

Iowa Inventor of Gyroscope Takes Own Life

Fear of Spending Life in Insane Hospital Cause of Act—Educated at Hastings.

By Associated Press
Camden, N. J., Feb. 6.—Prof. E. J. Christie of Marion, Ia., inventor of a gyroscopic unicycle, which he hoped could obtain a speed of 250 miles an

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Dependable Laxative for Sick Baby or Child



Hurry, Mother! Even a bilious, constipated, feverish child loves the pleasant taste of "California Fig Syrup" and it never fails to open the bowels. A teaspoonful today may prevent a sick child tomorrow. Ask your druggist for genuine "California Fig Syrup" which has directions for babies and children of all ages printed on bottle. Mother! You must say "California" or you may get an imitation fig syrup.

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The only harmless way to bleach the skin white is to mix the juice of two lemons with three ounces of Orchard White, which, any druggist will supply for a few cents. Shake well in a bottle, and you have a whole quarter-pint of the most wonderful skin whitener, softener and beautifier. Massage this sweetly fragrant lemon bleach into the face, neck, arms and hands. It can not irritate. Famous stage beauties use it to bring that clear, youthful skin rosy-white complexion; also to soothe red, rough or chapped hands and face. You must mix this remarkable bleach yourself. It can not be bought ready to use because it acts best immediately after it is prepared.

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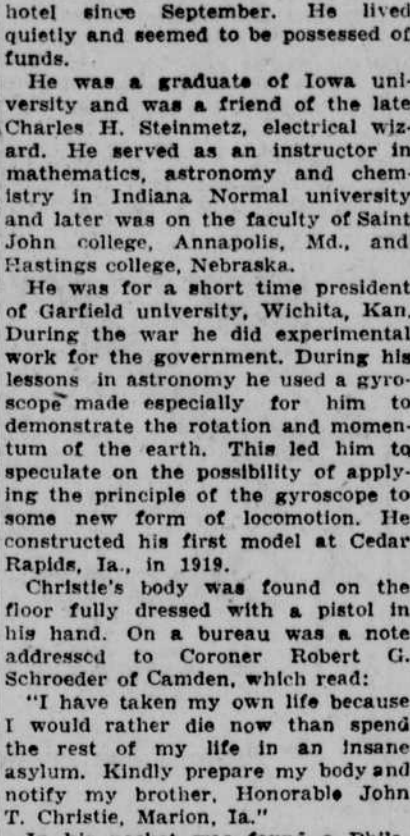
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Ex-Professor Wins Bok Peace Plan Prize



Charles H. Levermore, Philadelphia, Pa.—Charles H. Levermore of New York, student of international relations, writer, and former college professor, was announced as the winner of the \$100,000 prize offered by Edward W. Bok, Philadelphia publisher, for the best plan to preserve peace among the nations of the world. The first \$50,000 of the prize was turned over to Mr. Levermore by John W. Davis, former ambassador to Great Britain. The second \$50,000 will be given to Mr. Levermore when and if the referendum of the country approves his plan.

Bossie and "Wife" Sail From France

Deposited City Clerk Returning to United States on Berengaria to Face Charges.
New York, Feb. 6.—Claude F. Bossie, deposited city clerk of Omaha, Neb., and a woman said to be his wife, were reported to have sailed from Cherbourg, France, on the steamship Berengaria, a message received here today said. Bossie is charged by his first wife, who is now living in Omaha, with desertion. He is said to have left the first Mrs. Bossie and gone to Kansas, where he married a woman said to be Mrs. E. Walmley of Redlands, Cal. He is being returned to the United States because his passport was alleged to have been obtained by fraud, in that he represented the woman accompanying him as his legal wife. The first Mrs. Bossie, it is said, has not been notified that she has been divorced from the former clerk.

Martin Ryan Dies

Martin Ryan, 79, retired farmer who was a resident of Omaha for 13 years, died Tuesday at his home, 422 North Thirty-fourth street. He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Jeremiah Ryan, Omaha, and Mrs. Steven Conners, Carroll, Ia., and seven sons. Funeral services will be held Friday morning at 8:30 from the home to St. Cecelias cathedral. Nebraska City—Mrs. S. T. Williamson, 70, was seriously burned this afternoon when her clothing caught on fire from a heater at her home. The flames were not extinguished until they had burned from her body. Her condition is regarded as serious, but hope is entertained for her recovery.

Beet Growers Agree on Scale

Mexican Labor to Be Relied Upon to Replace Russians Who Take Farms.

Gering, Neb., Feb. 6.—The Great Western Sugar company, having reached an agreement with the beet growers upon the scale to be paid for the 1924 crop of beets, is now engaged in making labor contracts for the season. It is probable that the labor contract will be similar to the one recently made with the Colorado beet growers, \$22 an acre, with a bonus of 50 cents a ton over 14 tons per acre. Each year has seen an increasing number of Mexicans imported to work in the beet fields of this section. The labor supply heretofore drawn from Russians in Lincoln, Hastings and other cities has been dwindling rapidly of late years. More and more these Russian workers are becoming land owners, making it necessary to recruit Mexican labor. The new beet scale is based on \$5.50 a ton minimum and a 50-50 sliding scale contingent upon the average market price of the sugar made from the year's crop of beets. The minimum and a 48-52 sliding scale last year brought the beet growers

Village of Old-Timers

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Ends Stubborn Coughs in a Hurry

