty-five volumes thus far issued. This has been useful but would not a list of the contents of each volume also be of service? Such a list would enable one to see in a moment the papers which appeared in the different volumes. The Secretary would be glad of suggestions regarding this and would be glad to prepare it if there seems to be need for such a document. The Proceedings for this meeting will form volume XXX of the present series and might be a suitable place to put such a list. Since our last meeting we have issued volume XXVII, the Proceedings of the Iowa City meeting; volume XXVIII, the Proceedings of the Indianola meeting, is now ready for distribution; and volume XXIX, the Proceedings of the Drake meeting, is well under way. I trust there will be no more such delays as have hampered us in the past few years.

There are no major matters of policy to be considered by the Academy at this time and the Secretary must needs cast about for some subjects on which to base his report, as he has not at his command that question of perennial interest which the treasurer can discuss, with the assurance of sustained attention. However, it may not be out of place to introduce here this personal note—that as an officer of this Academy the Secretary has an individual interest in each member, his work and his welfare. He would be greatly pleased to be personally acquainted with every member of the Academy and would be glad if each one would make himself known, that the Secretary may be a friend as well as a mere official.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES H. LEES
Secretary.

TREASURER'S REPORT, APRIL 27, 1923

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand, April 27, 1922.....	\$ 44.21
Transfer fees, members to Fellows, during year.....	46.00
Income from entrance fees.....	60.00
Income from annual dues.....	298.00
Sale of Proceedings.....	3.00
Interest on Bonds and Savings Deposits.....	22.62
Liberty Bond, called in for redemption.....	50.00
Dues collected for A. A. A. S.....	613.00
Foreign postage, Mark F. Boyd, collected for A. A. A. S.....	1.00
Overpayment by members.....	7.00
Total.....	\$1144.84

DISBURSEMENTS

Federal Printing Co., stationery & inserts.....	48.55
Postage and supplies for Treasurer.....	15.05
Postage and supplies for Secretary.....	9.05
Honorarium, President Lovett, address at Drake meeting....	50.00
Stenographic work, Treasurer.....	17.70
Refund to members, overpayments.....	7.00
Honorarium to Secretary.....	75.00
Honorarium to Treasurer.....	25.00
Honorarium to Miss Newman, distributing proceedings.....	25.00
Dues remitted to A. A. A. S.....	613.00
Postage for Doctor Boyd's copy of Science to Brazil to A. A. A. S.....	1.00
Transferred to Savings Account.....	200.00
Check in transit preceding last balance.....	1.00
Balance on hand, April 27, 1923.....	57.49
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Total.....	\$1144.84

Respectfully submitted,

A. O. THOMAS

Treasurer.

Report found correct

G. W. WILSON

L. D. WELD

Auditing Committee

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE
SECRETARY'S REPORT

Your Committee wishes to remind the Academy of the nature of the work of the Secretary and the extent to which the Academy owes its success to his efforts. We desire to express our appreciation and to request that the Academy as a body and as individuals coöperate with the Secretary in every way possible.

1. For the purpose of giving the annual report of the Secretary more adequate attention in the future, we recommend that hereafter the Committee on the Secretary's report be appointed a fortnight in advance of the annual meeting and that each member receive a copy of the report at the time of his appointment.

2. For the purpose of assisting the Secretary in the increase of membership and of interest in the Academy, we recommend that invitations to membership and requests for papers be sent the college scientific men of the state at least eight weeks in advance of the date of each meeting.

3. The Secretary's report shows that much progress has recently been made in the promptness of the printing of our Proceedings. Inasmuch as this promptness determines in a large measure the interest in and value of the Academy, we recommend that a committee of three be appointed to report to the Academy a set of publication rules under which the Proceedings shall be prepared for publication, and we

further recommend that these rules include the topics of membership of authors, and the time limits of editorial preparation. The additional publication suggestions contained in the Secretary's report, should also receive consideration.

Your committee is in sympathy with the comments of the Secretary as to general symposia, but it suggests that these be limited to topics of a scientific nature. Perhaps opinions concerning teaching problems can better be presented at the group luncheons which have become a permanent part of the program of the Academy.

4. It is the custom of the Committee on Secretary's report to limit its recommendations to the points discussed in that report. But with the permission of the Secretary, we recommend that there be referred to the Committee on Conservation for action the sponsoring of a park near Rockford containing many fossils and the rare juniper *Juniperus horizontalis* and the protection of wild life in state parks.

Respectfully submitted,

PAMMEL
SMITH, J. E.
BAKER, J. A.
KUNERTH
STEWART, *Chairman*

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS

Your Committee offers the following resolutions:

1. That a hearty vote of thanks be extended to Cornell College, the Local Committee, Science Club, students and towns-people for the very courteous treatment received by the members of the Academy and for the efficient manner in which the Academy has been served while in their midst.

2. That in view of the rapid disappearance of natural conditions in the state, we commend the work of all agencies engaged in the work of conservation of our natural resources. We would mention particularly the good work of the State Executive Council, our State Legislature, the State Board of Conservation, The Conservation Association, the School of Wild Life Protection, and the numerous and effective conservation committees of the Women's Clubs. We especially urge the adoption by the State of a far-sighted policy in regard to the re-forestation of denuded areas along our streams, adequate measures for the prevention of stream pollution and lake drainage and a generous support of our developing system of State Parks. We would call attention to the imperative need of these reserved areas, not only for purposes of recreation, necessary as these are, but also as out-of-door scientific laboratories for the use of all the educational institutions—the public schools as well as the colleges and universities.

3. That we commend the action of the Biological Section in urging an extensive Biological survey of the State and suggest that their committee, Doctors Stephens and Conard, be made a committee of the Academy with instructions to report at the next annual meeting.

4. That we commend to the earnest attention and consideration

of the Academy, the expediency of the establishment of a committee on co-ordination of scientific research in Iowa in order (1) to facilitate scientific research in the State (2) to avoid unnecessary duplication of effort and (3) to assign problems, particularly in connection with investigative work on our State Park areas. In-as-much as this committee should be of an executive nature, with a degree of stability and permanency, we recommend that it be constituted of five members, each serving for a term of five years and that the tenure of the first term of appointment be so arranged that the terms of successive appointments of members of the committee shall expire, one each annually.

5. That we cordially endorse the movement to establish at the National Capitol a Museum and Aquarium of Fishes in honor of the one hundredth anniversary of the birth of Spencer Fullerton Baird.

FRANK A. STROMSTEN, *Chairman*;

BEN H. WILSON

CHARLES R. KEYES, *Chairman, Conservation.*

THE DRAINAGE OF GOOSE LAKE, GREENE COUNTY

Be it resolved that the Iowa Academy of Science promote the appointment of a capable commission for the purpose of making a survey of the conditions affecting the drainage of Goose Lake in Greene County, Iowa.

1. To ascertain how authority was obtained to attempt to turn into farm land a lake of considerable size, in a State where water surface is naturally very limited.

2. To ascertain, again, if the lake bed now exposed is fit for the purposes of tillage, or ever can be made thus fit, and in the latter case, what the expense per acre will be.

3. To ascertain, once more, the loss sustained to the State of Iowa, in its being deprived of a body of water, that was not only a splendid and noted wild-fowl resort, but also furnished a habitat for fish, and thus an opportunity for fishing.

4. To ascertain, finally, after a careful debtor and creditor estimate, what has been the definite gain or loss to the State of Iowa through the drainage of Goose Lake in Greene County.

THE REPORT OF THE MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE

The membership committee presented the following names:

For transfer from Associate to Fellow:

Brown, Howard C.; Buchanan, L. L.; Cox, B. B.; Crofutt, Chas. B.; De Ryke, Willis; Emmons, C. W.; Fillman, Louise; Hauber, Ulrich A.; Kadesch, W. H.; Krull, Wendell; Lane, Clarence E.; Lonsdale, John T.; Parish, Dr. Jessie Augusta; Parker, Ralph L.; Peterson, Ben H.; Stainbrook, Merrill A.; Wait, G. R. Total, 17.