For real effectiveness, this old home-made remedy has no equal. Easily and cheaply prepared. You'll never know how quickly a bad cough can be conquered, until you try this famous old home-made remedy. Anyone who has coughed all day and all night, will say that the immediate relief given is almost like magic. It is very easily prepared, and there is nothing better for coughs. Into a pint bottle, put 2 1/2 ounces of Pinex; then add plain granulated sugar syrup to make a full pint. Or you can use clarified molasses, honey, or corn syrup, instead of sugar syrup. Either way, the full pint saves about two-thirds of the money usually spent for cough preparations, and gives you a more positive, effective remedy. It keeps perfectly, and tastes pleasant—children like it. You can feel this take hold instantly, soothing and healing the membranes in all the air passages. It promptly loosens a dry, tight cough, and soon you will notice the phlegm thin out and disappear. A day's use will usually break up an ordinary throat or chest cold, and it is also splendid for bronchitis, croup, hoarseness, and bronchial asthma. Pinex is a most valuable concentrated compound of genuine Norway pine extract, the most reliable remedy for throat and chest ailments. To avoid disappointment, ask your druggist for "2 1/2 ounces of Pinex" with directions and don't accept anything else. Guaranteed to give absolute satisfaction or money refunded. The Pinex Co., Ft. Wayne, Ind.

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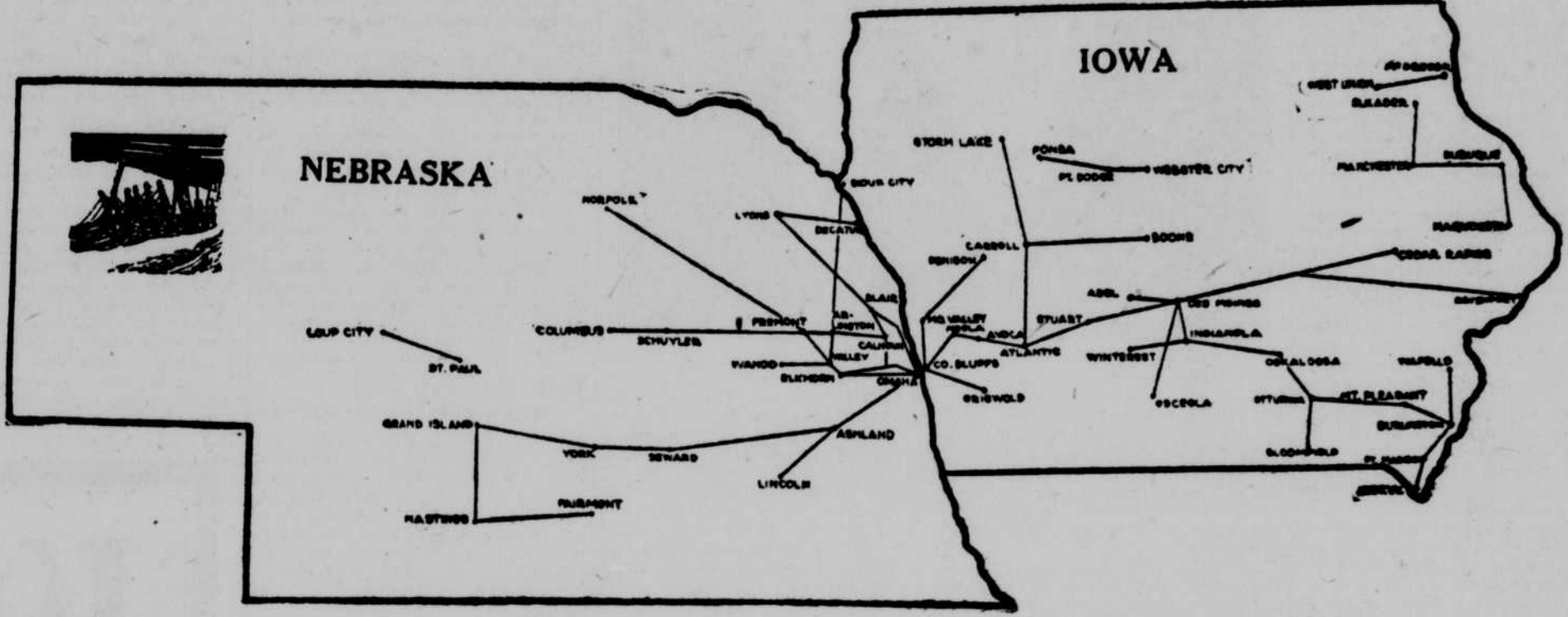
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The above map shows the sections of our telephone system in Iowa and Nebraska, where 3,800 poles were broken down by Sunday night's sleet storm. About 2,300 of these poles were on the long distance lines and about 1,500 on exchange lines. In addition, the heavy coat of ice on the wires and the strong wind caused thousands of wire breaks on both our long distance and exchange system in this territory.

Telephone Damage \$200,000 In Sleet Storm

The sleet storm which swept over Iowa and Nebraska last Sunday afternoon and evening, caused about \$200,000 damage to telephone property.

A survey of the destruction to telephone property shows the following:

- 3,800 poles broken down or destroyed.
- 34,000 miles of wire out of service.
- \$200,000 property loss.

It is a tremendous job to re-set 3,800 poles, to re-attach the cross arms and wires to them and re-establish communication, but service is being restored as rapidly as possible by more than 600 repairmen, most of whom have been on the job constantly since the storm. The drifted snow on the roads, particularly in Iowa, is making the restoration of service very difficult.

We take this opportunity to thank our customers for the splendid way in which you have accepted the unavoidable interruption of telephone service, and we assure you that we are doing everything possible to hasten the re-opening of communication.

If you desire to talk to any point to which service was shut off by the storm, please ask "Long Distance" if the lines are yet open. Every hour, almost, some line is reopened.

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