For election as Fellows:

Buffum, H. S.; Charles, J. W.; Drake, Carl J.; Finkenbinder, E. O.; Hertzberg, O. E.; Homan, T. B.; Orton, Samuel T.; Paul, J. B.; Todd, C. O. Total, 9.

For election as Associates:

Appel, Earl T.; Baker, W. G.; Barthell, E. Clare; Breason, Miss Eva; Bruce, Harold; Campbell, Miss Mabel; Carlson, Glenn M.; Catlin, Mrs. Lois E.; Clark, Prof. C.; Cook, W. S.; Cornwall, Dean T.; Cunningham, Miss Margery; Deeds, Miss Dorothy; Dille, Glenn S.; Dunham, E. W.; Erskine, Dr. Arthur W.; Fountain, Miss Merna; Fries, Homer S.; Fry, Miss Isabel; Gilbert, Miss Eva M.; Hall, V. C.; Hartung, Maurice; Heald, Miss Ruth E.; Hoffman, Charles; Hoover, Miss Ruth L.; Ingalls, Edmund E.; Judd, Miss Elizabeth; Keck, Warren N.; Ladd, Harry S.; Lankashire, E. R.; Liu, Sidney; Longnecker, Mayne; McKenzie, Miss Orrel; Malin, Miss Gladys A.; Maxwell, Lewis R.; Meffert, Clyde B.; Moore, R. H.; Moots, Elmer E.; Mortimore, Roy H.; Peterson, Payson W.; Peterson, Miss Ruth; Prewitt, Leland; Reeder, Miss Ruth; Ressler, Barton C. V.; Richey, H. W.; Richardson, Miss Alice E.; Riggs, Miss Anna Gertrude; Schultz, Ivan T.; Seydel, Miss Lenore; Simpson, Miss Violet L.; Smith, Scott W.; Snyder, Miss Hazel M.; Sorensen, Miss Ina LeRoy; Van Pelt, J. R.; Waddell, Senn; Willeford, Levi; Wilson, W. Raymond; Wittrock, G. L.; Yancey, W. P.; Zumstein, R. V.; Emerson, Paul; Hayes, Anson; Miller, Lewis B.; Myers, Merrill M.; Noe, A. C. Total, 65.

LIST OF MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE

Mr. Albert, Grinnell; Roy S. Abbott, Cedar Falls; Earl T. Appel, Iowa City; J. Allen Baker, Indianola; A. L. Bakke, Ames; F. M. Baldwin, Ames; Edward Bartow, Iowa City; C. O. Bates, Cedar Rapids; Louis Begeman, Cedar Falls; George Bennett, Iowa City; E. C. Blom, Des Moines; P. A. Bond, Iowa City; Harold Bruce, Mount Vernon; E. J. Cable, Cedar Falls; Glenn Carlson, Mount Vernon; Miss Edna M. Carter, Dubuque; Mrs. Lois E. Catlin, Ames; E. F. Castetter, Ames; E. W. Chittenden, Iowa City; E. P. Clark; J. C. Colbert, Iowa City; Leroy M. Coffin, Cedar Rapids; G. H. Coleman, Iowa City; H. E. Collins, Iowa City; H. S. Conard, Grinnell; John Couture; Charles B. Crofutt, Iowa City; B. B. Cox, Iowa City; Miss Cunningham, Ames; Miss Marian E. Daniells, Ames; George E. Davis, Ames; Miss Ruth A. Davis, Iowa City; Miss Dorothy Deeds, Mount Vernon; R. M. Demming, Fayette; Willis DeRyke, Iowa City; H. S. Doty, Indianola; C. W. Emmons, Indianola; Miss Fay Farnum, Ames; Wanda F. Farr, Iowa City; Earle Fluhrer, University Park; R. A. French, Dubuque; Miss Isabel Fry, Mount Vernon; S. L. Galpin, Ames; R. W. Getchell, Mount Vernon; U. A. Hauber, Davenport; Hale A. Haven, Mount Vernon; Miss Kathryn Gilmore, Mount Pleasant; Cornelius Gowens, Ames; M. A. Graber, Sioux City; V. C. Hall, Iowa City; Maurice Hartung, Mount Vernon; U. A. Hauber, Davenport; Hale A. Haven, Mount Vernon; Miss G. A. Heer, Ames; S. F. Hersey, Cedar Falls; F. G. Higbee, Iowa City; Charles Hoffman; E. O. Hulburt, Iowa City; Edmund E.

Ingalls, Mount Vernon; H. E. Jaques, Mount Pleasant; E. W. Johns, Minneapolis, Minn.; E. N. Jones, Iowa City; W. A. Kadesch, Cedar Falls; Harry M. Kelly, Mount Vernon; Charles Reuben Keyes, Mount Vernon; Nicholas Knight, Mount Vernon; Wendell Krull, Iowa City; William Kuerth, Ames; Albert Kuntz, St. Louis, Mo.; E. R. Lankashire, Mount Pleasant; H. P. Lankelma, Iowa City; C. W. Lantz, Cedar Falls; Austin P. Larabee; James H. Lees, Des Moines; Harry F. Lewis, Mount Vernon; Miss Sarah Lewis, Iowa City; Sidney Liu, Nanking, China; Dr. O. E. Lowman, Fayette; R. B. McClenon, Grinnell; Thomas Macbride, Iowa City; Frederick M. McGaw, Mount Vernon; J. V. McKelvey, Ames; Miss Orrel McKenzie, Mount Vernon; Louis Maxwell, Mount Vernon; R. F. Miller, Iowa City; W. R. Mills, Pierson; Elmer E. Moots, Mount Vernon; Russell Morgan, Mount Vernon; Miss Catherine Mullin, Iowa City; Miss Helen Nicholson, Iowa City; H. W. Norris, Grinnell; William H. Norton, Mount Vernon; L. H. Pammel, Ames; Jessie Parish, Cedar Falls; E. A. Pattengill, Ames; J. N. Pearce, Iowa City; Lyle E. Pippert, Mount Vernon; H. J. Plagge, Ames; George E. Potter, Iowa City; Mrs. Isabel Potter, Iowa City; Eva M. Preston, Mount Vernon; L. Charles Raiford, Iowa City; O. B. Read, Cedar Falls; John F. Reilly, Iowa City; H. L. Reitz, Iowa City; Miss Anna G. Riggs, Ames; Miss Maria M. Roberts, Ames; E. W. Rockwood, Iowa City; Walter V. Searight, Iowa City; Miss Lenore M. Seydel, Mount Vernon; Sherman Shaffer, Mount Vernon; Leo P. Sherman, Indianola; L. P. Sieg, Iowa City; Miss Violet Simpson, Mount Vernon; D. M. Smith, Ames; E. R. Smith, Ames; Helen F. Smith, Ames; John E. Smith, Ames; M. A. Stainbrook, Iowa City; T. C. Stephens, Sioux City; George W. Stewart, Iowa City; Frank A. Stromsten, Iowa City; Dayton Stoner, Iowa City; S. W. Stookey, Cedar Rapids; Carl Strom, Decorah; Miss A. H. Tappan, Ames; A. O. Thomas, Iowa City; M. H. Trytten, Decorah; J. S. Turner, Ames; J. Robert Van Pelt, Mount Vernon; Senn Waddell, Mount Pleasant; E. E. Watson, Cedar Falls; F. M. Weida, Iowa City; C. W. Wester, Cedar Falls; Mrs. Anna K. Whiting, Iowa City; P. W. Whiting, Iowa City; Levi Willeford, Mount Pleasant; Ben H. Wilson, Mount Pleasant; Guy West Wilson, Fayette; W. H. Wilson, Iowa City; Dwight Windenburg, Mount Vernon; G. L. Wittrock, Grinnell; J. W. Woodrow, Ames; Roscoe Woods, Iowa City; Robert B. Wylie, Iowa City; W. P. Yancey, Davenport.